



“Friends are like crayons each one is different but put them together and they make your rainbow.”- Unknown

Dear Tiny Thinkers Families,

Wow, can you believe it's already April? Time is flying, and we're just a few months away from wrapping up an incredible school year!

As we move forward, we encourage our preschool parents to start thinking about the next steps in their child's education. If you haven't already, now is the perfect time to explore schools for next year. Don't wait until the last minute finding the right fit for your little one is so important!

Also, **parent-teacher conferences** are just around the corner! This is a wonderful opportunity to connect with your child's teacher and learn about their growth and achievements this year. Be sure to sign up soon, spaces fill up quickly! 🗨️

Lastly, a **huge thank you** to all the families who have gone above and beyond whether by participating in events, volunteering, donating, or supporting Tiny Thinkers in any way. Your kindness and dedication make our school community truly special, and we are so grateful for each and every one of you!

Upcoming Events:

📞 Over-the-Phone Parent-Teacher Conferences: Parent-Teacher Conferences are coming up, and we're excited to connect with you! This year, conferences will be held over the phone, making it easy for you to participate. The conference window is

Monday, April 7th – Friday, April 18th, 2025. Be sure to sign up on the sheet next to your child's teacher. At your scheduled time, call the school to begin your conference. Each conference will be **10-15 minutes** to ensure all families have a chance to meet with their teacher. If you miss your appointment, please reach out to reschedule (subject to teacher availability).

We can't wait to share your child's progress with you!

⊕ Good Friday Early Closure: Our preschool will **close early on Good Friday, April 18th, at 2:00 PM.** Please arrange for prompt pickup, as our staff will also be observing early closure.

A **\$1 per minute late fee** will apply for pickups after 2:00 PM. Thank you for your cooperation!

🌍 Earth Day Parade: Join us for our **Earth Day Parade on Tuesday, April 22nd, 2025,** during school hours! The children will take a walk through the play yard to showcase their creative recyclable projects. Photos will be taken, and a short event video will be shared!

🎓 Graduation Pictures: Get ready for graduation pictures, Tiny Thinkers! We're excited to capture these special moments!

📍 Cap & Gown Picture Days:

- **North Hills:** Tuesday, April 22nd, 2025
- **Canoga Park:** Wednesday, April 23rd, 2025
- **Santa Clarita:** Friday, April 25th, 2025

No makeup days will be available, so be sure your child is present!

We look forward to a fantastic month ahead!

April Reminders

- **Stay Updated!** Always check our website or the parent board for upcoming events in our monthly newsletter!
- **Lost & Found:** Lost something? We display lost items daily! Any unclaimed items will be donated to a local church or social service agency after two weeks.
- **Tote Bags Only:** Please use the **Tiny Thinkers Preschool Tote bag** provided for your child's belongings. To keep things simple, avoid bringing extra backpacks or bags.
- **Check Payments:** If paying by check, kindly **write your child's name in the memo area** to prevent any issues.
- **Naptime Essentials (CDSS Licensing Requirement):** Each child needs a **fitted crib sheet (28 in x 52 in) and a small blanket** for naptime.
- **Payment Reminders:**
 - Payments are due on the **1st and 15th** of every month.
 - We accept **cash, checks, or online payments** at myprocare.com. Log in using the email on file to make payments and access tax-related info.
 - **Please note:** The school **does not offer** make-up or substitute days for absences. Refunds are not provided for missed days, including vacations, illness, holidays, or school closures.
- **Birthday Celebrations:** Celebrating your child's birthday is optional! If you choose to do so:
 - Food is served at lunchtime.
 - Treats like cupcakes, fruit, or Jell-O should be served at PM snack time.
 - Have questions? Contact the admin team to ensure a smooth celebration!

Parent Resources: Encouraging Outdoor Play!

This section provides valuable resources to support your child's development.

Did you know that outdoor play **reduces stress and boosts your child's development**? According to **First 5 California**, spending time outside offers numerous **social, emotional, and cognitive benefits!** The best part? It's easy to encourage your child's growth by enjoying outdoor activities together.

