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Dear Family,

Can you believe we only have 6 VERY BUSY weeks of school left??? Where has all the time gone?

This Thursday is our Zoo field trip. The children all seem excited to go ☺ please remember to wear your tie-dye T-Shirt, bring your water, sunscreen and a blanket for the lawn for lunch.

Our letter study for this week is the letter "Gg" for Gertie Goose.

Along with this newsletter you will receive my instructional plan for our new theme, the new theme song, the new theme vocabulary and tonight's home activity ☺

Home Activities:

Home activity for the week of April 13, 2026

Monday Night Activity: Letter "Gg" search and Practice

Tuesday Night Activity: Baby Days activity

Wednesday Night Activity: Stages of life activity

Thursday Night Activity: Finish Zoo activity book and have it ready for Monday. Students who bring their Zoo activity book in on Monday, and only Monday will receive an extra treasure of their choice.

Friday Night Activity: Have a safe weekend ☺

Looking Ahead

April 16, 2026- Zoo Field trip

April 17, 2026 No School/ Teacher in-service

April 13-May 1, 2026- EFO Go Final assessments

IMPORTANT

A quick note about our upcoming Zoo trip.

Unfortunately, I was contacted by Mr. Chaz Peterson from the ABQ Bio Park. He has informed me that the class on Animal Adaptations that we were scheduled for has been cancelled. No Classes will be offered on the 16th, due to the education staff at the Zoo having to attend a conference. So our plan will now be to meet at the zoo by 9:00am. See exhibits on your own till lunch (11:30) Gather at the lawn for lunch, then continue to see exhibits on your own till you are ready to leave. My Staff and I will be leaving by 2:00pm as we have to get back for an in-service Friday morning.

☺ I'm Growing Every Day! ☺

This week our class will learn about growing and changing. Using the topic "I'm Growing Every Day," we will read stories about growing up. Over the next three weeks we will visit how plants, animals and insects grow and change. You can help your child learn more by talking to them about the things they are doing in school, and the new letters, vocabulary words they are learning. Here are some ways that you can work with your child at home. **Think, Talk & Ask:** What did you read today? What did you learn about growing up today? How have you grown since you were a baby?

☺ Thank You! Muchas Gracias ☺

Thank you to all of our families who very generously donated extra items to our class. This week we want to Thank:

Ms. Samantha Velarde (Anthony) - Outdoor Chalk

Your kindness and generosity is very much appreciated.

Reminders:

If your child is absent, please provide a written or electronic excuse upon their arrival. Thank you ☺

If you arrive later than 8:30 am you will be considered tardy and be required to obtain a tardy slip from Ms. Eufemia at the McCurdy Ministry Office.

Please remember to have your child write their name on their homework, many papers have been tossed and children are not receiving credit, because we cannot identify the owner. Thank you ☺

Please remember we welcome parents and Grandparents that are willing to come in and share an Activity from your family's cultural sheet.

You may also come in and read a story to the children and do a seasonal activity. Just let us know ahead of time so we can make the proper accommodations