

APRIL NEWSLETTER
SPECIAL AREA TEACHERS



ART: Happy Spring! Flowers are in bloom in art class. Students will be creating a variety of spring themed projects. Just to name a few... Kindergarten is making dot painted hyacinth flowers. First graders learned about space of a landscape. They are applying it to a composition of Chicks and Eggs. Fifth grade is learning about a type of perspective drawing called Foreshortening. Eighth grade learned about Japanese pottery and will be creating pinch pots (tea cups without handles), inspired by some of the Japanese artworks they've seen.

MUSIC: Students in middle school will begin sampling found objects to tell sound stories on Soundtrap. With April showers in mind, early childhood students will learn how to sing rain songs from around the world. 2nd and 3rd graders will create rain storms and tell other sound stories with a variety of percussive instruments.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION: The students in grades 3-8 are will be continuing to learn about Basketball. Once we finish, we will then move onto our Fitness Unit. Once that is completed, we will then begin our Fitness test. The students in preschool through second grade will continue working on games that promote teamwork, honesty, and respect towards each other.

SPANISH: During the month of April, students in Fifth grade will learn "El tiempo y las estaciones", weather & seasons. Fourth graders will work on "La comida", food. Students in Third grade will learn "Los números" 1-50, they'll practice and write them. Second graders will work on "La casa" & "Cosas de la casa", house & items in the house. Finally, students in First grade will work on "La familia", family.

