



# The Apple Tree Times

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## Going on NOW..... (Watch for details)

**March 15, 2019**  
Early Release Day for Students

**March 25<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup>, 2019**  
Scholastic Book Fair

**March 27, 2019**  
Picture Day

## Upcoming Events.....

**April 1<sup>st</sup> -5<sup>th</sup>, 2019**  
**Spring Break**  
Camp will be offered

### From the Director's Desk...

Welcome Spring,

We are marching right into literacy madness!!! We kicked it off with school spirit week as we celebrated Dr. Seuss. We Will continue with fun events planned for families throughout the month.

Hooray, Scholastic book fair returns!!! Parents continue to build your at home library for your little ones. Reading is so much fun!!!

~Aischa Paul~

### Important Announcement

**Extra Clothes...**Parents please check your child's cubby to ensure they have a change of clothing appropriate for the weather.  
**Sick Policy...**Children sent home with a fever may not return until they have been **FEVER FREE WITH DOCTORS NOTE**. They may **NOT** return the next day without one. This ensures the health of other children and staff. Each classroom is disinfected and sanitized as well as the toys and equipment each day. Hand washing takes place all throughout the day. We do all we can at Apple Tree Prep to prevent illness but we need your help.

### March Birthday's



**Journey Barnes 3/4/19**

**Braylen McDaniel 3/8/19**

**Jayce Davis 3/8/2019**

**Reyal Oginni 3/17/2019**

**Eli' Jah Whitfield 3/20/2019**

**Matthew Brown 3/27/19**

**Lincoln Muldoon 3/31/19**

**Micah Zeller 3/31/19**

#### Welcome New Student

**Kinsley Norwood  
Seedlings**

**Malachi McClendon  
Yellow Apples**

**Journey Barnes  
Ishmael Fisher  
Golden Apples**

**Harmony Hill  
4 & 5 After School**

**Aiden Terrell  
Alexa-Rea Thompson  
Romelo Shepard  
Full Bloomers**

#### Welcome New Staff

**Lena Jarrett  
Seedlings Teacher**

Where Quality Blooms from the Roots Up"

## Classroom News

### Monthly Themes

- Week 1: Dr. Seuss Week**  
**Week 2: Nursery Rhymes**  
**Week 3: Our Favorite Books**  
**Week 4: Eric Carle**

### Seedlings

Ms. Lena will read Green Eggs & Ham to your little ones several times throughout the day for the week of 3/4/19. Since they enjoy this book so much, and with some of our seedlings transitioning to solid foods, Lets have some fun!! **Home Connection:** Parents take a picture of your child trying a new food/baby food (Must be Green Color Food) print the picture and describe his or her reaction. **Due 3/13/ 2019.**

### Lil Buds

Our Little Bud's class will be read a variety of nursery rhymes for the week of 3/11/19. One of our favorite nursery rhymes; read daily is Twinkle Twinkle Little Star. **Home Connection:** Parents please assist your child in making a collage of stars (Parents cut out kids glue down). **Due 3/20/19.**

### Blossoms

Our Blooming Blossoms will be read a variety of book during the month of March; but our favorite week is week 3; we will be reading some of our favorite books. . **Home Connection:** Parents please assist your child with making a character from your child's favorite book using a brown paper bag (supplied by teacher) and material found at home. **Due 3/20/19**

### Yellow Apples

Yellow Apples will engage themselves in the world of literacy for the month of March. During week 2 yellow apples will be read a variety of Nursery Rhymes, with special emphasis on our favorite old McDonald. **Home Connection:** Parents please assist your child with creating a collage from any nursery rhyme. **Due 3/20/19.**

### Golden Apples

For the month of March our Golden Apples will begin their leap into literacy exploring in week 1: Dr. Seuss, Week **Home Connection:** Parents please assist your child in making a Dr. Seuss hat out of materials found around the house. **Due 3/13/19.**

### Get out and Play

It's been a long hard winter for much of the country, but (knock on wood) spring finally appears to be here to stay. Take advantage of the sunshine and warmer weather and embrace this opportunity to get your whole family out of the house. These outdoor games and activities are perfect to enjoy together.

- **Blow bubbles.** Let one family member blow, while the others race to try to "catch" the bubbles as they fly away.
- **Start a garden.** The ground has thawed and the time to start planting is now. Kids can pick up rocks, plant seeds, fetch water and, of course, enjoy tasting the fruits and vegetables that result.
- **Read a book.** You don't need to be indoors to enjoy a great story.

### Parent Reminders

Please remember to check your child in/out daily.

- Please make sure your child has everything they need for the day (i.e. wipes, diapers, change of clothes, Jackets & Winter attire (hats, Scarves, Glove)
- **Tuition is due every Friday** for the upcoming week. Payments are also accepted on Monday until end of business day.
- Accounts will be charged a **\$50 late fee on Tuesday.**
- You can always pay online or over the phone in the event you cannot make it into the facility.

## Try This At Home.....

### Dr. Seuss Week

**Materials:** Paper Plate, Red & Blue Paint, Glue or Tape, Popsicle stick, googly eye (optional)

### Directions:

In honor of Dr. Seuss week

Step 1: Take one white paper plate and color it red, then take another and color it blue.

Step 2: Cut out a 2 inch triangle from the side of the plate.

