



Junior Journal



Theme: **OCEAN**

March 14, 2022

The children will enjoy learning about aquatic life and the oceans that surround our continent. The letters **Qq** and **Rr** will be introduced this week. With the weather finally getting warmer, we will be going outside on a daily basis. It tends to be chilly in the morning, so please dress your child appropriately.

Let's celebrate!

Wear something green on Thursday, March 17 in honor of St. Patrick's Day.



LANGUAGE ARTS: With the help of our picture file and things on our theme table, we will discuss the life of animals, fish, and plant life in our oceans. Rhythm sticks and musical instruments will enhance our listening skills.

CONCEPT: This week we're learning all about oceans. We will use ocean animals for various counting activities. We will also conduct an experiment with salt water.

CRAFT & WRITING: Many different sea creatures will be created this week, including a jelly fish puppet. Visual dexterity will be enhanced as we draw a line to the matching sea shells.

MOTOR: Walking like crabs and swimming like other ocean animals will enhance our ocean theme. Outside play will take place, weather permitting.



Happy Birthday!

Mae Reinemann 3/15

Employment Opportunities

Spread the word!! We are looking for a teacher and a teacher's aide to help out in the classroom for this current school year as well as summer and fall. Child care benefits are offered. If you or someone you know is interested please give Paula or Geri a call at 815/469-2627.

Summer Camp We are currently full for the summer. All registrations received moving forward will be placed on a wait list.

Spring Break-March 28 thru April 1. Our center is closed to all Preschool students and Extended Day Kindergarten students

