



Monthly Newsletter

May 2019



Happy Mother's Day! It is also Fiesta time at Serrano Heights Academy as we celebrate Cinco de Mayo. During the Month of May we will be talking about the life cycles of different insects, discussing the importance of Community Helpers and we will also learn about Australia.



Reminder: Picture Day will be on Wednesday, May 22nd & Thursday May 23rd. We will be closed on Monday, May 27th for Memorial Day.



Breakfast with our Lovely Parents!!!
Annual Event -
Friday, May 17th
from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.



May Birthdays

Madelyn	-	May 1
Nolan	-	May 2
Donald	-	May 4
Molly	-	May 4
Shaun	-	May 7
Annika	-	May 13
Donovan	-	May 16



Infants

We welcome Chance to our Infant class! He is going to have lots of fun with his new friends. Kaiya is interacting well with her friends. Owen has taken few steps. Rae is walking with support and having fun with her friends. Annika is still learning to walk around the classroom. As usual we have tummy time, rhymes and songs. All of our children are enjoying and having fun with all their activities! Last but not least, we would like to thank all of our parents for your love and support.



Toddlers

April was full of Spring and Easter art, which the children really enjoyed creating! They also made their own baskets for the Easter Egg Hunt at school. The children were really excited and had a lot of fun searching for those eggs. We want to say Thank You to all the parents who also brought some goodies for the kids' Easter baskets. They couldn't have been happier. During the month the children focused mainly on recognizing and learning how to say Red, Blue, and Yellow and practiced counting to five everyday. They all did a really great job. Finally, we would like to say Congratulations and goodbye to Laila. She is moving on from the Toddler classroom to the Pre-Primary class and she will be missed by all her friends!

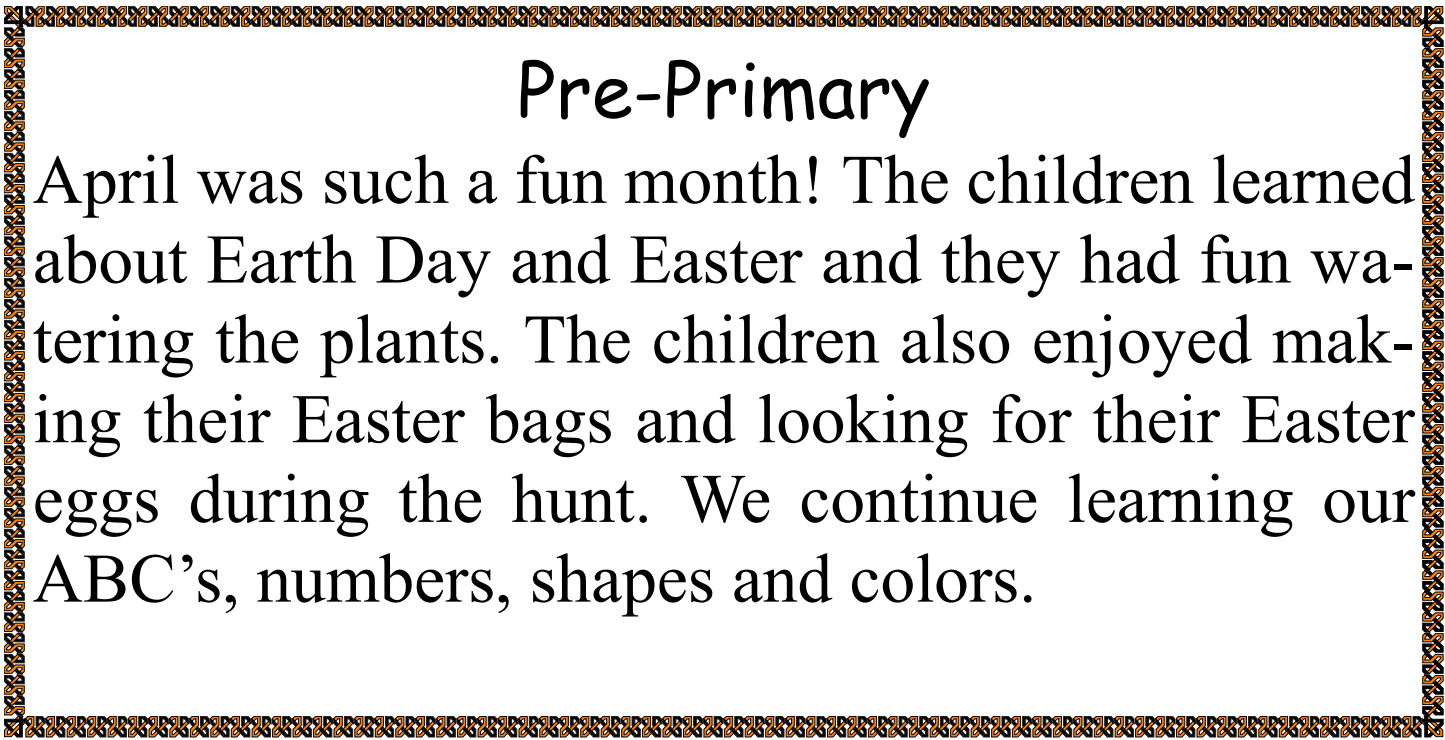


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Primary

During the Month of April we had our Easter Egg Hunt and the kids had so much fun! Our 4 themes during the month were Ocean Animals, Earth Day, Africa and Flowers/Plants. Our Artist of the Month was Pablo Picasso. Everyday we are working on our Math, Phonics, 3 letter words and doing our Circle Time along with our Enrichment Class.



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Our Month of Learning:

Reading - Sight words, Vocabulary words & Simple Sentences; **Author of the Month** - E.B. White

Phonics - Matching words to pictures

Math - Rote counting to 80, Length & Width, & Represent Addition & Subtraction with Fingers, Drawings & Counters

Writing - Neat Print & Journal Sentences

Science - Life Cycles - Frog, Turtle, Butterfly, Chicken, Honey Bee & Plant/Flower

Geography & Artist of the Month - Africa & Henri Matisse

Social Skills - Asking Questions, Following Directions, & Self-Confidence

Themes - Earth Day, Gardening, Spring, Fairy Tales/Fables, & Ocean Animals





Academic Calendar 2018–2019

	Holiday Observed	Important Events
August	17 (F) - Teacher-in-service Day	27 (M) - First Day of Academic School Year
September	3 (M) - Labor Day	
October		12 (F) - Open House 5:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. 31 (W) - Halloween Parade + Pot Luck
November	12 (M) - Veterans Day Observed 22 & 23 (Th & F) - Thanksgiving Holiday	20 (T) - Thanksgiving Lunch
December	24 (M) & 25 (T) - Christmas Holidays	17 (M) - Winter Performance (School closes at 4:00 p.m.) 20 (Th) - Snack Party 31 (M) - School closes at 5:00 p.m.
January	1 (T) - New Year Holiday 21 (M) - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	
February	18 (M) - Presidents' Day	14 (Th) - Valentine's Day Snack Party
March	15 (F) - Teacher-in-service Day	14 (Th) - St. Patrick's Day Snack Party
April	1 (M) & 2 (T) - Spring Break	19 (F) - Easter Egg Hunt
May	27 (M) - Memorial Day	17 (F) - Parents Breakfast - 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
June		21 (F) - Graduation & Summer Performance (School closes at 4:00 p.m.)
July	4 (Th) - Independence Day	3 (W) - Independence Day Parade & Snack Party
August	16 (F) - Teacher-in-service Day	