

ELC News You Can Use

April 2018

Celebrating Excellence

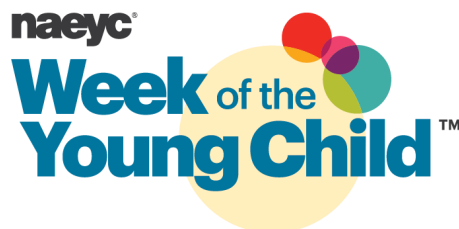
As many of you may have seen, we received a 5 Star rating from Quality First in March! This rating is based upon classroom assessments which utilized a point system to measure quality of curriculum, assessment and interactions. A 5 star rating is reserved for centers who show the highest quality and “far exceed quality standards.” Please take a moment to congratulate your child’s teacher for this amazing achievement!



NAEYC’s Week of the Young Child

Each year we celebrate NAEYC’s Week of the Young Child. This event is celebrated across the nation by NAEYC affiliated programs as a way of focusing public attention on the needs of young children and to recognize the early childhood programs that meet those needs. This years event will be held 4/16 to 4/20 and will have different themes for each day.

- ★ Music Monday
- ★ Tasty Tuesday
- ★ Work Together Wednesday
- ★ Artsy Thursday
- ★ Family Friday



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Dates to Remember



Week of the Young Child 4/16-4/20

Earth Day Event 4/20



Teacher Appreciation Week 5/7-5/11

Muffins for Mom 5/11

Preschool Graduation 5/18

Picture Day 5/25

UCP Closed 5/30



UCP's ELC Earth Day Celebration 2018

Join us for our 4th Annual ELC Earth Day Celebration on
Friday, April 20th from 10:00am – 12:00pm.

Featuring:

- * Jungle Jill's LIVE Animal Encounters
- * Usborne Book Fair
- * Home Depot planting station
- * Circle K for fun activity & craft table

A picnic lunch will be provided following the fun activities!

Please RSVP by Friday 4/13/18 on the RSVP sheet up front at the sign In/Out book!

(Immediate family only please due to limited spacing)

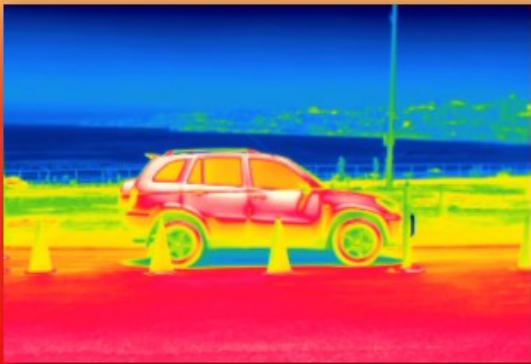
Thank you!!

The ELC Staff



As the Spring Temperatures
Heat Up 

UCP OF CENTRAL ARIZONA
WOULD LIKE TO REMIND YOU -
DO NOT LEAVE UNATTENDED
CHILDREN IN YOUR CAR-
EVEN FOR A MINUTE



Weather appropriate clothing

Please check your child's cubby to make sure they have two sets of warm weather clothing.

We also ask that children wear closed toe sandals to prevent toe injuries.



The sun has arrived!



Please take a moment to make sure your child has sunscreen that meets the following criteria:

- ◇ Is labelled with your child's full first and last name
- ◇ Has an accompanying signed permission form
- ◇ Is labelled for children
- ◇ Is SPF 30+
- ◇ Is not aerosol

We kindly ask that you apply sunscreen each morning prior to arrival so that the children are able to get outside before the heat of the day. Teachers will reapply prior to afternoon outside time