



Montessori News

Dear Preschool families,

I can't believe the school year is almost over. It was nice talking to all of you during conferences. The baby chicks are growing every day! We will have baby chicks May 1st or 2nd. The children are so excited. They've been praying and also keeping track each day and counting down to the big hatch day. It's so exciting! We will keep them in the classroom for a week or so. Feel free to come and visit.

The month of May we will visit the continent South America. We also will finish up our letters and sounds. On Tuesday, May 15th we will go on our last field trip. We will be going to the Library off of Union to learn about the Summer Reading Program they offer. We will be joining the other preschool classes as well. The library will also give us a tour, do a craft with the children, tour the amazing gardens, and then the children will get to play on the playground. After we play we will have a group snack under the gazebo. A permission slip will follow soon.

May 30th will be preschool field day. The entire Montessori program (am and pm) join together and play lots of fun games behind the PAC. (GYM) We also will have dancing provided by DJ Teacher Leslie (LOL) in the gym. It is lots of fun!! We will need volunteers for this event to help with the games and supervising the children. A form to volunteer will be placed in your family folders latter in the month. After field day we will have pizza. May 31st is preschool graduation. If your child is not graduating they do not attend school this day. Please bring your graduating student to class at 9am. Graduation will be at 10 am in the new church. A reception will follow in Dillion hall.

Looking ahead: Our last day of Preschool is Friday June 1st. Please bring a stuffed animal this day for a fun Teddy Bear Picnic. We will play games, have fun snacks, and snuggle with our teddy bears.

It's been such a pleasure being your child's teacher this year. They all have grown so much academically, socially, and emotionally. This is one of the best classes I've ever had. I will miss

all of the graduates. I look forward to the returning kids next year. May God always bless you and your wonderful children.

Important Dates:

- May 15th – Field Trip to Union Library
- May 28th – No School
- May 31st- Preschool Field Day
- May 30th- Preschool Graduation
- June 1st- Last day of preschool

God Bless,

Leslie