






# March Newsletter

## Junior Kindergarten Two B



Subject		CEFA Curriculum Learning Objectives (CEFA games and activities)	
<b>Reading</b>  	<b>Letters of the month:</b> <b>S, T, U</b>	<b>Auditory perception:</b>	<b>Listening to a sentence and recognizing the sound of the given letter.</b>
		<b>Reading comprehension:</b>	<b>Alpha Tales – visiting and learning about each letter. Read and re-tell stories</b>
		<b>Visual perception:</b>	<b>Learning to spot out letters. (treasure hunt to find ‘M’ on a map)</b>
		<b>Imagination and creativity:</b>	<b>Choosing a scene from the letter of the week book and re-enacting with a friend.</b>
<b>Writing</b>  	<b>One-on-One Sensorial / Worksheets:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Curves</li> <li>• First name (letter by letter)</li> <li>• Letters of the month: <b>S, T, U</b></li> </ul>	<b>Fine motor games:</b>	<b>Weaving and sewing letters corresponding to the letter of the week</b>
		<b>Eye hand coordination:</b>	<b>Learning to use scissors and cutting on the lines</b>
		<b>Craft projects:1</b>	<b>Crafts of the letters</b>
		<b>Drawing and colouring:</b>	<b>Describing a scene and having child draw what they read</b>
<b>Math</b>  	<b>Number of the month: 0 TO 20</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Counting</li> <li>• Computing</li> <li>• Number order</li> <li>• Number recognition</li> </ul>	<b>Reasoning</b>	<b>Learning about patterns.</b>
		<b>Colors and shapes</b>	<b>Learning different colors and shape of national flags.</b>
		<b>Measurement</b>	<b>Learning to measure</b>
		<b>Estimation and Arithmetic:</b>	<b>How many rectangle blocks does it take to make a 3ft tower? (Guess and build)</b>
	<b>Topic:</b> <b>MY Body</b> 	<b>Learning to hypothesize and reason:</b>	<b>Body parts, the senses, germs and health, and more!</b>



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### This month's STEM challenge:



Wind Powered Boats

### Monthly update from the Teachers:

#### Socials:

This month, we will be thinking about relationships at school and within our peer groups; **“These are My Friends!”** is our socials focus for the month of March. We'll learn what it means to be a good friend and what a friendship defines, generally.

#### I Can Read Program:

To expose the children to more books and frequency in reading we challenge each family to 200 nights of reading! You can choose to read a story to your child or they can read one to you.

Every time 50 nights is completed; your child will return their book to their teachers and get to select a prize. If you are needing a booklet, please ask Ms. Tara or Ms. Sharon

#### Uniforms

Please remember uniforms are mandatory daily, all children must be wearing the following items every day, **their Cefa shirt, dress/pants/shorts and have a Cefa jacket** as well (it's **OKAY** for the children to wear a **store bought winter coat** to school as long as they have their cefa rain jacket, cefa rain pants and rain boots, in their cubbies) Please Label everything that comes to school,  
Thank you!

#### Contributing to our Classroom!

**Plastic bottles with the lids, bottle caps, corks– we will use for art, writing or STEM materials.**

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### Special Events Information:

**Friday March 13<sup>th</sup>** Last day of classes before our Spring Break holidays.  Please clean out everything from your child's cubby. Thank you!

**March 17<sup>th</sup>** – St. Patrick's Day celebration.

**March 16<sup>th</sup>–20<sup>nd</sup>**– Spring Break, School closed!



**Monday March 23<sup>rd</sup>** School re-opens after Spring Break (Welcome back everyone we hope you all had a great restful holiday!!)

**March 31<sup>th</sup>** – CEFA Fun Day! Crazy hair day.

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