



## **Lion class newsletter**

### **April 2020**

Dear parents,

Lion class students are very busy getting their workbooks completed and checked. They are all becoming very familiar with the alphabet and learning to recite and write each letter. Some kids are faster at learning than others, but they are all eager to answer my questions and show me the right way to read and write. The second drama play is coming up in May, so they are learning a few new songs that they enjoy singing. Hopefully every child will bravely go on stage and sing their hearts out.

Teacher Joseph

#### Reading

Reading and reviewing these short stories is fun for young children. As they listen to and learn to recite these interesting stories, which are read in a fun and animated way, they build a desire to participate and learn to read rather quickly. Below is a list of the books we will read in April.

April 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>: Work and Play

April 13<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>: Water Everywhere

April 20<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>: Car Wash Kid

April 27<sup>th</sup>-May 1<sup>st</sup>: Old Mo

#### Phonics

These books offer a fun and interesting way for young English learners to quickly recognize the sounds of the alphabet. The exercises and activities in this book instill the basics in English phonetics. Now

that Lion class students can focus for longer periods of time, I can give them group lessons in this book.

April 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>: P. 114-115, Sound to Symbol, Kk

April 13<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>: P. 116-117, Sound to Symbol, Jj

April 20<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>: P. 118-119, Sound to Symbol, Review

April 27<sup>th</sup>-May 1<sup>st</sup>: 120-121, Phonetic Awareness

### Core Material

These books offer fun stories related to everyday life, and introduce words that children pick up on easily and rely on using daily. Lion class is opening these books very often and they have become very familiar with them.

April 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>: Unit 5, week 3, Growing Tall

April 13<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>: Unit 5, week 3, Ed and Ned

April 20<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>: Unit 5, week 3, Pronouns

April 27<sup>th</sup>-May 1<sup>st</sup>: Unit 5, week 3, Farm Fresh

### Conversation

This book is great conversation starter! Beginning with basic questions, this book initiates participation in basic English dialogue, introducing essential vocabulary. This book is widely used in primary school education. This book gets them used to speaking in complete sentences, not just using one or two word replies to questions.

April 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>: Unit 25, Adjectives

April 13<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>: Unit 26, More adjectives

April 20<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>: Unit 27, My/Your

April 27<sup>th</sup>-May 1<sup>st</sup>: Prepare for Drama play

### Songs and movement

This is our morning stretch and sing time. It's very important to start the day with upbeat music, big smiles and movement. Listed below are the songs your child will enjoy, and sing often. Along with the scheduled songs, they learn many others, which they will sing in their upcoming drama play..

April 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>: This is the way we take a bath

April 13<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>: This is the way we take a bath

April 20<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>: London Bridge

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### Math

MPM is a great way to introduce counting and shape recognition to young English learners. The images, and colors in the books and on the posters and puzzles generate instant interest, and Lion class students are still excited when it's time for MPM.

April 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>: WB 3, P.01-5, Counting objects

April 13<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>: WB 3, P.06-10, Spatial Description

April 20<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>: WB 3, P.11-14, Spatial Description/ set theory

April 27<sup>th</sup>-May 1<sup>st</sup>: Review

#### Thematic Activity

Lion class will enjoy the weekly arts and crafts activity of the thematic lesson. They will love to think independently and create their own style of what the main theme of the week's subject matter is. The time they spend doing these activities seems essential to personal growth in their young lives.

April 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>: Easter fun activities

April 13<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>: France

April 20<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>: France

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#### Physical Education

Getting outside to run and play is so important for everyone, not just kids. The enthusiasm Lion class has for outside activity is amazing. Staying active is what keeps us positive and healthy. And as their strength and endurance builds, the more positive and healthy they become.

April 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>: Running, jumping races

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April 20<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>: Running, rolling races

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親愛的家長，您好

獅子班的學生非常忙於完成並檢查作業簿。他們都對字母變得非常熟悉，並學會背誦和寫每個字母。有些孩子的學習速度比其他孩子快，但他們都渴望回答我的問題，並向我展示正確的讀寫方法。第二部話劇將於 5 月上映，因此他們正在學習一些自己喜歡唱歌的新歌。希望每個孩子都能勇敢地登台獻唱。

Teacher Joseph

#### Reading

閱讀和復習這些短篇小說對年幼的孩子很有趣。當他們聆聽並學習背誦這些有趣的故事時，他們會以有趣和生動的方式閱讀它們，因此他們渴望參與並學會快速閱讀。以下是我們將在四月份閱讀的書籍清單。

4 月 6 日至 10 日：Work and Play

4 月 13 日至 17 日：Water Everywhere

4 月 20 日至 24 日：Car Wash Kid

4 月 27 日-5 月 1 日：Old Mo

#### Phonics

這些書為年輕的英語學習者提供了一種有趣而有趣的方式，可以快速識別字母的聲音。本書中的練習和活動灌輸了英語語音的基礎知識。現在，獅子班的學生可以集中精力更長的時間，因此我可以在本書中為他們提供小組課程。

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#### Core Material

這些書提供了與日常生活相關的有趣故事，並介紹了孩子們容易掌握並依靠日常使用的單詞。獅子班經常閱讀這些書，他們對它們已經非常熟悉。

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#### Conversation

這本書是很棒的對話入門者！從基本問題開始，這本書開始參與基本的英語對話，介紹基本詞彙。本書廣泛用於小學教育。這本書讓他們習慣於用完整的句子說話，而不僅僅是使用一兩個單詞回答問題。

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#### Songs and Movement

這是我們早晨的舒展和唱歌時間。以歡樂的音樂，燦爛的笑容和動感開始新的一天非常重要。下面列出的是您的孩子喜歡並經常唱歌的歌曲。除了預定的歌曲，他們還學習了許多其他歌曲，他們將在即將上演的戲劇中唱歌。

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#### Math

MPM 是一個很好的方法向年輕的英語學習者介紹計數和形狀識別的好方法。書本上，海報上和拼圖上的圖像，顏色會立即引起人們的興趣，而獅子班的學生在參加 MPM 時仍然感到興奮。

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#### Thematic Activity

獅子班的孩子們很喜歡每個星期的主題活動。他們很喜歡獨立去完成和使用創作力去完成每週的作品。這些活動對他們的成長是很有幫助的。

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#### Physical Education

出去跑步和娛樂對每個人都非常重要，而不僅僅是孩子。獅子班對戶外活動的熱情令人讚嘆。保持活躍是使我們保持積極健康的基礎。隨著力量和耐力的增強，他們變得更加積極和健康。

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