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ECE 4's Bradley International School Newsletter Spring 2020

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Classroom Curriculum

- **Literacy (Reading and Writing):** Many students can now write their first and last names and are working on practicing the letters of the alphabet as they work their way through handwriting alphabet books.
- **Math:** Students are exploring counting and numbers through books as part of our IB unit. We will continue to work on recognizing numerals to 20, 1:1 correspondence to 20, and learning and using ordinal numbers (1st, 2nd, 3rd...).
- **Social Studies/Science:** We recently kicked off our new unit, "How We Express Ourselves." Students have also started to create their own books. Students know that they can be authors and illustrators! We are talking and reading about many different kinds of books (for example; Alphabet, Shapes, Numbers, Animals, Dinosaurs, etc.) for this unit as well.



How to Support At Home

- As always, READ, READ, READ!! Read 20 to 30 minutes every night. Encourage your child to retell familiar stories. Ask your child questions using the 5 W's, "who" (was in the story), "where" (did the story take place), "what" (happened in the story), "when" (time of day or time of year), and "why" (do you think _____ happened).
- Ask your child to draw a picture of something you did together after school or over the weekend. Encourage him/her to use at least 5 colors (to get detail in their picture) and ask him/her to begin to sound out the words to tell their stories.



Dates to Remember

- March 6 – First Friday – Early Release @ 12:45 PM
- March 13 – No ECE – Rocky Mtn. Early Childhood Conference
- March 21 – PTO Silent Auction Night @ Maggiano's Downtown
- March 28 – April 5 – Spring Break – No School
- April 6 – No School – DPS Planning Day
- April 14 – La Petite Musique CSO Field Trip (More info to come)
- April 15 – ECE IB Night 6 – 7:30 PM (More info to come)
- April 30 – IB Service Learning Day
- May 1 – First Friday – Early Release @ 12:45 PM
- May 7 – Student Led Conferences 4-8 PM
- May 14 – Botanic Gardens Field Trip (More info to come)
- May 25 – Memorial Day – No School
- May 27 – Field Day
- May 29 – Last Day of School – Early Release @ 12:45 PM