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Early Bird
Special for
curriculum fees
end May 8th

May 4th - 9th
Teacher
Appreciation
week

May 11th - 15th
Parent
Appreciation
week

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Book
Fair

Accelerated
Pre-K
graduation
May 21st at
8:30am

Room 1 – Ms. Gabi, Ms. Azalia & Ms. Leandra

This month we loved learning and singing “Five Little Ducks.” We used our feet to paint ducks with our footprints and learned all about the color Purple while painting ovals. We played with the rain gear in our prop box and also had fun with umbrellas. We played lots with our new glitter sensory bottles and had a blast blowing bubbles while strolling outside.

We will be learning all about ourselves as we explore with the theme, Me! We will paint triangles, make triangle crafts and make foot paintings too. We can’t wait to enjoy sunny days as we take our big blanket outside for our activity, “View From The Window.”



Room 2 – Ms. Darlene & Ms. Philisha

This April we enjoyed making art with bubble wrap and feather dusters, as well as explored with warm and cool toothpaste for our sensory activity.

Our little ones had fantastic strolls outside this month as we enjoyed nicer weather. We played with floating fish, scrubbing rocks and painted with water too! We loved singing songs like, "Where Is Thumbkin?" "Jack and Jill," "Row, Row, Row Your Boat" and "Rub-a-dub-dub" as we learned with the theme, Bubbles, Mud and Puddles.

This May, our class will learn with the theme, Me! We will paint with Pink, learn about the Triangle, and rhyme "Eye Winker, Tom Tinker." We will sing, "Are You Sleeping?" and learn the baby sign for bib! Our little ones will bathe babies inside and outside and make foot paintings and drawings!



Parents Night Out

May 9th, 2015 From 6:45 pm - 11:00 pm

Join us

\$35 per Child

\$50 per 2 Children (Family)

Each additional child \$10

Open to the community!!!

For more information
regarding this event please
feel free to contact us at

(210) 695-4988

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9706 Business Parkway, Helotes, TX 78023



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Popcorn,

pizza and



fun!

Happy
Mother's
Day!

 CHILDRENS
Lighthouse
LEARNING CENTERS
At Helotes

Room 3 – Ms. Kaleen, Ms. Stephanie & Ms. Jordan

April was an exciting month full of mud, dirt and fun! Our little ones learned about construction and enjoyed touching dirt, making art with mud and sand, and learning about different construction site vehicles! Our class had so much fun decorating for Easter! Hope you enjoyed our crafts.

In May, we will be learning about "Me and My Body." Our class will learn all about our different body parts, such as our hands, face and feet. We will also paint with the color pink, and focus on the shape triangle. You will hear us singing "Here They Are" and we will learn the baby sign for bib this month.



Room 4 – Ms. Jessica, Ms. Jackie & Ms. Kim

In April, we learned all about Construction and made wheels track paintings, we painted a truck and hammer too. our Easter Egg Hunt was an absolute blast and our Fiesta Parade was a success as well! Our kiddos had such a great time, As we welcomed rainy days, our class really enjoyed looking for bugs outside and seeing how many different ones we could find.

In May, our class will be learning about “Me and My Body.” We will make sure we know all our body parts, what they are used for and all of our five senses too. We can’t wait to make our class hand mural, hand art and feet art.



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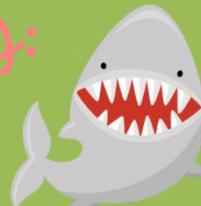
Theme: Plants & Flowers



Science and Nature Focus:



Ocean Animals



Special Days: Mother's Day & Cinco De Mayo

Character Value: Respect



Room 5 – Ms. Maria & Ms. Megan & Ms. Kelsey

In April our children enhanced their learning by observing insects, both dead and alive. Our class collected as many as possible; beetles, spiders, roly pollys, a butterfly and our live ant hill. We tasted honey and talked about bees too. After reading *The Very Hungry Caterpillar* our children made necklaces with straws and red and green circles. Our class created a beautiful butterfly tissue paper collage and stamped insects on paper using foam stamps. We studied the life cycle of the butterfly and frogs, and had the opportunity to play in a "small frog pond" in our science center. Thank you for your patience with our Shoe Box Parade, our kiddos were excited to show off their floats!

As we welcome the last month of the school year, our class is thrilled to invite you to our Spring Recital, where we will perform for our parents and special guests. This will take place on May 8 at 3:30pm and we really hope to see you there! We have been practicing hard and can't wait to have fun and enjoy this special event. Our learning continues with a new theme: Plants and Flowers and Ocean Animals. We will explore all about flowers, parts of the plants and of course their life cycle. We can't wait to learn about our favorite ocean animals, like whales, dolphins, fish and octopus. Our children, like the spring flowers, are growing and blooming beautifully, please take a moment to enjoy every minute of their childhood and create memories.



