Room 5 Newsletter

Week of 03/18/24-03/22/24

<u>AM snack/flowers/ pizza Snack</u> <u>Assignments</u>

4 gallons of milk 5 family size boxes of Cheerios

Bring flowers on Monday and pizza Snack on Thursday please

3/18- Brendan Cauley 3/25- Ellis Sandersuis 4/01- Maddox Miller (*new snack items this month*) 4/08- Charley Cox

Laundry and Dish Duty Reminders

March Laundry: Missy Lee March Dishes: Hannah Landon

April Laundry: Dan Irwin April Dishes: Amanda Heitz

Messages from Miss Maria

- Child as a Teacher Day- We will be holding our second C.A.T Day on April 19th. If you are new to our classroom, please scroll below for details on this event and to access the link to the sign up. We look forward to seeing you there!
- Morning Snack- Please plan on dropping off snack <u>no later than 8:15</u> during your assigned week so that we may have time to prep morning snack before the children come inside at 8:30.
- Shoes- As a reminder, please send your child in shoes that they can put on/remove independently. If your child has not yet mastered the ability to tie their own laces, then they should wear another type of shoe. Laces become undone throughout the day and can be a safety hazard while the children are running/playing. We also ask that light up shoes be avoided as they can be a distraction in class. If you'd like a refresher on our school's dress code, please refer to the "Welcome" letter sent at the start of the year. A copy has been posted on our class website for your convenience.
- Spotify Playlist- A Spotify playlist of some of the music/songs we listen in class has been
 posted on our class website (along with the original Apple Music playlist). Thank you Erin
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Hello everyone!

I am pleased to announce that our second "Child-As-A-Teacher" event of the year will be taking place on April 19th! You will be visiting the class for 45 minutes. A certain number of slots per time are given in order to accommodate the number of bodies in our small classroom, so please try not to change your time slot unless absolutely necessary. Your child will guide you through the classroom and give you a little snapshot of their day. They will show you some of the materials that they are learning and working on in class. A set of guidelines regarding your role as the "student" will also be provided a week before the event.

We will keep the morning as "normal" as possible. Please wait outside the entrance for your child to greet you and take you inside. The children will be aware that, although this is a very special day, the classroom ground rules remain the same. They will be using their quiet voices and walking feet, being gentle to the works, choosing materials they have had lessons on, putting works back where they found them, and being kind to their friends. They expect their guests to follow the same rules! Although I will be in the classroom, I will MAINLY be observing - the kiddos are running the show! The children will work with you for 40 minutes, the last 5 minutes will be for clean-up and goodbyes.

If your child is on a half-day schedule, you may take them home after your time slot to avoid the extra trip back and forth. If your child is not a half-day student, but you would like to take them home early, that is okay too. Please let us know if you do so that we can sign them out on our roster.

Please note that this is a **PARENTS ONLY** event. Please plan childcare for any younger siblings/infants. If both parents are unable to attend, you may ask another family member to take your place. There will be **no makeups**, however, this event will happen again next school year. PLEASE let me know ASAP if no one at all will be coming as it may be best for your child to stay home so that they do not feel left out.

To sign up for this event, click on the link below. We look forward to seeing you there!

Thank you, Maria Vasquez

SIGN UP LINK:

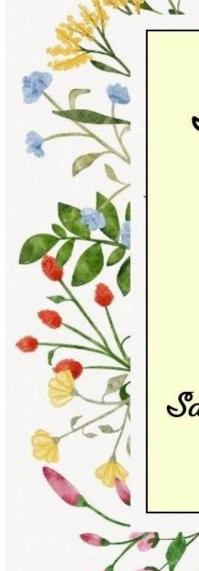
https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0844A4AB2EA7FC1-childasateacher3



IMPORTANT DATES

- March 18th Monday AASA Science Testing Opens
- March 19th Tuesday Dine out for Dollars at The Habit
- March 23rd Saturday PTO Movie Night Elemental!
- March 30th Saturday Middle School Market
- April 1st Monday AASA ELA and Math Testing Opens
- April 8th Monday Friday Villa's Week of Giving Online Auction
- April 12th Friday Last Day for AZSCI Testing and Writing
- April 13th Saturday Boogie Down for Villa Auction Dinner 5 PM 10 PM at Hotel Valley Ho
- April 26th Friday Last Day for AASA ELA and Math Testing
- May 3rd Friday Early Release Parent/Teacher Conferences 11:30 AM
- May 6th Monday Preview Day for K's, 3rds, and 6th graders
- May 10th Friday Early Release Parent/Teacher Conferences 11:30 AM
- May 16th Thursday Middle School Early Release Conferences 11:30 AM
- May 17th Friday Middle School Early Release Conferences 11:30 AM
- May 20th Monday MS Orlando Promotion Early Release 11:30 am
- May 21st Tuesday MS Campbell Promotion Early Release 11:30 am
- May 22nd Wednesday All School Half Day Last Day of School! 11:30 AM
- May 23rd 24th Thursday and Friday All School Closed Work Week including Infants & Toddlers
- May 27th Monday School Closed Memorial Day
- May 29th Wednesday Summer School begins tentative







Middle School Spring Market

Saturday, March 30th

3 – 5 p.m.

