

# Jr. Journal

Worth Week 36 April 16th-20th

Topic: Earth Week



Vocabulary: reflection - an image given back I can see my <u>reflection</u> in the water.

Introduce: Uu, Vv Bits of Intelligence: Dinosaurs

## Motor

Ms. Sam has put a new twist on an old favorite this week. She is incorporating the use of beanbags in a game of Simon Says. The children will follow Simon as she gives different directions. For example, put the beanbag on your nose, etc. a game of Follow the Leader is one of the games we will enjoy outdoors. Ms. Sam also has balance beam activities planned and hopscotch.

# **Craft and Writing**

Tracing papers will make a sun and a flower. The Juniors will play with blue and green Play-doh for Earth Day.

### **Dates and Reminders**

Please update your child's set of extra clothes for the upcoming warmer weather.

Moms- if you haven't already, please send in a picture of yourself at age 3 or 4.

Spring Program is May 19th at 9:30am located at Prairie Junior High in Alsip

# Language Arts:

Mrs. Christine will continue to work on their "A is for Amos" song as two new letters were recently introduced. Mrs. Christine will read the story This is our Earth. We will have fun doing class outside this week to celebrated the Earth

# Concept:

10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1...it's time to learn to count backwards! The children have also been counting by 2's up to 10 also. Mrs. Barb will have both the sand and water table open this week as well as a bug catching sensory bin. Discussion relates to Earth Day and the many ways nature makes Earth Beautiful. We will be planting some flowers in a planter to make our school more beautiful!

