



## April

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10	11	12	13	14	15 UTCCC Closed	16
Easter Sunday	18	19	20	21	22	23
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Site Coordinator: Stephanie Blaine				
Infants: Kelly Justet				
Young Toddlers: Ann Mayer, TK Brooks				
Older Toddlers: Amy Blackburn, Ben Malone				
Preschool: Jean Walston				
Prekindergarten: Anna Wright				
Administrative Support Assistant: Doreen				
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<b>Toddler 1</b> : Jameshia Borders			
<b>Toddler 2</b> : Kathy Lindsey			
Preschool 1: Beth Brinn, Ashley Burnette			
<b>Preschool 2</b> : Taylor Winnie, Emily Rollins			
Prekindergarten Downstairs: Jennifer Hunt			
Prekindergarten Upstairs: Shawn Winters			
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Administrative Specialist: Jackie Tate			

# **UTCCC** at Battle Academy

#### **Coordinator's Corner**

#### **Read Across America Bulletin Board Decorating Contest**

This year our classrooms competed in a bulletin board decorating contest to celebrate Read Across America Week. Congratulations to Pre-K on winning the bulletin board decorating contest.

#### **Smile:**) You are on camera

In mid-March, cameras were installed at the Children's Center (one camera in every classroom, on the playground, in the hall, and at the front door). These cameras are only accessible for administration and record full audio and video.

#### **Tax Documents**

Tax documents are available at MyProcare.com. Go to <a href="https://www.myprocare.com/">https://www.myprocare.com/</a> and enter the email address provided and you'll be able to print tax documents, etc.

#### Teacher Appreciation Week: May 2nd-6th

Teacher Appreciation Week is May 2-6, 2022. I am happy to orchestrate celebrations for our teachers and/or share email addresses for the children in the class so parents can communicate. Please, contact me if there is anything I can do to help.

#### Reminders... Please,

Make sure that we always have your child(ren)'s most current Certificate of Immunization and date of Health Examination.

Notify Ms. Doreen if your family has a change of address or contact information.

#### **Happy Birthday**

4-13: Luke Boozer 4-17: Emmie Wayman 4-21: Reece Graham

4-22: Christian Butcher 4-23: Ms. Ann 4-25: Rowan Kelly

4-29: Ella White

#### **Mark Your Calendars**

Friday, April 15: Spring Holiday— UTC CC Closed May 2-6: Teacher Appreciation Week

Have an amazing April!

-Stephanie

4-23. Rowall Kelly

"You will either step forward into growth, or you will step backward into safety." -Abraham Maslow

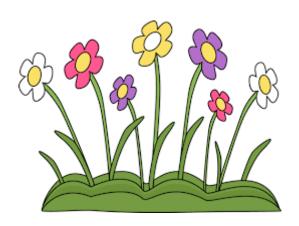


### **Infants**

Dear families,

I hope everyone had a marvelous month of March! Happy Spring! Last month, we looked at all the different kinds of weather. We also celebrated Charlie and Sam's first birthday in March! Happy Birthday, boys! And we said our goodbyes as they are moving up to YT. Have fun in YT, boys; we'll miss you!

Our unit for April will be all about Springtime. We'll be focusing on flowers, bugs, bunnies, and clothing. Hopefully, with the nice weather coming our way we can have some Spring picnics outside. We have an April birthday to celebrate on the 21st. Happy Birthday, Reece! Please remember that the Center will be closed on April 15th due to the Spring holiday.



As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me. I hope everyone has an amazing April! Thank you!

-Ms. Kelly

## **Young Toddlers**

Dear Parents,

We had fun learning about wind and kites in March, and we are on to learning about growing things this month. We will be having lessons in digging, parts of plants, what plants need to grow, planting seeds and plants, and many other plant and gardening related topics. Keep a look out for ProCare messages with items we could use to enhance this month's lessons.

We will be saying goodbye to Walter, Arthur, and Emmie as they move up to OT. We are also welcoming Sam, Charlie, and Jack and their families as they move up from Infants and come from the community!

It will be a busy month in YT!!

Ms. Ann and Mr. TK



#### **Older Toddlers**

Thank you, parents, for your help with our color unit last month. The children enjoyed tasting all the different colored fruits and vegetables and they loved show and tell!



Thank you for your support, Ms. Amy and Mr. Ben

For the month of April, we will be discussing Spring. The Older Toddlers will explore the changing outdoor environment. Weather permitting, we will take walks to observe the changes in weather and the changes in nature, especially the changing trees. On warm rainy days we hope to be able to play out in the rain and mud (we will give you advance notice so you can bring rain gear). The Older Toddlers will also be learning about different animals (birds, rabbits, chicks) that we see in Spring. They will also have a chance to plant their own flower seeds and watch them grow.

