
Whispering Farms Montessori News



School Closed

Just a reminder that Whispering Farms Montessori will be closed on Monday, May 31st for Memorial Day. We hope our families enjoy a restful break.

Teacher Appreciation Week

Teacher appreciation week is May 3rd-May 7th. This is a great time to let your teacher know how much you appreciate the hard work they do throughout the school year.

Muffins for Mom

Muffins for mom will be held on Monday, May 10th from 7:45 a.m. to 8:15a.m. All moms are welcome to join in sharing a muffin and juice with their child.

Parent Teacher Conferences

Parent/Teacher Conferences will be held on Saturday, May 15th. A sign up sheet will be available on the 3rd. Parent/Teacher conferences are for parents with children in Transition, Primary 1 or Primary 2.

Registration for 2010-2011

Fall registration is due by the end of May (05/28/2010) with the regular registration fee of \$100. If registration is not turned in by the due date we will assume you are not returning for the fall school year. If you are in need of a registration packet please see the front desk to obtain one.

Graduation.

Graduation into Kindergarten will be held on May, 21st. The graduation will be for children who will be entering Kindergarten in the fall. More information will be emailed out in the first week of May.



Soccer Shots!

Soccer Shots Classes begin this month. This is a great soccer program to introduce soccer in a fun and safe environment. Children will learn basic soccer skills, fun games, competitions and prizes to you child. The program also emphasizes character forming lessons. Director Ian Stover has extensive youth coaching experience and is a certified Physical Education Teacher. For more information contact Ian at 214-518-8668

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Important Dates:

05/03-05/07	Teacher Appreciation Week
05/10	Muffins for Mom
05/15	Parent/Teacher Conferences
05/21	Graduation
05/28	End of the Year Party
05/31	School Closed

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How to select a book for infants and young toddlers?

Brain research with very young children, infants to 24 months, has shown that this age group learns and responds best from materials that contain the following—

1. are repetitious
2. are simple in content
3. are rhythmic and rhyme
4. have recognizable, realistic characters
5. contain likeable characters
6. have clear, uncluttered backgrounds
7. use basic colors
8. are easily identifiable
9. are memorable and enjoyable
10. have characters surrounded by plenty of white space in order to focus
11. provides an opportunity for kinesthetic experiences



Using the list above, examine the books provided and determine IF any are desirable and appropriate for sharing with a very young child.

Be prepared to defend your choices.

Menu

May 2010 Lunch Menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3 Chicken Nuggets Carrot Pears	4 Steak fingers Corn Pudding	5 Personal Pizza Mandarin Oranges Corn	6 Ham & Cheese Apple Slices Potato Chips	7 Quesadilla Pears corn
10 Steak Fingers Diced Pears Green Beans	11 Grilled Cheese Carrots Apple Sauce	12 Burgers Corn Mandarin Oranges	13 Spaghetti Green Beans Pears	14 Hot Dog Carrots Pears
17 Mini Corndogs Applesauce Mixed Veggies	18 Ham & Cheese Mandarin Oranges Potato Chips	19 Chicken Nuggets Carrot Sticks w/ Ranch Grapes	20 Mac' n' Cheese Apple Sauce Mixed Veggies	21 Quesedilla Apple Sauce Potato chips
24 Grilled Cheese Carrots Apple Sauce	25 Steak fingers Mashed Potato Corn Pudding	26 Spaghetti Carrots Pears	27 Corn Dogs Green Beans Apple Sauce	28 Chicken Nuggets Peaches Beans
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March Birthdays!!!

05/05 Ms. Patricia
05/16 Reid
05/21 Legend
05/26 Greyson



Lunch Reminder

Our school lunches are an easy and nutritious option for your family. If you choose to provide your own lunch please make sure to send it with a cold pack. Also please do not send any frozen lunches, we can reheat food but do not have the capacity to cook them.



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Whispering Farms Montessori Academy is Prosper's first (and only) Montessori school. It was founded in January 2003. Lead Teachers in the Primary program are Montessori Certified. All teachers are CPR and First Aid Certified. We have a dedicated staff.

Our Goal is to provide a creative environment where each child will excel and learn at their own pace.

We would really appreciate it if parents could place a review about our school on any search engines like Google, Yahoo, etc..