

Watch ME Grow

May 19



Watch me Grow Month is an exciting theme for children at Kids Club as it explores and teaches the children all about the fascinating growth cycles of different animals and for example caterpillars turn into butterflies, tadpoles into frogs, and eggs into chickens. Also how we as humans grow and develop. The children will study numeracy through developing growth charts in each of the rooms, They will measure their height and observe how they grow over the next year. Children are encouraged to bring in a few photos from home of them as a new born to the present. As a group they will discuss about the different life stages.

Blossoming Butterflies

Life cycle of Tadpoles into Frogs. Activities that help teach the little ones about our planet and how we can conserve it. The best way to learn is through play.

Interactive Experiences:

- Collage frog prints, using green crepe paper
- Flash cards to recognize and learn about tadpoles / frogs
- Small group time experiences with songs, stories and felt board investigating the life cycle of frogs
- Sensory experiences using natural materials to build a frogs habitat
- Spin wheels of a life cycle, to learn the process and watch the tadpoles grow into frogs
- Five green speckled frogs in playdough

Terrific Turtles

Family Connections

- Reading books about families
- Make a "Toddler Room Family Tree" with children's family photos
- Playdough family - Let children cut-out shapes of people and create their family
- Group time- discuss with children about their families weekend
- Teaching children diversity and inclusion of various cultural families
- Mothers Day Craft

Keen Kittens

Through children interests the Kindy Room will be learning about life cycle of Caterpillars into Butterflies

Interactive Experiences

- Science investigating the life cycle of Butterflies by making a cocoon from natural materials
- Technology - Use Smartboard to research about the various types of Butterflies
- Maths - measuring time with clock/calendar and document the changes that occur to a caterpillar and the time it takes to occur
- Art - Creative art experiences using butterfly shapes and a variety of resources

Cooking Biscuits for Mothers Day
Mothers Day Craft



Special Calendar Dates

Star Wars Day	----- 4
Play Outside Day	----- 4
International Compost Awareness Week	----- 5 - 11
Ramadan	----- 5 - 4/6
World Bird Migratory Day	----- 11
Mother's Day	----- 12
National Families Week	----- 15 - 21
National Sorry Day	----- 26

EYLF Learning Outcomes

1. Children have a strong sense of Identity.
2. Children are connected with and contribute to their world.
3. Children have a strong sense of wellbeing.
4. Children are Confident and Involved Learners.
5. Children are Effective Communicators.

Special Events & Performance

- SPLASH - Circus Workshop with Jess on Wednesday 1st
- Mr Oopy show - Music and movement with Bubble show on Wednesday 8th @ 10.30am
- Rev It Up Racing - Car Racing interactive activity on Thursday 16th
- Life Education - Healthy Harold, Healthy Me, learning module is Belonging and Connecting on Wednesday 22nd
- Biggest Morning Tea to raise money for Cancer research on Friday 24th