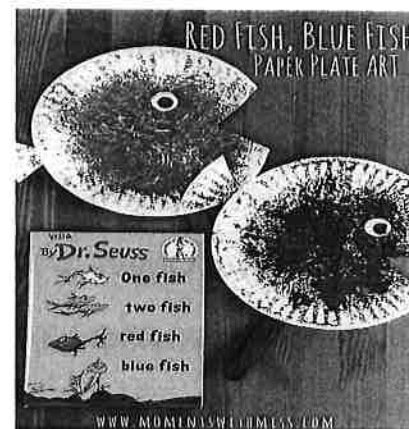
Step 3: Glue triangle you just cut out to back of plate for the tail.

Step 4: Draw or attach a googly eye

Step 5: Attach a Popsicle to the bottom make play easier

Step 6: Enjoy!!!

Now, you have One fish, Two Fish, a Red Fish, and a Blue Fish!!!





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## Pre-Kindergarten Classroom Newsletter

### Theme Content

This month, children will learn about:

- **Week 1:** Nursery Rhymes
- **Week 2:** Rhyming
- **Week 3:** Students Favorite Books
- **Week 4:** Opposites

### This Month's Birthdays



#### Students

3<sup>rd</sup> Mario Latimore  
 6<sup>th</sup> Na'ilah Shakoor  
 25<sup>th</sup> Dominique Scott-Releford  
 27<sup>th</sup> Tahj Newberry  
 29<sup>th</sup> Javeion Russell-Williams

### Calling All Parents!!!

#### Ways You Can Help This Month

Details on ways your family can get involved this month will be communicated soon. Please see your child's teacher for more information.

**Thanks, Pre-K Team**

### Current and Upcoming Events

#### Current

March 15<sup>th</sup> Teacher Workday  
 March 25<sup>th</sup>- 29<sup>th</sup> Book Fair  
 March 27<sup>th</sup> Picture Day

#### Upcoming

April 1<sup>st</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> Spring Break

### Home Connection

#### Project (Due March 14<sup>th</sup>)

*This month we are discussing Nursery Rhymes. At home with your child create a collage or picture that represents a nursery rhyme. Examples are on the back, but you are welcomed to be as creative as you would like.*

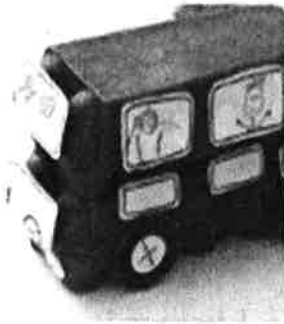
*Projects are due on Thursday, March 14, 2019.*

### Reminders to Parents and Students

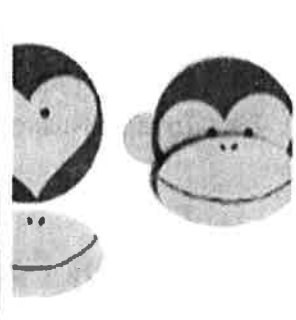


Your child will need the following items each week:

1. Sweater (If he/she gets cold easily)
2. Change of clothing (Spring Attire)
3. Clear Backpack
4. Uniforms



# 40 NURSERY RHYME CRAFTS





# APPLE TREE PREP TUITION RATE SHEET

CLASSROOM	AGES	FULL TIME RATE	2 DAY RATE	3 DAY RATE
SEEDLING	6wks.-7/9 months	160	84	126
SPROUTS	7/9-14 months	160	84	126
LITTLE BUDS	15-21 months	150	80	120
BLOSSOMS	22-28 months	150	80	120
YELLOW APPLE	29-39 months	140	76	114
RED APPLE	36-45 months	140	76	114
GOLDEN APPLE	45-59 months	140	76	114
PRE-K	AGES	FULL TIME RATE	2 DAY RATE	3 DAY RATE
PRE-K 1	4 BY Sept.1			
PRE-K 2	4 BY Sept.1			
Pre – K Extended B/S	4 and 5 Years	20		
Pre – K Extended A/S	4 and 5 Years	60 (15 One Day)		
Pre – K Extended B/A	4 and 5 Years	80		
SCHOOL-AGERS	AGES	FULL TIME RATE	2 DAY RATE	3 DAY RATE
FULL BLOOMERS B/S	K-5 <sup>th</sup>	20		
FULL BLOOMERS A/S	K-5 <sup>TH</sup>	60		
FULL BLOOMERS B/A	K-5 <sup>th</sup>	80		
Camp Apple Tree	FULL WEEK	135	74	111
Camp Apple Tree	SCHOOL HOILDAY	37 (One Day)		
Camp Apple Tree	EARLY RELEASE	\$8/DAYS		

OTHER FEES	WHEN DUE	AMOUNT
Annual Supply Fee/Registration AS/FT	Due by Sept. 1 (Annual Supply Fee) Registration Due During Enrollment	50/25/50 50
Return Check Charge	Any NSF Checks	35
Late Payment Fee	Applied on Tuesday	50
Late Pick Up Fee	\$1 Every min per child	\$1/min.
Credit Card fee	Payments	2%

### Part Time Guidelines

To ensure classrooms are adequately staffed, the following guidelines are set for part time children:

1. As spaces fill in the classroom, part time parents will have the option to switch to full time before giving up their space
2. In order to provide adequate staffing, the days for part time must be consistent each week and may not fluctuate
3. Tuition Should be Paid on the last day of the week the child attends for the next week tuition

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