



# St. Edmund's Nursery School APRIL NEWSLETTER – 2021



**"Every horizon is an invitation to start anew." Unknown**

During the month of April we will continue to talk about the “Wonders of Nature” as we study and learn about the lifecycles of frogs, butterflies and silk worms.

We will also study about farm animals and their babies.

**Color:** *Blue*    **Shape:** *Oval*    **Number:** 8

**Concept:** *Fast and Slow*

**Christian Quality of the Month:** *Cheerfulness*

**Bible Verse:** *“I Am With You Always” - Matthew 28:20*



## 9 Things You Should Say To Your Kids Every Day! – Power of Positivity

1. “I love you.”

Say it as often as you like.

2. “I like it when you...”

Highlight positive aspects of behavior.

3. “You make me happy.”

Makes them feel valuable.

4. “I’m proud of you.”

They need to hear their doing a good job even when it’s hard.

5. “You are special.”

Let them know their uniqueness is a strength.

6. “I trust you.”

Building a foundation of trust raises an honest person.

7. “I believe in you.”

Teach them how valuable they are.

8. “I know you can do this.”

Encourage them to never give up.

9. “I am grateful for you.”

Be specific. This can really make their day.

## **IMPORTANT DATES:**

Wed., March 31	- Easter Egg Hunt and Celebration – MWF & 5 Day
Thurs., April 1	- Easter Egg Hunt and Celebration – T/Th & Pre-K
Fri., April 2	- No School – Good Friday
Mon.-Fri. April 5-9	- No School – Spring Break
Mon.-Fri. April 12-16	- National Week of the Young Child – Ice cream treats at snack!
Mon., April 12-Fri., April 23	- Boon Supply Fundraiser
Mon., April 12	- Chapel – MWF, 5 Day and Pre-K
Tues., April 13	- Chapel – T/Th
Tues., April 13	- Puppet Show – The Little Red Hen – During Music
Wed., April 14	- Puppet Show – The Little Red Hen – During Music
Thurs., April 15	- Spirit Day – Wear your SENS gear
Fri., April 16	- Spirit Day – Wear your SENS gear
Wed., April 21	- Lucky Duck 4's Conferences
Thurs., April 22	- Farm Day Petting Zoo - T/Th & Pre-K
Fri., April 23	- Farm Day Petting Zoo – MWF & 5 Day
Mon.-Fri., Apr. 26-30	- “Teacher Appreciation Week”
Mon., May 3	- Julie Lilly Graduation Photos
Mon., May 3-Fri., May 7	- SENS Auction – Details to follow!

### **Conference Dates:**

Mrs. Holder & Mrs. Reiling (Lucky Duck 4's), Wednesday, April 21  
Mrs. Elffers & Mrs. Pegram (Friendly 4's), Wednesday, April 28  
Mrs. Wagner & Ms. Cooper (MWF 3's), Monday, May 3  
Mrs. Hopf & Mrs. Reiling (Old 3's), Tuesday, May 4  
Mrs. Doerning & Ms. Villasenor-Day (MWF 3's), Wednesday, May 5  
Mrs. Elffers & Ms. Villasenor-Day (Young 3's), Thursday, May 6  
Mrs. O'Connor & Mrs. Orozco-Mekailian (Young 3's), Tuesday, May 11

### **Graduation Dates:**

Mrs. Grimes & Mrs. Schraer, 5 Day – Thursday, June 10 at 9:00-10:00  
Mrs. Long & Mrs. Di Bona, Pre-K – Thursday, June 10 at 10:30-11:30

### **Summer School Dates:**

June 14-18 and June 21-25  
Summer School is the above listed dates – Mon – Fri from 9:00-1:00  
Bring your lunch in a disposable bag!

*WE ARE PLANNING AN AWESOME SUMMER SCHOOL EXPERIENCE FOR YOUR CHILDREN. SUMMER SCHOOL IS THE 3<sup>rd</sup> AND 4<sup>th</sup> WEEKS OF JUNE, MONDAY - FRIDAY EACH WEEK. COME JOIN THE FUN!*

## **THANK YOU TO.....**

- Thank you to Lindsey Wyman, Merry Gresham and Michele Iniguez for all of their time and efforts in chairing the SENS Scrip Program. Thank you also to all of the families that support the school by purchasing scrip! It is much appreciated!
- Thank you to Lauren Savarese and Sunny Chandrasoma who chaired our Scholastic Virtual Book Fair. Thank you for being creative in order to bring some wonderful books to our children and school this year!
- Thank you to Diana Sala and Caroline Botsford for chairing the SENS fun Easter Egg Hunts. They stuffed over 700 plastic eggs with small goodies for the children, organized Easter bags to be decorated, provided Easter snacks and decorations. The children love this day and their time and enthusiasm is appreciated by all!
- Also, a big thank you to our wonderful Easter Bunny, Phil Bruno, who spent two mornings of his work week to bring happiness and smiles to our children!

**Remember: No peanut butter or nuts are served at school to help protect our children who have severe allergies. This includes "picnic" lunches.**

**Reminder that there should be no hands free cell use in the car pick-up line. Thank you.**

Did you know....the week of April 12 through April 16 is National Week of the Young Child? Let's see how we can ALL make a difference for ALL the young children in our country! Together we can inspire every child!