



Hope Grows Child Development Center



WELCOMES SPRING!

It is hard to believe that we are in the month of April. We are still experiencing some cold weather at the time of the publishing of this newsletter. However, we expect the weather will improve in the coming months. There is a lot to look forward to including Easter Egg Hunt and Party, Earth Day and many exciting activities planned for Spring.



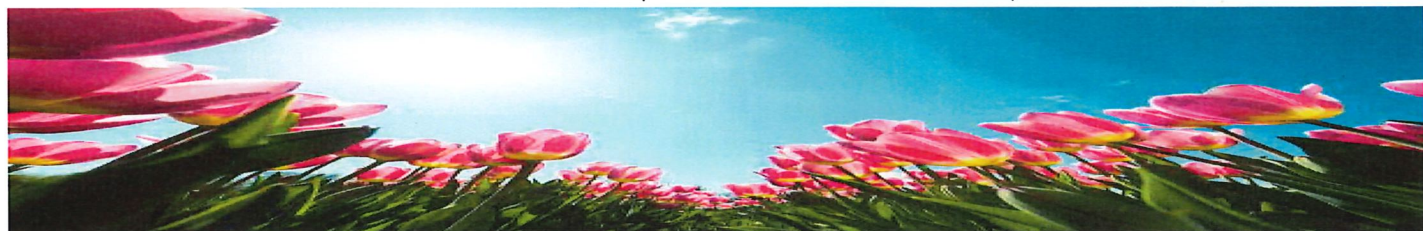
PENNIES FOR CHARITY:

Beginning in April 2022 through December 2022 Hope Grows will be raising funds for the nonprofit Organization Feeding America. Feeding America is the nation's largest domestic hunger-relief organization and serves virtually every community in the United States. 40 million people including 12 million children and 7 million seniors receive much needed food through Feeding America.

A money jar will be placed in each classroom to raise the funds. Pennies and any other form of monetary donations will be accepted. Hope Grows Child Development Center will match the cumulative funds raised by the children. The class with the highest funds raised will be treated to an ice cream social.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT:

April 6, 2022 is EMERGENCY FORM UPDATE DAY! We have dedicated this day for all families who are attending Hope Grows Child Development Centers to update their child's file. Children will not be permitted to attend day care unless all emergency forms have been submitted. It is a Maryland State Department of Education requirement that all information relevant to a child's enrollment must be complete and available for inspection at all times.



Montgomery County Public Schools Spring Break begins on April 11, 2022 and Ends on April 18, 2022. Please let us know if your child will be attending during the school closure.

Upcoming Events

April 13

Easter Egg Hunt will take place in the morning and the Easter party will begin at 3:30pm. A sign-up sheet will be sent through Life Cubby for parents to provide party goodies.

April 15

Hope Grows Child Development Center will be closed

April 20

We are celebrating Earth Day of April 20, 2022. More information will follow after the Newsletter has been posted.

April 29

Hope Grows is closed for Professional Development Day