



World of Wonders

Parent Newsletter

March 2025



Marching into Fun at WOW

Dear WOW Families,

We want to start by saying a huge thank you to everyone who participated in our Panda Express fundraiser! Your support means so much to us; it truly makes a difference for our program. We're keeping the fun (and flavor) going with our Jose Madrid Salsa Fundraiser! Go to our website for more information.

This year, you've got more ways than ever to share the deliciousness:

- Traditional Order Form: Grab a paper form and start selling!
- Online Ordering for Pick-Up: Friends and family can order online and pick up right here at WOW.
- Ship to Anywhere in the USA: This option is perfect for out-of-town family and friends. Salsa delivered right to their door!

And that's not all—March is bringing even more family fun to WOW! We're thrilled to invite everyone to our Dinosaur Night, where imaginations will roar and excitement will soar! This event will be packed with hands-on, engaging activities for all ages, including art projects, dinosaur-themed snacks, and more! We even will have an infant activities room!

We are always looking for ways to bring our community together and create lasting memories, so keep an eye on the rest of the newsletter for details about our upcoming family events. There's always something exciting happening at WOW, and we can't wait to share it all with you!

Thank you for your continued support,
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Need information?

Do you need to tell someone your child will be taking a vacation? Do you want to ask a question but don't know who to ask?
Email: Info@wowchildcare.org

School Events

March 2025				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3	4	5	6	7
Turn in your flower MARCH MADDNESS!				
10	11	12	13	14
	Virtual Parenting Class: Building Emotional Intelligence 6:00pm	Plant a flower with your child 3:30pm-6:00pm		
17	18	19	20	21
Wear Spring Colors Day Spring Parties: 3:00pm			Board of Trustees Meeting 6:15pm	
24	25	26	27	28
Spirit Week: Crazy Sock Day	Spirit Week: Wacky Hair Day	Spirit Week: Favorite Outfit Day DINOSAUR NIGHT 6:15- 7:30pm	Spirit Week: Costume Day	Spirit Week: Pajama Day, Pizza Day
31				

School Closure Dates 2025

5/26
7/4
8/1
9/1
11/27
11/28
12/24
12/25
12/31
1/1/2026

Celebrate WOW Staff!

Happy Birthday
3/28 Ms. Kelsey

Happy Wow-aversary!
3/18- Ms. Bri (1 year)

Family Events This Month

3/11-Online parenting class

3/12-Plant a flower with your
child at pick up

3/17-Join us for Spring parties
-snack and craft at 3:00

3/20-Board of Trustees
meeting, online or in person at
6:15pm

3/26-DINOSAUR NIGHT 6:15-
7:30pm

Program Updates and Reminders

March Volunteer Opportunities

3/12	Set up for plant a flower day	3:00 PM
3/17	Help pass out snack for spring parties	2:30pm
3/26	Help set up for dinosaur night	5:00pm

Parents are welcome to sign up to volunteer in classrooms at anytime! Please see front desk to sign up!

Don't Forget!

You must fill out the form that was sent in Procure to secure your child's spot for summer.

Please fill out this form before the end of March!

<https://forms.gle/CXfn3fbGSoY5K78bA>

When to Phase Out the Binky

While pacifiers (or "binkies") can be a helpful comfort tool for babies, experts recommend beginning to phase them out around 12 months of age. Prolonged pacifier use can impact oral development, speech development, and even contribute to dental issues over time.

To make the transition easier, try to:

- Limit pacifier use to nap and bedtime only.
- Introduce alternative comfort items, like a favorite blanket or stuffed animal.
- Offer extra cuddles and comfort as your child adjusts.

If you'd like more tips on weaning off the binky, let us know! We're here to support you and your child through every step of development.

Vacation Discounts

As a reminder, each year WOW families get 2 half priced weeks for vacation weeks. Your vacation must be for a full week and WOW must be informed ahead of time. Email info@wowchildcare.org to schedule your child's vacation, or fill out our attendance form.

