

# CLASS 4 NEWS

## HOT OFF THE PRESS



### Welcome to April

A big warm welcome to Tracy, who is our new Educational Assistant and Natalie our new Deaf and Blind Intervener. Class 4 is so lucky to have you!

We will continue with our speech group once a week on Thursday mornings with Vanessa. The children are loving Vanessa's guitar and our singing. They especially love the song "Five Green and Speckled Frogs". Class 4 students are doing a great job asking for "Turn" and "More". We will add "Stop" and "Go" this week.

Fingers crossed the weather continues to get warm so we can head outside for some fresh air and a change in scenery. I would love to bring our Math lessons outside during the nice weather. We will also head out on a treasure hunt looking for "Big" and "Small" items as well as making "Left" and "Right" turns during the walk.

On Friday (Our Professional Development Day) we were fortunate enough to have Dr. Peter Rosenbaum attend and provide a seminar on "F-words in Childhood Disability". This was a great seminar and provided positive information about home and school life.

For further information check out his website below.

[www.canchild.ca](http://www.canchild.ca)

Search: f-words.

### Communication Corner

You may have some fun wind-up toys at home to promote "Stop" and "Go" communication. Stopping in the middle of a song or story is also a good way to encourage your child to tell you "More" or "Go".

### Reminders:

JMCCSA Board Meeting  
April 6th

Colasantis Trip:  
April 7th  
We would love to  
have you join us.

Easter Weekend Holiday  
Good Friday: April 14  
Easter Monday: April 17

Parent/Educator meeting  
April 25

Monthly Assembly  
Pokemon Go Theme  
April 28th at 1:15 pm



Enjoy the month of April

Mrs. Targachoff