

# April



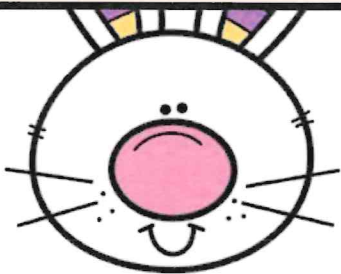
**Notes for Learning Lambs:** This month we celebrate Easter, Earth Day and Arbor Day. Lessons include life cycles of insects and animals, and jellyfish. April also brings our final field trip to Liberty Park in Twinsburg to learn more about spring babies

## Upcoming Events:

4 / 3 - Good Friday - no school  
4 / 5 - Easter  
4 / 6 - Easter Monday -no school  
4/8/26 - Liberty Park  
4/22 - Earth Day  
4/24 - Arbor Day

## Share and Tell:

4/10 - Something that starts with Uu  
4/17 - Something Green  
4/23 Something that starts with Ee  
5/1- Something that starts with Jj



## Our learning focus this month:

Math – more and less comparing amounts

ELA – Letters Uu, Ee, & Jj and their sounds. Building vocabulary

Reading – Listen and retell a story ( both fiction & nonfiction). Nursery Rhymes and poems.

Writing – Writing our names and letters of the week upper and lower case, simple sentences

Social Studies - Taking care of Earth

Science – Spring weather & babies

Health - Bike Safety

Social Emotional Learning-regulating & expressing our feelings

March 30, 2026

Dear Parents,

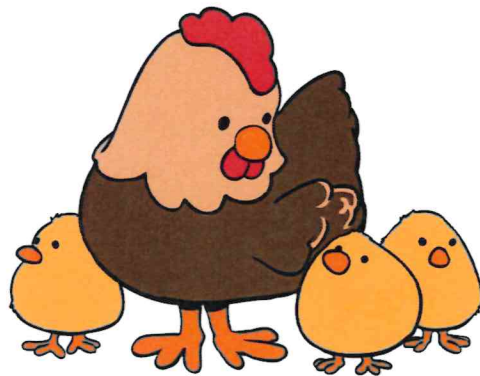
We are currently hatching painted lady caterpillars. We are going to attempt to hatch chicks. The incubation will start on March 31 and takes approximately 21 days. Fingers crossed we will have up to a dozen chicks by the end of April.

Students will also be adopting and caring for a mystery egg. They will make predictions, learn about the needs and life cycles of living things, and design and build the perfect home for their egg. They will adopt, name, and measure their eggs. **THESE ARE NOT REAL EGGS.** Each one contains a marshmallow peep. SHHHHH don't tell. That is part of the fun.

We will be finishing the year by making a small terrarium garden and learning about growing things and the lifecycle of plants.

Thank you,

Miss Dawn



April 2026

Dear Parents,

I can not believe we are approaching the end of our preschool year! I would like to plan a promotion ceremony for our preschool classes. It will be short and simple but a nice way to mark this first academic milestone. I am planning it for **Wednesday, May 20, 2025 at 10:30 in our chapel**. The ceremony and reception should take about an hour. We will be promoting students from our threes class to our fours class and from our fours class to kindergarten. We will have a brief ceremony with certificates of promotion, a few songs & poems, and a surprise for parents. We will then dismiss for a reception with light refreshments. Students are free to leave with parents when we conclude. This will be the final day for our coyotes. I will still see our lambs on Thursday and Friday.

Please fill out and return the form below so I can plan for enough refreshments for all. Keep the top part for your reference. Please include your student in the family count. I am sure grandparents or other special people may want to attend.

Thank you as always for your support.

Ms. Dawn

**Please fill out and return below asap**

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Students name \_\_\_\_\_

Number of people attending including your student \_\_\_\_\_



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