

Dear Family,

Your child's science class is beginning a unit called "Looking at Plants and Animals." In this unit, children will learn about the appearance and behavior of animals and plants. They will learn what animals need, how they grow and change, and what body parts they use to move. Children will also learn about the needs of plants, plant parts, and how plants grow and change. They will discuss how plants are the same and different.

For this unit, we'll be using the materials listed below. Would you be willing to donate any of these items? If so, we'll need to receive them by _____.

- paper towels
- flour, salt, oil, cream of tartar
- plastic spoons and knives
- paper bags
- potted plants
- plastic cups
- leaves

Do you or other family members have a special interest in animals or plants? Could you help with activities? If so, please fill out the form below and have your child return it to class.

Thanks for your help!

Family Newsletter

Looking at Plants and Animals

Your name _____ Child's name _____

Home phone _____ Work phone _____