

# May News Letter

Dear parents:

Welcome May! Can you believe how fast the year has gone by? Your children have grown so much, and it has been wonderful getting to know each one of them. We are coming down the home stretch. Last month we learned about Spring, weather, Earth Day, and flowers. This month we will be learning about ponds, butterflies/caterpillars, and flags. The children will be learning about the different creatures found in ponds such as; frogs, turtles, and fish. Next, we will be discussing the life cycle of the butterfly. We are hatching butterflies in our room; You can ask you children all about it. We will be reading different books and observing each stage of the life cycle firsthand. The children are very excited. As we move forward, we will be learning about our American Flag. The children will learn what the flag stands for as well as its importance, and how it came to look the way it does. It has been a great year and the children have learned so much. Graduation is right around the corner.

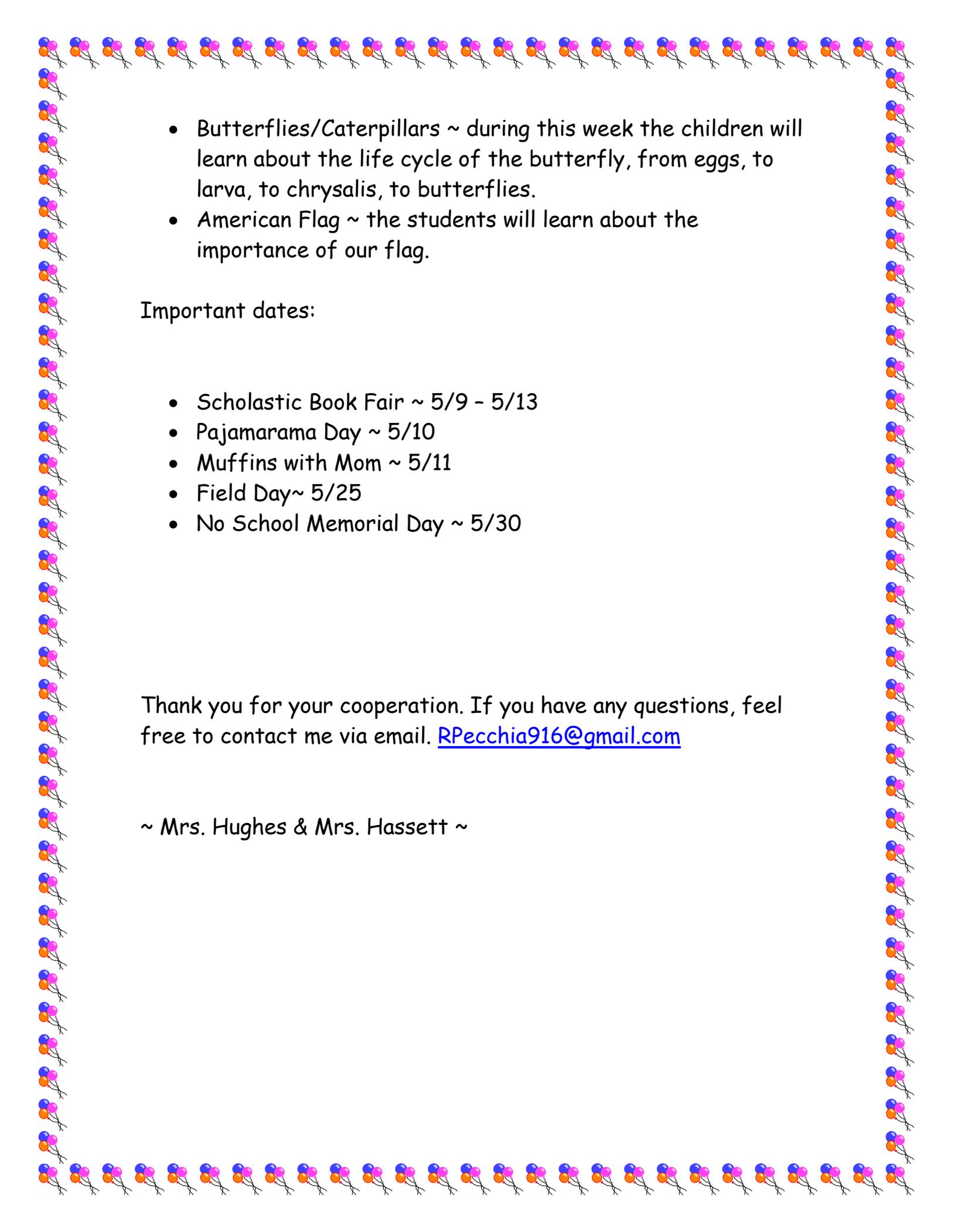
In addition to our weekly religion lessons, the children will be learning the Hail Mary, and the Our Father. We also discussed Mother Mary since May is the month dedicated in her honor.

Letters, Shapes, Colors:

- Finishing up the Alphabet
- Reviewing all shapes
- Reviewing all colors

Themes for the Month:

- Ponds ~ during this week we will learning about the different creatures found in ponds

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- Butterflies/Caterpillars ~ during this week the children will learn about the life cycle of the butterfly, from eggs, to larva, to chrysalis, to butterflies.
  - American Flag ~ the students will learn about the importance of our flag.

Important dates:

- Scholastic Book Fair ~ 5/9 - 5/13
- Pajamarama Day ~ 5/10
- Muffins with Mom ~ 5/11
- Field Day ~ 5/25
- No School Memorial Day ~ 5/30

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me via email. [RPecchia916@gmail.com](mailto:RPecchia916@gmail.com)

~ Mrs. Hughes & Mrs. Hassett ~