**S:\grayslogo.eps 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 Monet  Impressionist  Painter | |
| **Language and Literacy**  **Books and Stories**  **Letters of the month:**  **Uu, Vv, Ww, Xx, Yy, Zz** | Little Red Riding Hood  Jack in the Beanstalk  Unicorns  I 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 dancing  Acting- Little Red Riding Hood | | | | | | |
| **Math Thinking**  **Numbers of the month:**  **10, 11, 12** | Understanding Geometric Shapes- Making string shapes, lines  Following 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 painting  Unicorn-Watercolor painting  Wolf- color, cut and glue  Yarn Art- dip and dabble  Zig 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 Dancing  Gym/Outside- weather permitting | | | | | | |
| **Sensory Table** | Digging for gold!  Cotton balls, scoopers, grippers | | | | | | |