



Junior Journal

Weeks 36 and 37: May 3-14, 2021 Theme: The Farm

Language Arts:

Welcome to the farm! The Juniors will be learning about the purpose of a farm, as well as which plants and animals they may see on a farm. We will be singing an old favorite, *Old MacDonald Had a Farm*. Finger plays and flannel board stories include: *In the Barnyard*, *Pigs on the Farm*, and *A Little Seed*. In addition to farm fun, we will be reviewing EVERYTHING we have learned this year, with focus on phonics and our reading stories.

Concept:

Farm animals will fill our estimation jar and sand table. The children have been doing a great job

estimating, and will have no problem as pigs, cows, and horses fill our jar. When exploring the sand table, the children will be using mini rakes. We will be learning about several different farm animals, the sounds they make, and the names of baby farm animals. The children will discover that mammals primarily take over the farm.

Motor:

The children will be flapping their wings to participate in the chicken dance. Outdoors, we will be running, jumping, and playing!

Craft and Writing:

Look for farm animals to be coming home! The

children will use a variety of art materials while learning about the farm. We'll also have several review papers to cover all introduced material.

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REVIEW WEEKS!

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Notes to Parents:

- Monday, May 3...Our Chick Eggs are EGG-spected to hatch!
- The week of May 3, we will be celebrating Teacher Appreciation Week. If you choose, please have your child color a picture for their teacher.
- Sunday, May 9...Happy Mother's Day to all of the wonderful moms at Bobbie Noonan's. Hope you enjoy your child's gift!
- Monday and Tuesday, May 10 and 11...Fire Drills
- END OF THE SCHOOL YEAR NOTES...
- WE WILL BE CLOSED ON MEMORIAL DAY, MONDAY, MAY 31. Spirit/Last Week of school is May 31- June 4.
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- Daycare only the week of June 7-11.
- Summer Camp begins June 14.
- The fall school year

Have a FARM-tastic two weeks!

Mrs. Jeanie

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