



# Edgewater Preschool



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## WELCOME TO EDGEWATER



### SPRING CURRICULUM

The following are topics of curriculum that may emerge this month: Spiders, Snails, Caterpillars, Butterflies, and Silkworms and other insects. We will continue to talk about spring and animals that hatch from eggs. All classes will be able to observe the incubation of chicken eggs. The incubator is set up in the office and the eggs are expected to hatch by mid-April. Preschoolers will also be observing the life cycle of butterflies (going from caterpillars, to chrysalides, to butterflies) in their classroom. We hope to release them in celebration of Earth Day!



### REMINDERS

\*Drop off must be done in the Muskrats class with a team member. All children must wash their hands and be helped to their classroom or the play yard.

\*Children go outside each day. Please, check to see if your child's extra clothes are weather appropriate.

\*Please wash and return the borrowed items promptly.

\*Write your child's name on all personal belongings. Tape and a Sharpie are located near the front door for your convenience.

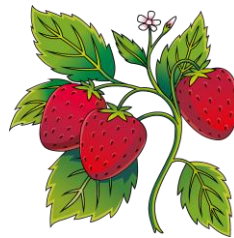
\*Your child's sheet and blanket must be taken home at the end of each week, laundered, and returned for the following week's use. Borrowed bedding can result in a \$5 laundry fee.



## DATES TO REMEMBER

### Week of the Young Child

**Week of the Young Child is April 7th - 11th.** Week of the Young Child is an annual celebration sponsored by the National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC), the world's largest early Childhood Education Association. The purpose of the Week of the Young Child is to focus public attention on the needs of young children, their families, and to recognize the early childhood programs providing services to them. We will have a week full of fun activities and themes for the children (see attached flyer).



### Tanaka Farms Strawberry Picking Field Trip

Children must have signed up by Friday, March 28th to be eligible. This field trip is open to Munchkins, Chipmunks, & Muskrats

Tanaka Farms is in Irvine, California. At Tanaka Farms, the children will go on a tractor ride, taste fresh vegetables, and pick strawberries from the strawberry patch.

**Children and parents attending this trip must be at school by 8:30am.**

### School Closing At 4:00pm

School will be closing at 4pm on Wednesday, **April 16th** for Staff Development. Please allow ample time prior to 4pm for parking and to take care of your and your child's personal needs, gathering of personal items, etc. to ensure that the doors are closed by 4:00pm.

## Scholastic Book Club

Scholastic books can be ordered online all year long to boost your kid's reading fandom and maybe even create moments of quality time you can share together!

<https://orders.scholastic.com/GZX8D>



## Looking Ahead in May Spring Family Fest

We will be hosting our Annual Spring Family Fest!

The Spring Family Fest will take place at Children's Village Preschool on **Friday, May 2nd from 4-5:30pm** and is open to all current and Alumni Families.

**Please note we will be providing care until 4pm on this day. All children must be picked up by 4pm in preparation for the event.**

This is a time for families to enjoy some food, carnival style games including "splat trap: soak a teacher", raffles prizes, a silent auction (where there will be some good deals) and the opportunity to meet and mingle with other CV families.

### Important Dates in May

**-Monday, May 5th – Friday May 9th-** Teacher Appreciation Week

**-Thursday, May 7th –** Special Someone Lemonade 3-4:30pm

**-Thursday, May 7th –** School Closes at 4:30 for Staff Development

**-Tuesday, May 13th - Thursday, May 15th -** Non-Graduating Preschool Parent-Teacher Conferences

**-Monday, May 26th -** School Closed in observance of Memorial Day