



May Newsletter  
Room 3  
Ms. Sharon and Ms. Dina

Dear Parents,

Welcome to the merry month of May!!! I can't believe how time has breezed by! I have mixed feelings as we near the end of the school year. It has been a joy to watch the children grow into smart, fun-loving humans. I'm excited for them to begin their adventure in Kindergarten but at the same time I want them to stay here in our class just a little bit longer.

For the month of May, the themes will be Caterpillars/Butterflies/Bugs, Cinco de Mayo, Field Day, Life Cycle of Flowers and Butterflies, Memorial Day, Mother's Day, Summer activities and Veterans. Skills to learn for this month is identifying the Odd One Out, What Does/Does NOT Belong and Same/Different.

Last month, we have learned about the weather and the changes in season. For this month we are learning about life cycles. We are growing caterpillars in our classroom! It's such a joy to see the children rush in the classroom in the morning to see how much the caterpillars have grown.

This month will be all about review of the concepts we have learned throughout the year. We will have a review of the alphabet (upper and lower case), numbers, shapes and colors. This will be done in varying activities which includes worksheets, songs, puzzles, task boxes and videos.

For religion, we continue the practice of praying the Our Father and Hail Mary in

preparation for graduation. We also talk about coming together and celebrating the mass. The community helpers we will be learning about this month: fisherman, gardener and zoo keeper.

We will also be having the Creativity Fair scheduled on the 15<sup>th</sup>. This will take place in the gym – each class is assigned a wall that they decorate. For our class, we will recreate our Recycled Art project. We will be “building” a city with recycled materials so please continue to send boxes, paper/toilet paper rolls, egg cartons, bottle caps, etc.

### Important dates for this Month:

May 4-9 M-F	Teacher Appreciation Week
May 7 Thursday	Muffins with Mom 8:45-9:45am
May 11 Sunday	Mother's Day
May 14 Wednesday	Happy Birthday Ms. Dina!!!!!!
May 12-16 M-F	Mystery Reader Week
	Scholastic Book Fair
May 15 Thursday	Creativity Fair 6:00-7:00 pm (Gym)
May 23 Friday	Unused Snow Day
May 26 Monday	Memorial Day NO SCHOOL
May 27 Tuesday	Unused Snow Day
May 29 Thursday	Field Day
	Ice Cream Social and Picnic Day
May 30 Friday	Last Full Day of Classes

**June 4 Wednesday 9:00 am GRADUATION DAY!!!!!!**

As always, please email if you have any questions and concerns, thank you for a great year! We appreciate everything you do for your children, we loved having them in our class!

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