



Bobbie Noonan's Child Care
Palos Hills
Nursery News

Theme: Dinosaurs

Weeks of 2/11 & 2/18

Introduction: heart and star

Bit Cards: Dinosaurs



Language Arts: One of our favorite themes is here—dinosaurs! Our picture file will have tons of dinosaurs in it and we will love looking at those pictures! One of our finger plays will explain a lot of what we will learn; it goes like this:

*Dinosaurs and their friends lived long ago!
Some swam, some flew,
Some were big, some were small and some were huge!
Really big and very tall.*

We will also be going on a dinosaur hunt, what do you think we will find? If you have a favorite dinosaur at home bring it in to share with the class!

Art: This week in Ms. Tammy's class we will be coloring and painting different types of dinosaurs and a dinosaur handprint project. Pre-writing papers and heart and star will be introduced. The kids will be learning how to trace dotted straight and curved lines. We will also be practicing coloring inside the lines.

Concept: For the next two weeks we will be talking about dinosaurs! We will also introduce two new shapes, star and heart, and explore with moon sand . We will also play a dinosaur counting game.

*Our Valentine's Day party will be held on Thursday, February 14. If you wish to bring valentines, please send 12 addressed to "classmate." Parent/Teacher conferences will be held on Monday, February 18, and Tuesday, February 19. If you would like a conference, please sign up in the front hallway. Due to conferences, there will be **no preschool** on February 18 & 19.*