



Junior Journal

Weeks 28 & 29: March 1-12, 2021 Theme: Zoo/Mammals

Language Arts:

The Juniors will be learning finger plays, flannel board stories, and songs about the zoo, and different animals. Our selections include: Old McDonald has a Zoo, Zoo Fun, and I Can be Any Animal. Picture files and riddle games will also include mammals. We'll play phonics games to introduce the phonetic sounds of our two new letters, Qq and Rr, and to review the previous letters introduced. I'll continue reviewing the reading words with the group, and work with individual students on the reading stories Run and Jump. We will also get ready for St. Patrick's Day with books, papers, and games.

Concept: Lions, tigers, and

bears....oh my! The children will be introduced to the special characteristics that make an animal a mammal. The children will be learn about several mammals they see at the zoo. Once several have been reviewed, the children will play Guess the Mammal. I am an animal with a mane and I roar....I am a lion! Zoo mammals will also find there way into our mystery bag and estimation jar. The letters Qq and Rr, and the colors pink and white will be added to all of our shelf jobs.

Motor: Our classroom will become a zoo, as we act like animals! The children will enjoy the song Animal Action, as the children are given instructions to move like different animals!

Craft and Writing:

Our papers will help the children become familiar with the letters Qq and Rr, as well as things that begin with those letters. We will also be coloring with pink and white, and enjoy mammal projects.

WACKY WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3...

To celebrate Dr. Seuss, please allow your child to dress up as wacky as possible on this day. We will enjoy several silly and fun activities.

Notes to Parents:

- Tuesday, 3/2...Happy Birthday Dr. Seuss! We will celebrate with stories, projects, and fun activities.
 - Wednesday, 3/3...WACKY WEDNESDAY...WEAR YOUR
 - Wednesday, 3/17...Happy St. Patrick's Day. PLEASE WEAR GREEN!
 - Thursday and Friday, 3/18 and 3/19...Spring Color Days. JUNIORS, PLEASE WEAR RED.
 - March 29- April 2. SPRING BREAK. We will be open for daycare students only. No preschool (9-12) or half day
- (9-2:30) classes. We will be sending a form home shortly to see which days your child will/will not be attending. If your children doesn't attend any days of the week, 1/2 tuition will be due.
- Spring Pictures will be taken on Wednesday and Thursday, April 14 and 15.
 - Vision and Hearing Screenings for children 3 years and older will be on Friday, April 30.

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Introductions

Colors: Pink and
White

Story 4 See Me

Student of the
Week:

Zach

Have a GRRReat 2
weeks!

Mrs. Jeanie

Ms. Erina