Welcome Spring! It's hard to believe it is already April. We are looking forward to outdoor recess. The children have been observing signs of spring, the birds and their individual bird songs, the buds on the trees and the daffodils sprouting. It's been fun seeing their excitement as we walk to the playground and observe signs of spring, or if they see a bird perched on the windowsill outside our classroom window. They will be participating in a scavenger hunt looking for signs of spring. Later in the month we will be observing the life cycle of butterflies. We also will be charting rainy days in April. The children will be participating in a fun reading project. Your child will have an opportunity to share a favorite book with their classmates during circle time. Details of the project will be sent home soon. As we review numbers, your child will have an opportunity to fill an estimating jar that they will bring home and return to school. It's a fun way to review numbers, counting, and estimating. We will also be playing some number games in class this month.

\*We will be having an Easter Egg Hunt on Friday, April 11<sup>th</sup>. Please send in six plastic Easter eggs filled with treats for your child. Label each egg with their name and please tape around the seal. We will also be having an Easter party. I will be posting a sign-up for treats needed. Thank you for donating!

## Things We are Learning this Month

Letters Y and Z
Numbers 15, 16, 17, 18
Discovering Signs of Spring
Life Cycle of a Butterfly
Planting
Easter

## Upcoming Events

TCNSK Summer Camp registration can be found on the school website.

Be sure to get your camp form in soon, spaces do fill up quickly.

Easter Break – April 14th-21st

Spring Picture Day – April 30th

Caterpillars will be arriving soon

## Reminders

- Snacks must be peanut/tree nut free.
- Review weekly letters and numbers with your child at home. Have them practice writing their letters.
- Camp Registration Forms and All class calendars and monthly newsletters are available on or website at tcnsk.com
- Your child should bring a filled water bottle daily
- Please send in a spring change of clothes
- Sneakers every day please.

## Classroom Needs

• Please send in glue sticks for your child. We are almost out of them.