



Music Time with Ms. Patty – March 2023



We will sing about the weather in the month of March, since the old saying goes... *"in like a lion, out like a lamb!"* Music Time begins with our traditional *"Hello Song."* Then we will talk about how God made the different weather conditions of wind, rain, and sun. The children will also learn the American Sign Language for "wind" and "rain," ("sun" depends on age) and will sing and sign the song, *"God Made the Rain,"* based on the scripture, *"God sends the rain."* Psalm 147:8. The musical concepts of *staccato* (short & separated) and *legato* (smooth & connected) sounds are explored with the comparison of the short, quick sounds of the raindrops and the smooth, flowing sounds of the wind. To introduce the musical concept of a scale, we will play the color coded *Boomwhackers* from middle C to high C. Then we will sing and play the song *"Once a Little Kite."* Music Time ends with *"Mr. Sun"* as we look forward to the warm, sunny weather of Spring!