

Science Calendar

April

Grade 2

<p>Earth Day is in April. What are some things that people do? Draw some pictures.</p>	<p>Choose an insect and list 4 things it can do. Write a short story about your insect and the things it can do.</p>	<p>Find a poem about a rainy day and illustrate it. Now make your own poem about a sunny day and illustrate it.</p>	<p>Taste a jellybean. Put one of the same flavor in a glass of water for 1 minute. What does it taste like? What happened to the water?</p>	<p>Get a glass container or empty soda bottle and make a terrarium. Ask an adult for help. What kinds of plants will you put inside?</p>
<p>How many drops of water can you put on a penny? Estimate the answer and get a dropper and some water and see. How close did you come?</p>	<p>Rocks are all around us and have many uses. Go outside with an adult and collect some different rocks. Can you identify them?</p>	<p>Collect 10 things you think will float. Fill up the kitchen sink and see which ones float. Make a chart to record the results.</p>	<p>Arbor Day is a day to celebrate trees. Plant a tree with your family.</p>	<p>Tally the weather conditions for each day this month.</p> <p>Sunny _____ Rainy _____ Cloudy _____ Snowy _____</p>
<p>Spring is the time to plan a garden. Design a garden with your family and get ready to plant. Draw a picture of your garden and label where the different plant will be.</p>	<p>How many light bulbs do you have in your house? Make a graph to show the rooms in your house and how many light bulbs you find there.</p>	<p>Think up your own science activity and try it with your family.</p>	<p>Celebrate Earth Day with your family. What will you do?</p>	<p>Look outside for plants with buds on them. Keep track of the changes for two weeks. Record what happen and draw any changes that you see.</p>
<p>Make a guess- how many glass containers are in your refrigerator? Now open the door and count. Make a graph that shows how many glass containers there are and how many plastic container there are.</p>	<p>Do you know we drink the same water that dinosaurs did? Make a poster that explains why it's so important to keep our water clean.</p>	<p>Which insect would make the best pet? Make a guide for taking care of this insect and include drawings.</p>	<p>Watch the weather forecast for one week. Keep track of each day the forecast was correct. Use this information to forecast the weather for the next week.</p>	<p>Look at your tongue in the mirror. Draw a picture of what you see.</p>

**Students and Family Members – try out the different science activities for this month.
 HAVE FUN, BE CURIOUS ABOUT THE WORLD AROUND YOU, AND REMEMBER... SCIENCE IS EVERYWHERE!**