



MT OLIVE PRESCHOOL

FEBRUARY 2021

We had a great kick off last month to the new year and we are excited for more fun coming this month.

A few reminders:

- A review of our illness protocols, if your child becomes ill and is out for more than three days due to an illness we ask that you bring in a doctor's note stating your child is okay to come back. We still need to be cautious during this time, and this will help ensure that our students and staff members stay healthy.
- Flu season is here, and we just want to remind you to look at the handouts given upon coming back to school that detail when you need to keep your child home.
- Please make sure that your child/children have a back up mask in their cubby in case their mask breaks at school. If your child does not have a back up we will have to call and have you come bring a new one, otherwise the child will have to go home.

WELCOME

Time to welcome two new families to our Mt. Olive Preschool family. We have Grady Lombardi who joined our Ladybug class, and Mina Mancuso who has joined our Caterpillar class. They are having a great time in school and have made some great friends with your children. Please be sure to introduce yourselves and give them a big welcome!

THANK YOU

A big THANK YOU to the Tagawa family for the coffee and treats you surprised us with in January. We appreciate your kindness and generosity. Another big THANK YOU to Cameron Mills for helping us to fix the door to Mrs. Nulty's classroom, we appreciate your time and tools it took to get the job done.

Valentines Day

Please bring in an empty shoe box the first week of February as we prepare for our valentines party. These boxes will be the mailboxes for the children to deliver their cards into.

On Friday February 12th we will have our Valentines Day Party. The party will begin at 10 a.m. with a fun Valentines day snack followed by a valentine card exchange. All children are invited to come even if they do not normally on Friday.

Your child may bring valentines cards to hand out to their friends. Please have your child sign only their name on the card as it makes it easier for them to hand the cards out to their friends on their own. There are a total of 17 children enrolled right now. If your child wants to bring valentines for all of the children enrolled in the school. There are 6 children enrolled in the Butterfly class, 6 Children in the Ladybug class, and 5 children enrolled in the Caterpillar class. If bringing enough for all students in the school please let the teacher know so that we can hand them off to the other class.

We ask that the valentines do not include candy of any kind. We have several children with food allergies, out of consideration for their healthy and well being we ask that you avoid bringing candy items.

COMMUNITY HELPERS WEEK

The last two weeks of this month we will be having our community helpers lessons. This is the week we introduce all of the different people in our neighborhood that help us. This can be a police officer, a teacher, a hair stylist etc. Unfortunately because of restrictions put in place due to Covid we are unable to have our guest speakers come in and talk to the kids about the jobs that they do. BUT that doesn't mean we don't want you to get involved. If you are interested in showing the kids a special job that you do for our community we would love to talk with you and find a creative way to present it to the children. Whether you give us an item from your job, or send us a picture of you at your work, it can and will be a fun experience for the children.

Book Orders

Book orders are due Friday, February 5th.

February Themes

Week 1: Fairy Tales

Week 2: Valentines day

Week 3: When I grow Up

Week 4: Community Helpers

Preschool closures

Preschool is closed, Monday, February 15th in observance of Presidents day.