



LEAP Youth Development Program

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Things to Know for March:

PHOTO WALL



During the month of March, we have a lot of exciting things happening here at LEAP! Our themes for the month include : Dr. Seuss / Read Across America, Farm to Table, St. Patrick's Day, Spring, Life Cycles. Our focus for this month is on Language and Reading Development, that will help our kiddos build fundamental skills.

We are currently accepting **DONATIONS** of the following items for upcoming projects: empty water bottles, cereal/coke cardboard boxes, newspaper, 2-liter bottles, and toilet paper

MONTHLY RECAP :

During the month of February, our themes for the month included : Dental Health, Valentine's Day, & Presidents Day! With a month focused on a lot of extensive STEM projects that allowed students the opportunity to build something with just their hands!

-Kangarootime Reminders-

- * To allow other people to pick up your children, you **MUST** add them as a "guardian" in the app. Click on the tray (three horizontal lines) in the top left-hand corner, Click "Guardians", Click Add Guardian, Enter Information (name, email address, privileges);Invite.
- * Parents please remember to make your account photo a picture of you. It is a safety feature on KT to allow us to quickly confirm pick up.

DATES TO REMEMBER

March 2nd: Dr. Seuss Birthday!

March 12th: Daylights savings time Starts

March 16th - 17th: STUDENT BREAK- NO SCHOOL

March 17th: St. Patrick's Day



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CHARACTER SEEDS

Charismatic Kindness Friendship
Independent Self-Control

STAR STUDENTS

Rose McIntyre

Charlee Walker



Mia Gomez

Presley Love

Star students are picked based on their daily behavior. These students exemplify extraordinary behavior every day. They always have a smile on their face when they come into LEAP. They are constantly a great example for their group to follow. They are always willing to help when needed!

UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS

March 1st: Danica D'Arts

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March 2nd: Chase Norman

March 3rd: Adalyn Hagans

March 4th: Kensleigh Foley

March 19th: Faelynn Perez



We are collecting donations for Effingham County

Backpack Buddies



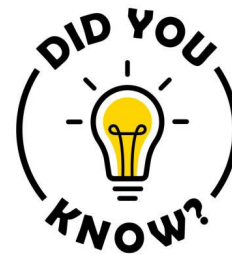
Backpack buddies is a non-profit program dedicated to supporting the children of Effingham County, who have a need of food on the weekends.

They currently serve: Effingham High School, South Effingham High School, Effingham Middle School, South Effingham Middle School, Ebenezer Middle School, Guyton Elementary, Rincon Elementary, Springfield Elementary, South Effingham Elementary, Sandhill Elementary and Crossroads.

Our goal is to help them collect items to pack for these students. Below is a list of food items we will be collecting for them year round. Donations can be dropped off to any LEAP staff member at Guyton, Marlow, SandHill, or Rincon Elementary. We will drop off any food items donated every other Tuesday! Any and all donations are greatly appreciated!

NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEM DONATION LIST:

- Shelf stable milk
- Juice
- Protein: Tuna, Ramen, Mac & Cheese, Soup, ect.
- Fruit cups/cans
- Canned Vegetables
- Breakfast items: Cereal, oatmeal, grits, pop-tarts, breakfast bars
- Snacks: jello, pudding cups, crackers, popcorn, cookies. [individual sized]
- Peanut butter / Jelly
- Gallon Size Storage bags
- Plastic Shopping Grocery bags



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