## **Preschool**



Dear Parents, Happy Spring!!

Preschool has had fun celebrating Dr. Suess and St Patrick's Day during the month of March. We have also been busy making bird feeders, flying kites, and blowing bubbles. Preschool has enjoyed eating snack outside and going on nature walks to look for signs of Spring.

For the month of April, we will be learning about the following:

Weather

Caterpillars and butterflies Earth day

Flowers and gardening

We also had a great turn-out for the parent teacher conferences. Thank you all for meeting with me.

As always, I appreciate your support!

Ms. Jean

## **Prekindergarten**

Dear Families,

We had so much fun in March! We danced, learned about dinosaurs, took pictures, made fossils, read together, drew and labelled pictures, made inventions, wrote books, dissected flowers, and more!

We'll be having Parent-Teacher Conferences this month, so keep an eye out for a message about that. Thank you all!
-Anna



# UTCCC at Brown Academy

## **Coordinators Corner**

Hey parents, just wanted to give you a couple of reminders:

- The UTC Children's Center will be closed on April 15<sup>th</sup> for Spring Holiday
- Teacher appreciation week is coming up in May 2<sup>nd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>, lets show our teachers some love for all their hard work!
- Cameras have been installed in the classrooms, playground, and at the front door; they are accessible by administration only.

#### **Infants**



This has been a busy March! We have learned about Eric Carle, Spring, and colors! We will be learning more about Spring, shapes, and insects! Hopefully we will have a chance to plant some seeds and take some extra walks! I also want to say Happy First Birthday to Edith and Cordelia!

We will be having parent-teacher conferences this month!

Thanks! Katie

## **Toddler 1**



Hello Toddler One Family!!

March was a fun month, celebrating Dr. Seuss week, St. Patrick's Day, and enjoying the weather.

During the Month of April, we shall talk about Spring, bugs, flowers, and gardening. Thank You to all the parents who signed up for parent-teacher conferences.

Please remember that the UTC Children's Center will be closed on April 15th- Spring Holiday

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to ask.

#### **April 23-Happy Birthday, Robin!**

Thank You!

Ms. Jameshia



## **Toddler 2**

Hello Parents, April showers bring in May flowers. The cold weather should be behind us now. We are so excited about the upcoming season. Spring has finally arrived!

We enjoyed our lesson themes from last month. Now it's time to move on to our themes for April.

- 1. Gardening
- 2. Caterpillars and butterflies
- 3. Insects
- 4. Fruit and Vegetables





Ruby Hewitt- 4/25

Also make sure to have weather appropriate outfits in your child's bag. Please let me know if you have any questions, or if I can assist you in any way.

Thank you,

Ms. Kathy



## **Preschool 1**

Dear Preschool One Parents,

Happy April! March seemed to come and go quickly. We had a lot of fun in March celebrating Read Across America Week and learning all about colors and Spring. We were also able to get outside more to go on walks and enjoy the warm, spring weather!

In April, we have a lot of new things to learn about! We will be learning about gardening and flowers, Earth Day, and bugs this month! As the weather is changing, we will be enjoying more outside time, so please bring weather appropriate clothes, as well as a change of extra clothes, for your child!

Reminder: The center will be closed on **Friday April 15**<sup>th</sup> for a Spring holiday.

If you have any questions, please let us know!

-Ms. Beth and Ms. Ashley



#### **Preschool 2**

We had a blast in Preschool 2 during the month of March! We started it off with "Read Across America Week" and read some super silly Dr. Suess books! We also learned about flowers and how they grow, all things dinosaurs, and the five senses! We are looking forward to learning about creepy, crawly bugs and all things Spring during the month of April!

Ms. Taylor and Ms. Emily



## **Prekindergarten Downstairs and Upstairs**

Dear Pre-K Parents,

April looks like it is going to be an exciting month! This month, we will be learning about Spring, plants, Beatrix Potter, and bugs. We have a lot of fun activities planned! Focusing on these topics provides us with fun science and literacy concepts to explore.





We will have one new friend joining us this month! Isaac will be joining our class in April. Please help us to make him feel welcome.

We wanted to remind everyone that we will be closed on **Friday, April 15**<sup>th</sup> for the Spring holiday. Remember that, in the event of inclement weather, we close with UTC, not Hamilton County.

As always, if you have questions or concerns about anything happening in the classroom, please let one of us know.

Thank you,

Ms. Jennifer and Ms. Shawn

# Administrative Specialist

#### Parents:

If you have not yet registered/re-registered on our ProCare system to check your child/children in and out please see Jackie, Regis or Cindy.

Also, as you are now able to come into the Center and drop off and pick up please do not forget that you need to sign in and/or out your child/children!

Thank you! Ms. Jackie