

## Preschool 2 April 2024 Calendar



1<sup>st</sup> Easter Monday Centre Closed

2<sup>nd</sup> Autism Awareness Day

22<sup>nd</sup> Earth Day

3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, & 24<sup>th</sup> Enrichment Learning with Cathy OEY.

This is a simply song we are going to learn this month while we enjoy Spring.

*I Hear Thunder*

*(Possible variation: Sing to “Frere Jacques”)*

I hear thunder, I hear thunder,  
Hark, don't you? Hark, don't you?  
Pitter-patter raindrops,  
Pitter-patter raindrops,  
I'm wet through,  
So are you.

### Skills we will be working on

#### Maths Skills

Determining how much water is needed to help plants grow. (4.19 measuring)

Placing objects, pictures, and things in order along a continuum (4.11 seriating)

### Self Help Skills & Social Skills

Identifying their emotion as well as coping with challenges and disappointments. (2.5 regulating attention & emotions)

Remembering to wash hands after using the washroom or blowing our noses. (4.1 self regulation)

#### Gross & Fine Motor

Galloping with one foot emerging into a skip. (5.2 galloping)

Practice bouncing, catching & kicking a ball. (5.1 increasing level in a game)

#### Pre Reading

Filling in rhyming words in familiar poems, songs, and books. (3.10 phonological awareness)

Making connections between letters and sounds (3.11 letter recognition)

#### Ideas to do at home:

Use egg trays or recycle items to plant flowers or vegetables, we are not only teaching recycling but also how to take care of the earth. In addition, the children will be learning about the important components that plants need to grow.



Please bring extra seasonal clothing for your child including socks, shirt, pants, sweaters, and rainboots.