



Pride Academy Early Learning Institute Newsletter

Week 2

This Week's Learning Focus

Theme: Spring Surprises | Color: Yellow | Number:
8 | Letter: Gg | Shape: Diamond

- **Language & Literacy:** Students will engage with spring-themed books while practicing letter Gg recognition through tracing, stickers, and interactive storytelling.
- **Mathematics:** They will explore diamond shapes through sorting and matching activities while also learning to count to 8 using movement-based learning.
- **Science:** Children will explore how frogs move and hop like a frog after learning about their life cycle, investigate spring weather changes, and engage in soil and water play to discover how rain helps plants grow.
- **Social Studies:** Students will pretend to garden, learning how farmers and community helpers take care of plants, while also exploring cultural spring celebrations.
- **Creative Arts:** They will create bird nest crafts using textured materials, explore flower stamping, and engage in sensory-based art activities.
- **Physical Health & Growth:** Students will strengthen gross and fine motor skills through jumping, reaching, and grasping activities while also engaging in music, movement, and dance to encourage coordination.

How You Can Support at Home

- Read spring-themed books with your child and talk about seasonal changes.
- Encourage sensory play by letting them explore textures like grass, flowers, and leaves.
- Practice counting by counting objects around the house, like spoons, socks, or toys.
- Look for shapes in the environment, pointing out diamonds in patterns or nature.
- Engage in movement play by jumping like a frog, buzzing like a bee, or pretending to plant flowers.

Hello March

Dear Families,
We're excited to begin Week 2 at Pride Academy! This week, students of all ages will explore seasonal changes as we say goodbye to winter and welcome spring.

Through storytelling, movement, sensory play, and creative activities, they will practice letter recognition, early math skills, and hands-on science exploration.

Infants, toddlers, and preschoolers will engage in age-appropriate activities that promote discovery, creativity, and interactive play while reinforcing key concepts such as letter recognition, counting, shape identification, and movement exploration.

Holidays & Events

- KRI Assessments
- St. Patrick's Day
- Professional Development
- Food Pantry (Every Saturday)
- PAK Enrichment Camp (Spring)
- Pride Ignite College & Career (Spring)

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