Fevers & Teething: What You Need to Know

It's a common myth that teething causes fevers, but according to state standards, any child with a fever over 100°F cannot attend our program. This is because a fever may indicate an illness, and we cannot assume it is due to teething.

While teething can cause discomfort, drooling, and fussiness, it does not typically cause a high fever. If your child develops a fever, please keep them home until they are fever-free for 24 hours without medication to ensure the safety and health of all children and staff.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation in keeping our community healthy!

Infant Updates



Classroom Projects for this Month

Week of	Infant 1	Infant 2	Infant/Toddler
3/3	Spring	Spring	Spring
3/10	Jungle Animals	Farm Animals	Farm Animals
3/17	Baby Animals	Baby Animals	Baby Animals
3/24	Spirit Week	Spirit Week	Spirit Week
3/31	Arctic Animals	Ocean Animals	Ocean Animals

Learning Activities

	Social Emotional Learning	Read it Again	Sensory Experiences	Additional Activities
Infant 1	Working on visual tracking through play to increase peer engagement.	Reading books back to front with our caregivers. Pointing at the pictures, and trying to copy the names of things in books.	Flowers and water	baby animal stuffed animals
Infant 2 and Infant/Toddler	Exploring facial expressions through Teacher engagement and naming emotions.		Animals and Easter Grass Water and Water Toys	Puppets Planting fake flowers Bird toys

For a full list of learning activities, please see your daily Procure updates

Toddler and Early Preschool Updates



Classroom Projects for this Month

Week of	Toddler 1	Toddler 2	Early Preschool
3/3	Spring	Spring	Spring
3/10	Exercise	Human Body	Simple Machines
3/17	Baby Animals	Baby Animals	Baby Animals
3/24	Spirit Week	Spirit Week	Spirit Week
3/31	Nutrition	Hygiene	Experiments

Learning Activities

	Social Emotional Learning	Read it Again	Highlight Activities
Tod 1	Using our words and not our action Sharing with peers during classroom activities	Understanding that words are read one at a time and that each word is made up of different sounds.	Matching items Creating a classroom restaurant Farm art/small motor activity Ocean animal learning through sensory play
Tod 2			Matching fish and other animals Creating patterns with art Going on a classroom safari Snow painting activity for small motor skills
Early PS			Spelling simple words, knowing the difference between words and letters

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Preschool and Pre-K Updates



Classroom Projects for this Month

Week of	Preschool	Pre-K
3/3	Spring	Spring
3/10	Dinosaurs	Touch and Texture
3/17	Baby Animals	Baby Animals
3/24	Spirit Week	Spirit Week
3/31	Space	Sight and Colors

Learning Activities

	Social Emotional Learning	Read it Again	Highlight Activities
Preschool	<p>Using our words and not our action</p> <p>Sharing with peers during classroom activities</p>	<p>Spelling simple words, knowing the difference between words and letters</p>	<p>Playing a feed the monster letter game</p> <p>Creating constellations</p> <p>Matching baby and mom animals</p> <p>Sorting objects by different characteristics</p>
Pre-K			<p>Making flowers out of shapes</p> <p>Creating 2-dimensional shapes</p> <p>Writing animal words</p> <p>Observing and classifying natural objects</p>

For a full list of learning activities, please see your daily Procare updates

School Aged Care Updates



Classroom Projects for this Month

Week of	Explorers
3/3	Spring
3/10	Dinosaurs
3/17	Baby Animals
3/24	Spirit Week
3/31	Space

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Spring Break at WOW!

Spring break is from March 24th to March 28th. If your child will not be attending WOW during that week, please fill out the absence form as soon as possible (on our website).

If your child will be attending Spring Break at WOW we have a full week of fun activities. These include a field trip, movie days, Sprit week and MORE! You will need to remember to pack a lunch for your child each day during spring break.

Please Remember

Your child needs a spare set of clothing at WOW and a spare set of shoes.

If your child is not riding the bus in the afternoon, please contact the center.