** Illinois Standards - I Love Learning Preschool**

 **Pre-K Enrichment Class**

 **Month:** **April 2013** **Teachers:** **Mrs. W & Miss Kathy**

**Goals and Objectives**

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| **Guided Play /****Learning Activities /****Dramatic Play /****Special Interest Areas**  | Do you know the story of Little Red Riding Hood?What was it like in the West in the 1800’s?Are Unicorns Real?Can a bean plant grow to the sky?  | **ARTIST:**Claude MonetImpressionistPainter |
| **Language and Literacy****Books and Stories** **Letters of the month:** **Uu, Vv, Ww, Xx, Yy, Zz** | Little Red Riding HoodJack in the BeanstalkUnicornsI Want to be a Cowboy |  | Who is Claude Monet?Monet’s Magic Garden |
| **Letter Practice** | **PHONICS:** **Have Fun Learning DVD** |  | **WRITING:** **ABC Picture Book** |
| **Music and Creative Movement**  | Western dancing Ribbon dancingActing- Little Red Riding Hood  |
| **Math Thinking** **Numbers of the month:****10, 11, 12** | Understanding Geometric Shapes- Making string shapes, linesFollowing a line pattern |
| **Science Thinking****Experiment / Observe** | Volcanos-Can we try to make one erupt?What kind of animal is a wolf?What is an x-ray fish?Can a plant grow from a bean? |
| **Art Activities** **Expressive and Sensory** | Print- Monet dabble style of paintingUnicorn-Watercolor paintingWolf- color, cut and glueYarn Art- dip and dabbleZig Zag Design- Abstract art |  |  | **Drawing Journal:**Monet Art |
| **Fine Motor - Manipulatives** | Table toys, Matching cards,  Legos, Puzzles, Building Toys, Dominos. Dot to dot, Sequencing cards |
| **Large Motor** **Physical Health**  | Western DancingGym/Outside- weather permitting |
| **Sensory Table**  |  Digging for gold! Cotton balls, scoopers, grippers |