

Bobbie Noonan's Child Care Palos Hills Young Nursery News

Weeks of 3/18 & 4/1 Theme: Spring/Easter

To celebrate the arrival of spring, our annual Spring Color Days will be on **Wednesday, March 20**, and **Thursday, March 21**. Our color for Wednesday will be red. Our color for Thursday will be yellow. Please dress your child in these colors on these days. ***Your child is welcome to bring in a piece of fruit for snack that we will use to make a colorful fruit salad on both days.***

Spring Break is March 25-29. School is open for daycare only.

Concept: Welcome Spring!! To bring in the new season we will be doing a lot of fun activities. We'll look at spring items in our science bin. This week we will be playing a seriation game with raindrops and leaves and one to one correspondence with umbrellas to people and birds to nests. We will also count Easter eggs in a basket.

Motor: In motor this week we will be spending some more time outside. We will get our bodies moving when we jump through hula hoops, use the stair steps, and playing a game called "puddle jumping."

Language Arts: Spring is here, hooray! Everyone get your umbrellas ready for a shower of language arts! We will look in our picture file for spring activities. We will read *We're Going On A Nature Hunt* and *Grow It*. Of course, we can't forget the new finger play we will learn called "Five Little Ducks," and a flannel board story "Five Little Birds." We are going to "spring" into a new season of fun!

Art: We are going to have fun with spring art projects. Of course we will be doing flowers and raindrops, but there is so much more to choose from – bugs, butterflies, and worms!