Teacher Appreciation Week

May 4th-8th 2015

Monday



Chocolate/Sweet
Treat Day

Wednesday

Ms.
Bonnie's Day



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Tuesday

Flower
Day

Thursday



Gift Card Day



Friday

Spa Day

Room 6 – Ms. Sarahi, Ms. Adriana & Ms. Mari

In April we learned all about insects and life cycles. We had an awesome time going outside and looking for insects and counting their body parts. We observed their antennas, legs, wings and spoke about how they are similar and different. Our class had a blast making crafts like butterflies, caterpillars and fireflies. Our kiddos learned to trace and sound the letters, X, Y, and Z. Our little ones did a great job practicing being fair for our character value, Fairness. We had a blast at our annual Easter Egg Hunt and enjoyed our Shoe Box Parade.

This upcoming month of May, our class will learn about plant and flowers. We will also discuss Ocean Animals and find out how many we are familiar with. We are going to learn songs about flowers and enjoy singing about our Ocean Animals too. Our new character value this month will be Respect and we will try our best to show it not only to our teachers and friends but also at home. Welcome Callen and Otto! We are so thrilled you joined our class!



Room 7 – Ms. Denise & Mr. Domingo

April was a month full of fun! Our Easter Egg Hunt was the most fun and our kiddos had an absolute blast! Our Show Box Parade was exciting and our class loved showing off all their creative floats. Our class really enjoyed learning all about insects this past month. Some of our kiddos found it icky, but did a good job at learning how important they each are and how even the smaller insect like an ant, works so hard.

Our class is super excited for May as we welcome the last month of our school year. Our theme will be plants and flowers since April showers bring May flowers. We will be focusing on Ocean Animals so be ready for lots of fishy art! Respect will be our character value and we will learn all about showing it everywhere we go.

A warm hello to Dylan and Cody! We couldn't be happier to that you have joined our class!



Room 8 – Ms. Samber, Ms. Jennifer & Ms. Jenna



This past month we learned all about insects and bugs! One of our favorite facts was learning there is seasons for bugs and exploring the ones that were present during our outside this Spring, as well as looking forward to the ones to come this Summer!

Our kiddos loved learning all about life cycles about both plants and animals, as always they continue to surprise us with how much they know. Our class also learned what fairness meant and ways to show it with friends in our class.

For the upcoming month of May, our class will learn about Ocean Animals but our overall theme will help us learn all about flowers and plants as we get ready to welcome summer and sunny days!

We are sad to say goodbye to our friend Andres but very excited to welcome Lauren and Nola to our class. We are so happy you're here!



ROOM 9 – Ms. Cheryl & Mr. Jamaal



In May our class learned all about insects, toads and frogs. We loved learning all about the different kinds of insects, their lives and habitats.

Our class did such a good job at practicing writing their first and last name. We worked hard on writing and sounding the letters, T, V and W and enjoyed counting to 100, by 5's and 10's.

This upcoming month we will learn all about plants and flowers as well as their life cycle. We will also learn about our new character value, Respect and make sure we practice it all month long.

We are looking forward to ending the last month of our school year on a bright note as we will work hard to perfect our handwriting and show off all we have learned this year! Welcome Allister! We are so glad you have joined us!



Room 10 – Ms. Maria & Mr. Brent

In April our class learned so much. We enjoyed learning about the life cycles of frogs, flowers and insects. We continued to work on handwriting, reading, spelling, phonics and numbers which include math. We discovered some hands on experience with planting a sun-flower and understanding what a flower needs in order to grow. Our kiddos have done such an amazing job in learning about responsibility, that caring for a flower will be an easy task for them. We have explored with many nature walks outside, where we discovered even some more interesting insects, plants and flowers. Our class has managed to create a worm farm, caterpillar farm and grow sunflowers.

Room 10 is definitely enjoying this Spring season. In May, our class will continue to learn about reading, writing, math, phonics and spelling. The class is doing great on their spelling and enjoys reading as well. We have managed to create a reading circle time during the day. We are so proud to say that my class can independently read alone! They are such hard workers. Next, we will begin to practice for our graduation ceremony. Yes, we have made it to such memorable milestone. Each and every one of our students have grown so much and so fast. We can't believe it's almost time to set them free into a whole new world they will completely enjoy! Congratulations to the class of 2015!





Room 10-After school

Mr. Brent & Ms. Breyanna



This Month we will be learning about "Energy" we are really excited to learn about this theme since our children are literally full of energy. They can even learn about the concept from their own bodies. Second because we are surrounded by energy from variety of sources and in a variety of forms, children can use their powers of observation to understand it.

Third, energy is an extremely important topic: Our future depends on abundant, clean energy that does not pollute the air, land and water.

We will also be practicing our new character value Respect, we will talk and learn about plants, flowers and also ocean animals. Our Special days this month will be Cinco de Mayo and Mother's Day.



ATTENTION

We have been informed by the Helotes Police Department that crossing behind Walmart is a traffic violation resulting in a ticket/fine.

Please avoid cutting through the back.