

# ECLC Ho-Ho-Kus Campus

*Celebrating 50 Years!*

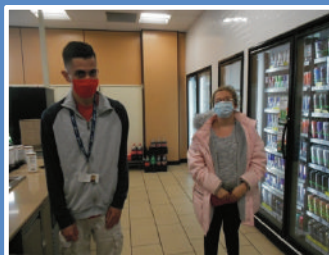
Providing Education, Careers & Lifelong Community for Children and Adults with Special Needs  
ECLC—Celebrating 50 Years of Excellence

Please visit our website at [www.eclcofnj.org/](http://www.eclcofnj.org/) for more information about our school and for ways you can help.  
Review our Parent-Student Handbook at <http://www.eclcofnj.org/downloads/2019-2020-handbook-hohokus.pdf>  
Weekly Newsletter – Friday, June 11, 2021

## What's Happening at ECLC



This week marked a huge milestone for ECLC: Room 101 was the first class to take a CBI trip since the beginning of the pandemic. The students practiced money skills, enjoyed some snacks, but most of all they celebrated being back out in the community!



### Upcoming Dates

June 18—Field Day\*

June 23—ECLC Graduation (rain date 6/24)

June 25—Last Day of School

\*Ice cream will be served

**Social Skill of the Week**

*Dealing With Transitions*



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# Virtual Heroes Assembly

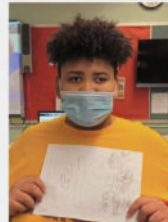


During our Heroes Assembly on June 4<sup>th</sup>, every teacher celebrated the qualities that make one of their students a hero. Congratulations to all of our heroes!

**ROOM 101  
ANTONIO**



**ROOM 102  
AIDEN**



**ROOM 103  
CHRIS**



**ROOM 104  
MICHAEL**



**ROOM 201  
JOHN**



**ROOM 202  
KIMMY**



**ROOM 203  
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JADA**



**ROOM 207  
GISSELLE**



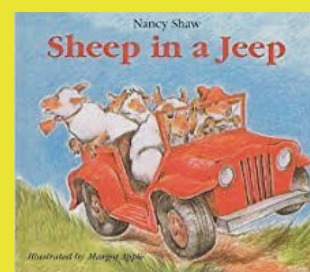
# Curriculum in the News



Room 103 has embarked on an epic trip across America! During social studies, they have been traveling through all the regions of the United States, visiting and learning about each state as they travel. They started in Maine and have been going west. They just left Montana; now they have only five states to go!



## Nick's Nook

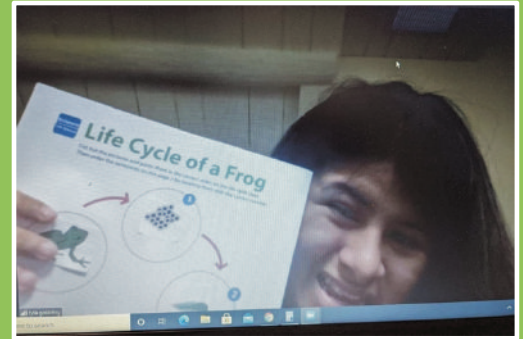
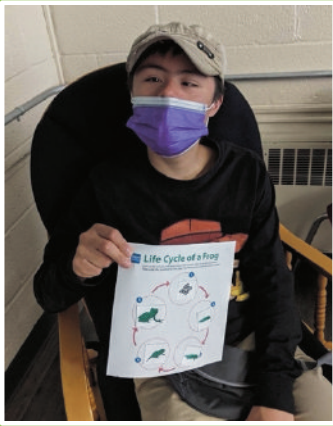


Introducing Nick's Nook, the newest section of the ECLC newsletter. In each installment, Nick P. from Room 103 will be calling upon his extensive literary knowledge to review and critique books.

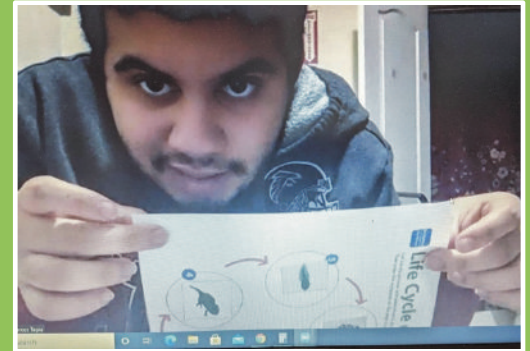
### *Sheep in a Jeep* by Nancy Shaw

I loved reading this book back in the day. It is a very funny book because the sheep are all very funny and like to act silly. In the end, they say, "Jeep-for sale: cheap." I loved this book.

