



Sparkle Montessori

Newsletter - May 2017



Dear Sparkle Families,

Happy Mother's Day to all our Super Mom's! We look forward to seeing you at our Mother's Day Function on May 12th. We will send details via email closer to the date.

This month we will celebrate Cinco de Mayo too.

April was a fun month with our Easter Egg Hunt, thanks to all our children, parents and Teachers!

We will continue with our Spanish Program.

We would like to remind our parents about our Kindergarten Program.

Thank you

Sparkle Montessori Team

CLASSROOM NEWS

Room 1

In the month of May we are learning how to sit during circle time. We will continue to learn the colors. We have begun to include counting in English as well as in Spanish. We have also introduced a good morning song in both languages.

Room 2

This is a very lovely month, we will honor our mothers. We will talk about the love and care our mothers shower on us and how we can give back to our very lovely mothers.

For language arts, we will focus on vocabulary building. We also learn story elements: problems solutions, characters, setting, and rhyming words. For writing, we will learn to write simple sentences, and short stories.

For math, we will focus on addition and subtraction. We also introduce money counting.

Room 3

Our class will be focusing on recognizing and tracing the letters B,F,O,P and numbers 0-5. Our children will be doing arts & crafts related to Mother's Day, Memorial Day and our theme of the month, Transportation. We will be working on something special for Mother's Day to honor all our lovely mothers.

Room 4

For the month of May for group 1, we are working on spelling the children's names and surnames. We will be matching upper case and lower case letters. Children are learning how to form the letters and numbers correctly from top to bottom and left to right. We will work on learning numbers from 1-100, A-Z upper case & lower case.

For group 2, our children will work on writing first name without tracing. We will be matching upper case to lower case, completing the word by filling in the missing first letter and continue with rhyming words. For Math, we will be practicing what comes after, missing number and addition.

Looking back.....

Our children enjoyed learning about Creepy Crawlies during the month of April.

The children looked adorable in traditional clothing to celebrate International Day. Please visit our facebook page to view the pictures.

Our Easter Egg Hunt was a fun event enjoyed by children, parents and teachers. Thank you to all the parents who helped us click pictures.

Seeing your likes on our facebook page keeps us motivated!

Theme of the month: May

During this month our children will be learning about different methods of Transport and also get a glimpse of what futuristic transportation would look like. We will also be talking about Emergency vehicles.

Did You know?

- At any given moment there are an estimated 5,000 commercial airplanes in the skies over the United States.
- The fastest train in the world, the Shanghai Maglev can carry up to 300 passengers and does not have wheels!
- School buses are yellow because scientists have proved that yellow is the most visible color in all types of light.

Mark your Calendar

Friday, May 12-Mother's Day Celebration at School

Monday, May 29- Memorial Day HOLIDAY

Some Gentle Reminders....

- We would appreciate if children who are not yet potty trained or undergoing potty training can wear button-less pants.
- Please refrain from making your child wear light shoes.
- Please avoid any gold jewelry on your child. The school is not responsible for any lost ornaments.
- Please pick up your child's soiled clothes the same day and also replace it with extra clothes the next day. All clothing must be labeled.
- Please make sure your child's nails are trimmed at all times.

VERY IMPORTANT

- Please ensure that you hang your child's bag\jacket on his\her hook **ONLY**. This will help us to track individual items. We would sincerely appreciate if you can write your child's name on the jacket.
- The disabled parking is for use only by cars that have a valid sticker.

Circle time starts at 9.00a.m. and continues until 9.30a.m. This is a very important period and all what is done during this time is not repeated during the day. The children learn a lot at this time and we request that you try your best to bring your child before 9.00a.m.