

## May 2018

		Theme: Animals				
Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
		1	2	3	4 Cinco De Mayo Snack: Chips & Salsa	5
6	<b>7</b> Infants /Toddler Conference 4-530 p	8	9	10	11 Sugar Scrub with mom @10:00	12
13 Happy Mother's Day!	<b>14</b> Firefly Room (Preschool) Conference 4- 530p	15	16 Show & Tell Animals	17	18	19
20 Nursery Rhymes Week	21 Bee Room (Pre-K) Conference 4-530p Mother Goose Visit	22	23	24	25 Closed! Teacher Professional Development Day!	26
27	28 Closed Memorial Day	29	30	31 Nature walk -searching for bugs and animals	1	

Author of the Month: Eric Carle Color of the Month: Brown & Black

Letters of the Month: Qq & Dd

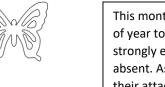
Notes

Numbers of the Month: 16 & 17

Shape of the Month: Square & Star



## May 2018 Newsletter



This month our main focus is teaching children all different kinds of animals. It's that time of year to please check your child cubbies and switch their clothes to spring wear. We strongly encourage for parents to please call the center before 9am if your child will be absent. As safety of children we strongly recommend **no flip flops**, sandals can be worn if their attachment to their ankles. <u>Allergy safety: We no longer can have cupcakes, cookies etc.. that says no peanuts, as it may contain tree nuts, if you would like to bring in something for your child celebration you can bring freeze pops or hoodsie cups ice cream.</u>

Author of the Month: Eric Carle started drawing when he was a little boy and

has asserted that he "will never stop being a scribbler." Born in Syracuse, New York, in 1929, he spent his early childhood in America before moving to Germany at the age of six. Carle learned German and studied at the prestigious Academy of Visual Arts before fulfilling his dream of returning to the U.S. in 1952. After working as a graphic designer and art director of an advertising agency, Carle collaborated with Bill Martin, Jr. on *Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?*, launching his remarkable career as a beloved children's book illustrator. Since then Carle has also written and illustrated many well-known titles such as *The Grouchy Ladybug and The Very Hungry Caterpillar*, which has been translated into more than 30 languages.





- Infant & Toddler Conference May 7<sup>th</sup> from 4-530
- May 11<sup>th</sup> Sugar scrub with mom @ 10:00
- Preschool Conference May 14<sup>th</sup> from 4-530
- Pre- K Conference May 21n<sup>d</sup> 4-530
- Closed May 25<sup>th</sup> Teacher Professional Day
- Memorial Day Closed on 28<sup>th</sup>
- CPR & First Aid is open the parents if you would like to sign up Please let Stephanie or Melissa Know June



## What Are Three Important Components of Parent-Teacher Conferences?

*Overview* The parent-teacher conference often provides your first opportunity to have 15 minutes of uninterrupted time alone with your child's teacher. It may seem brief, but that initial one-on-one meeting may set the stage for the rest of the year. Teachers and parents can use these moments to establish a connection and develop a common goal that focuses on helping your child have the best school experience possible. *Building a Partnership* Parent-teacher conferences can help develop a successful partnership between parents and teachers, an important aspect of your child's academic and social achievement. Expressing your commitment to your child's education, helps clarify your intention to continue as an active member of the team. *Gathering Information* main ingredient of the parent-teacher conference is exchanging information with the teacher about your child's academic progress. This can include everything from how well child does socio-emotional, cognitive, & physical development.