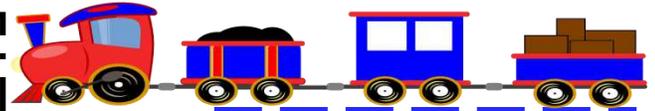




Morningstar Learning Center Newsletter

May 26, 2017



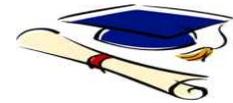
June Theme: Transportation

This next month all the classrooms will participate in activities surrounding this theme.

The **Infant Class** will finish their "bug" activities and move on to transportation. They will practice the song "Wheels on the Bus" and learn about bus transportation. Their letter of the week is "D".

This week the **Toddler Class** will be flying right into transportation. Learning different ways to travel on land, water and even by air. They will go over the colors on traffic lights and be playing red light, green light.

This week the **Preschool Class** theme this week is **GRADUATION!** Congratulations Aldo, Campbell, Emma, Russell, Zoey and Max! We are so proud of you!



This month, the **Spanish Class** will be learning greetings in Spanish along with good morning songs that they will use to begin each Spanish lesson. Table time activities will surround the theme of transportation and each child will work on a transportation book. Below are the links to the two good morning songs:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5jJfyD_tuf4

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tOj4hEk2CtU>

The **Guidance class** played the game "Feelings Charades." They acted out a feeling (sad, happy, angry, scared, surprised) and the other children guessed how that child was feeling. This is a practice in empathy and learning about nonverbal social cues.



Important Dates

May 29	No School, Memorial Day
May 31	June Billing Processed
June 2	Preschool Graduation
June 8	No School PIR day
June 9	No School

NO SCHOOL
We will be closed Monday, May 29th, 2017 in observance of Memorial Day.

PRESCHOOL GRADUATION
Preschool Graduation for students entering Kindergarten in the fall will be **June 2, 2017 at 4:30pm**. All the MLC classes will attend and encourage families to come and support these students.

Please be mindful of our teachers' time during child pick-up at the end of the day. They are happy to discuss your child's day with you and answer any questions you may have, but please understand they have end-of-the day tasks to accomplish and a schedule to adhere to. *Thank you!*



Director's Desk

Stephanie's Office Hours: Monday-Wednesday 8:30am-10am, 4:00-5:00pm

Faye's Office Hours: Wed. 8:00am-9:30am

Lori's Office Hours: Thursday-Friday 8:30am-10am

Or by appointment



Basecamp to Kindergarten: Not just for Pre-Kindergarten students!



Toddler and Preschool Families:

Make sure to check out the Basecamp to Kindergarten Activity Bags located on the top landing outside the preschool classroom. These bags are filled with educationally based games, books, and dvds. Each bag has a parent resource folder that gives families helpful tips including: establishing daily routines, tips for raising readers, and how to teach your child to tie their shoes. These bags are designed to help children learn skills that will eventually help them find success during their kindergarten year. There is a check out sheet on the wall outside the Preschool door. Come and give them a try!