March
BECC 2024

Themes And Activities

We had a great time kicking off our Farm to Table Project-Based Unit. We went to the Kent State Geauga Campus greenhouse and planted a variety of seeds. This month, we will continue to explore plants, seeds, foods from around the world, and menu plan a special meal to make with our crops.

Other Themes will be robots, Spring, rainbows, St. Patrick’s Day, and light reflection exploration.

Important Dates:

- **March 18th**- Wear Green Day
- **March 21st**- Robot Day. Special Jr. High visitors will come to teach us how to use new STEM robot games that are designed to teach early coding.
- **March 22nd**- Closed for Easter
- **April 15th**- Conferences- Ms. Beth will contact parents to arrange a conference.

Announcements

We will continue to share progress via the Dojo App portfolio feature. We will be working on the following goals this month:

- Counting groups of objects up to 15 and reciting in order numbers to 30
- Identifying numerals 1-10
- Instantly recognizing small groups of items (1 to 4) immediately without having to count each item
- Using a 3 finger pencil grasp when writing and drawing while using a dominant hand to manipulate writing and drawing tools efficiently
- Identifying two words as rhyming or NOT rhyming
- Identifying initial sounds in words
- Blending and segmenting syllables in words
- Identifying capital/lowercase letters a-u
- Moving finger left to right as an adult reads
- Recognizing emotions in self and others responding to distressed peers in positive ways