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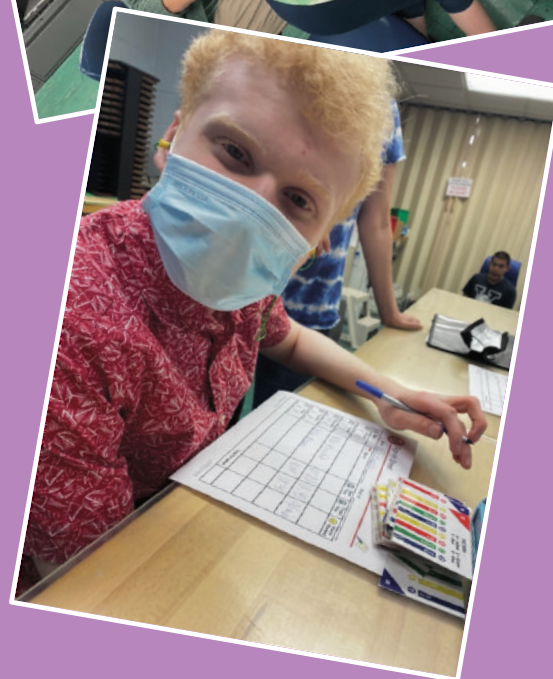
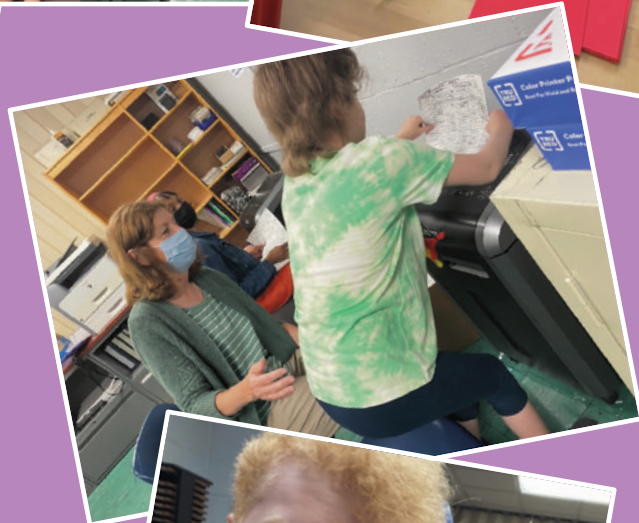
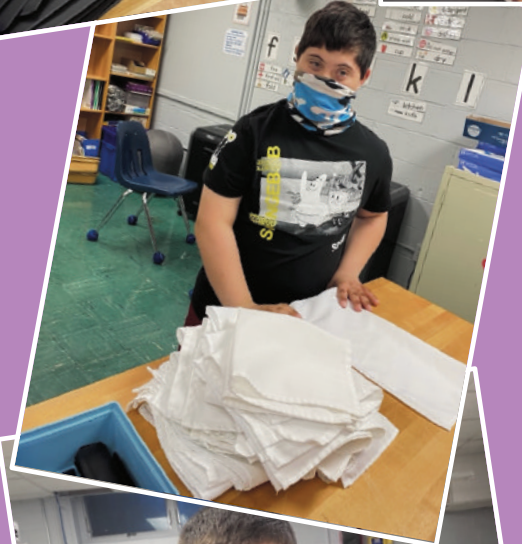


Room 205 is learning about life cycles during science. They read all about frogs and completed an activity detailing the life of a frog from a tiny egg all the way to an adult frog. They discovered that toads are actually frogs! They also learned this fun fact: the goliath frog is more than a foot long and can weigh more than seven pounds!



Room 203 has been a very busy class! First Zack G. ran their morning Zumba routine, then the class enjoyed a relaxing group PT session. During math, Michael P. worked extremely hard.

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In SKIL, our lower school students have been practicing life skills and pre-vocational skills. Our core students have been focusing on collating and signing into work using a time sheet.

# Curriculum in the News



ECLC students proudly show off their creativity as well as their pride for our nation's flag in honor of Flag Day.



Good luck to our Special Olympic athletes Antonio R., Jada A., Reese C., and Nicole M. They will be competing this Saturday in the state-side Special Olympic Summer Games.



# From the Nurse's Office

Attention All Families and Staff



Please be aware that the lifting of the mask mandate announced by the CDC *does not apply to schools*. ECLC will continue to wear masks while in the school building and maintain six-foot social distancing as much as possible.

Our region of the state remains at moderate risk of COVID-19, so the COVID exclusion requirement remains in place. If your child has two or more symptoms consistent with COVID-19, he or she needs to have a negative COVID test before returning to school.

Have a safe and healthy weekend!

~Mrs. Horgan and Ms. Frey

Join us for our  
**2021**  
**ONLINE AUCTION**

Bidding opens June 17

Registration is FREE!

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For this online fundraiser, you will see the same types of fun prizes that you are used to seeing in our annual Tricky Tray auctions. We were unable to host our Annual Dinner events again this year, but that doesn't mean we can't have a bit of fun while supporting ECLC, PRIDE, and CPS! The Online Auction is different from our Tricky Tray and is like a traditional silent auction where you place a bid for the amount you are willing to pay for the item. **Bidding will take place June 17-19.** We hope you join in the fun this year and hope to see you in person for our 2022 Annual Dinners!

Below is just a small sample of items that will be up for bid during our upcoming online auction!



For more information, visit <https://eclcofnj.org/foundation/events/> or contact Heather Alonge at [halonge@eclcofnj.org](mailto:halonge@eclcofnj.org) or 973-601-5117





# 2021 Sibling Leadership Network Conference

The Sibling Leadership Network (SLN) is a national organization that provides siblings of individuals with disabilities the information, support and tools to advocate with their brothers and sisters and to promote the issues important to them and their entire families.

Please see the information below for the 2021 Sibling Leadership Network Conference:

**What:** 2021 Sibling Leadership Network Conference

**When:** June 18 & 19<sup>th</sup> with post-conference workshops on June 22, 23, & 24<sup>th</sup>

**Where:** Virtually on Zoom

**Who:** Adult siblings of people with disabilities and parents/family members and professionals

**Why:** To provide a space for adult siblings and sibling supporters to connect for peer support and share information

**How much:** Ranges from \$18-30 per day/ticket

**Visit:** [www.siblingleadership.org](http://www.siblingleadership.org) for more details and to register

We are also continuing to look for **Sponsors for the conference**. See more information here: <https://siblingleadership.org/2021-sibling-leadership-network-national-conference-sponsorship/>

Please contact Katie Arnold, Executive Director of the Sibling Leadership Network, with any questions:

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