



St. Albert Public  
Preschool

# How We Grow

PLANTING SEEDS OF KNOWLEDGE THAT LAST A LIFETIME

## April 2022

### CONTACT INFO

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### IMPORTANT DATES

April 6th Staff meeting (no school)

April 14th Easter Celebration

April 15th Good Friday (no school)

April 19th PD Day (no school)

April 28th PJ Movie Day

### March News

Another month has flown by and it seems spring is finally on the horizon! We are looking forward to getting the kiddos outside in the park over the next few months so please make sure they are dressed for the weather. Last month the children were learning about transportation and reviewing some of our favorite stories such as Pete the Cat. The children enjoyed racing cars and building different types of ramps for the vehicles to use. We explored books about space and vehicles that move in space and on the moon. We talked about vehicles in the sky, on and land and in the water. Next month we will be exploring Easter, bunnies and spring.

### **Illness Policy:**

Thank you once again to all parents for continuing to screen your children, keeping them home when they are sick and getting your child tested. This is our best defence to keep our students and staff healthy and preventing a COVID outbreak in our classroom. I really appreciate all your support in keeping our classroom a safe and healthy place to learn this year.

### **Updated Screening Tool Link:**

<https://www.alberta.ca/assets/documents/edc-covid-19-screening-questionnaire-english.pdf>

### **Easter Celebration:**



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We will be celebrating Easter on Thursday April 14<sup>th</sup>. We will have a special egg hunt and be involved in lots of fun Easter activities. Feel free to send the children in their Easter best!

## PJ Movie Day:



On April 28<sup>th</sup> we will be having another PJ movie day. We encourage your kiddos to wear their PJ's to school. We will watch a short movie and have some yummy snacks.

## Book Orders:



Here is the link to the April Scholastic book order Flyer:

[https://classroomessentials.scholastic.ca/s/cec-ca/en/digital-catalogues?eml=CRC/e/20210401/////APR DIGI\\_TEACHERS\\_31026///crc/////&ET\\_CID=20210401\\_CRC\\_T1\\_DigiFlyer\\_CRC\\_ENG\\_RET\\_31026&ET\\_RID=629273623](https://classroomessentials.scholastic.ca/s/cec-ca/en/digital-catalogues?eml=CRC/e/20210401/////APR DIGI_TEACHERS_31026///crc/////&ET_CID=20210401_CRC_T1_DigiFlyer_CRC_ENG_RET_31026&ET_RID=629273623)

Please note this program is entirely optional if you do choose to order our classroom code is:

**RC183453**

## Preschool Website:

For preschool information including classroom newsletters, calendars,

upcoming events and parent resources please visit our preschool website at <http://preschool.spschools.org>.

## Try this at home

### Counting

-Count with your child when they are playing with toys, coloring and reading. The more you count, the more likely they will count with you.

-Introduce counting by saying "1,2,3 go!" before they go down the slide at the playground or before they kick a ball.

-Count the stairs as you go up and down.

-Count the spoons when you set the table.

### Books

-Bear Counts by Karma Wilson

-Ten Black Dots by Donald Crews

-Chicka Chicka 1,2,3 by Bill Martin Jr

-Over in the Meadow by Jan Thornhill

## Reminders

If you have any questions or concerns at any time please feel free to contact me.

Gillian Demery ☺

