



April Showers Bring May Flowers

ROAR!!! We had a blast in the Bud room throughout March learning all about Dinosaurs. One of the kids' favorite books was *Dinosaur Underpants*, but we also really appreciated the lessons we learned from the *Dinofour* books!

Throughout the month, we got to play with dinosaurs and eggs with different materials in the sensory bin. We had foam, kinetic sand, floof and even soil! We dressed up in the home center and did dinosaur puppet shows. Finally, we got to make some really fun art with Miss Amy!

We also learned a lot this month! One thing that we talked about in the Bud room was the difference between fiction and nonfiction books! The Buds came up with their own words "real" and "pretend" books. We talked about facts and things that are just silly and for fun. We got to learn about the difference between Herbivore and Carnivores and finally had a fun activity at circle where we spun the wheel and acted out the dinosaur movement.

Next month we will be testing how good our green thumbs are! We are hoping April doesn't bring too many showers, so we can get back outside and play without all of the extra snow clothes!

We will also learn about different types of weather, the stages of a flower and what it needs to grow. We will explore what you might find in a garden, we are hoping we might find some BUGS!! We can't wait to get our hands a little dirty and have a lot of fun.

On a more housekeeping note, the snow clothes, gloves and hats included could really use a wash! When our snow turned into mud so did our snow clothes! We hope that the sun starts to shine and we won't need them for too much longer, but you never know when we will get that last dump!

We look forward to meeting with all of you during conferences this month. Please be sure that you read through the observations and get signed up!

Miss Kendra and Miss Amy

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In the Garden



Notes:

This month's book:

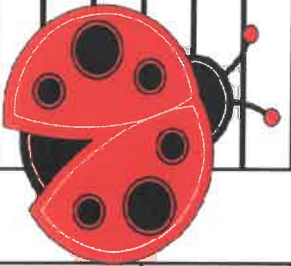
The Very Hungry Caterpillar

This month's songs:

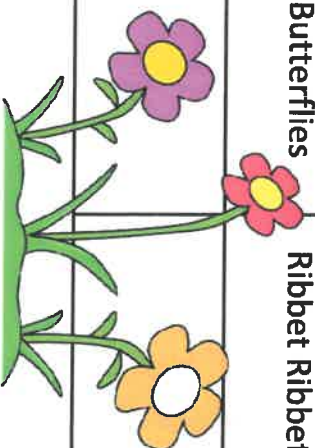
Five little flowers

April Showers

Spring Song



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	April showers	2 Paper plate umbrella	3 Tissue paper raindrops	4 Sunshine	5 Rainbow chains
8	Tissue paper flowers	9 Name garden	10 Paper plate flowers	11 leaf rubbing	12 Trim the flowers
15	Fork Flowers	16 Mosaic flowers	17 Plant the seeds	18 Flower stamping	19 Hand print flowers
22	The very hungry caterpillar	23 Lady bugs	24 Grasshopper footprints	25 Butterflies	26 Ribbet Ribbet
29	Bubble wrap bee hive	30 Tissue paper bees			



Buds