Whether you're in the backyard or at a local park, **exploring nature helps build motor skills, fosters creativity, and strengthens your bond** with your little one. As your child's first teacher, you play a vital role in their learning and outdoor play is a simple yet powerful way to support their development. Small, everyday activities can make a big difference!

Check out the links below for fun and easy outdoor activity ideas you can try today!

- <https://www.first5california.com/en-us/activities/opt-outside-activities-to-enjoy-outdoors/>
- <https://www.naeyc.org/our-work/families/ideas-exploring-outdoors>
- <https://www.parents.com/fun/activities/outdoor/outdoor-activities-for-kids/>

Summer Program Enrollment is Open!

We are thrilled to announce our upcoming **Summer Program**, running from **June 9th to August 15th!** Designed to be fun, engaging, and enriching, this program offers a variety of exciting activities, including **arts and crafts, outdoor games, themed events, and special performances.**

Our dedicated and experienced teachers will provide a **safe and stimulating environment** where children can explore, create, and build lasting friendships. This is a fantastic opportunity for your child to grow **socially, emotionally, and cognitively** while making unforgettable summer memories.

Enrollment Details:

- ✓ **Individual Summer Activities:** \$20 per week
- ✓ **Full Summer Program:** \$150 (Save \$30 when paid before **May 31st, 2025**)
- ✓ To receive the discount, children must participate in **all activities**

For registration forms and more details, please contact our administrative office:

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North Hills

Email: info.nh@tinythinkers.com

Telephone: 818-892-2655

Canoga Park

Email: info.cp@tinythinkers.com

Telephone: 818-346-3035

Santa Clarita

Email: info.sc@tinythinkers.com

Telephone: 661-296-0175



Teachers Corner

This month our focus topic will be:

Theme: Spring; Reptiles; Easter; Earth Day;

Letter: (Ladybugs & Butterflies) Ss; Tt; Uu; Vv

(BB1 & BB2) We, His, Her, One, Funny, up; My, Help, Get, Little, You, Had

Number: (Ladybugs & Butterflies) 16; 17

(BB1 & BB2) 32; 33; 35; 36

Color: Yellow + Blue=Green; Grey

Shape: Crescent; Cube

Cooking activity: Green Grape Snake; Dirt Cups

Science: Chromatography Butterfly; Easter Egg Fizz

Sign Language: Turtle & Flowers; Egg & Trees

Site Words: Do; Down; Have; Help

Spanish Vocabulario: flores, pascua, primavera, tortuga, reptiles; tierra, semilla, plantas, oxigeno, jardín

Canción en español: Rompe la piñata; Un Elefante se Balanceaba

Songs: So Early Easter Morning; BUNNY by Kiboomers

Character of Education: Stay Positive; Learn from Mistakes; Dream Big, Be a Peacemaker

Sensory: Flower Petal Bin; Balloon Bin

Outdoor Painting: Color Mixing Spin; Roller Color into Bubble Wrap

Gross Motor Activity: Move and Freeze by the Learning Station; Race

Recyclable Project: Upgrade Trash into FLOWERS; Cardboard EARTH



**Happy Birthday to everyone
born in this month of April**



On your special day, that is your birthday, we wish the best of wishes. We hope that you spend your special day with your loved ones and family. We hope that all your wishes come true.



Tues. 4/1/2025: April Fool's Day

Mon. 4/7 – Fri. 4/18/25: Over the Phone Parent Teacher Conferences

Fri. 4/18/25: Good Friday, Easter Egg Hunt

Please note that on 4/18/25 School Closing at 2:00 pm

Sun. 4/20/25: Easter Sunday

Tues. 4/22/25: Earth Day & Parade

Tues. 4/22/25: Graduation Pictures (TTP-NH)

Wed. 4/23/25: Graduation Pictures (TTP-CP)

Fri. 4/25/25: Graduation Pictures (TTP-SC)

