

Upcoming Events:

May

29 Memorial Day LCPS
Closed -All GPS Programs
Closed

30-31 Field Day—rain dates

JUNE

1 Field Day—rain date

2 GPS Preschool “Fly-Ups” &
End of Year Parties
(2 day classes)

5-7 GPS Preschool “Fly-Ups” &
End of Year Parties

7 Last Day of School for 3D
Preschool

8 KE End of Year Celebration

9 Kindergarten “Fledgling
Flight” 12:00-2:00pm

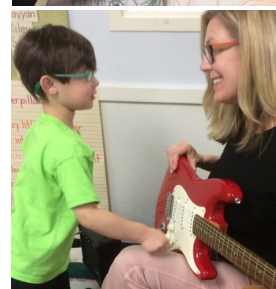
9 Last Day of School for 2D and
5D Preschool/KND/KE/Stay and
Play/Extended School



The Frogs retold *The Very Hungry Caterpillar*. Ashar, Rafa and Cooper matched “caterpillars”. Rayyan, Cooper and Graham put the “caterpillar” in ABC order. The Frogs played Freeze Dance with words from the butterfly lifecycle. Anya and Riley matched the word egg. Tyler measured a caterpillar with Unifix Cubes. JJ sequenced the story of *The Very Hungry Caterpillar*.



JK Bears used art to feel the music while listening to *The Bunny Hop* and discovered they created nests in the process! Then, while listening to Vivaldi’s *Spring*, they added the birds. Emma took a turn ringing the small cowbell. Rafa took a turn strumming Ms. Foster’s electric guitar. Ryan, Sam, Jonathan, and Colin passed various instruments in a *Rhythm Band* song.



The Ducklings took a turn to observe the emerging butterflies in the lobby. The Golden Pond classes were excited to watch the annual butterfly release.

KE Puffins



FALCONS



The Falcons studied inventors and loved learning how bubblegum was invented. Elyse observed homemade gum, and the Falcons enjoyed trying it!

3 Day Bunnies



The Bunnies made the strong brick house for the *Three Little Pigs*. Emily and Scarlett observed the baby chicks that hatched in the Lion's classroom. Elliana looked at herself in the mirror pretending to be one of the *Three Little Pigs*.



The Puffins had a wonderful time finding insects at Rust Sanctuary. Brylie recorded an "ug" family word she found mixed in with a variety of bugs. Yuvi created and labeled his individual ant colony mural. Kayla labeled her diagram with the anatomy of an ant.

Turtles



Sebastian and Sydney created a butterfly lifecycle using various shaped pasta. Wood retold *The Longest Journey* clipping story pictures onto a clothesline. Giulia made a caterpillar out of playdough. Ethan, Madeline, Keeley and Violet sorted beads onto pipe cleaners to make butterfly antennae.

3 Day Bees



Lillian's dad played a bingo style listening game with the Bees. Aaron glued different textures onto construction paper to make a "sense of touch" page for a *Five Senses* book. Mrs. Culfogienis assisted with the butterfly release! Sophie and Stella used their sense of taste to taste sugar.