

April Newsletter

MERRYHILL @ MOUNTAIN'S EDGE

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Dear Families:

It's home stretch from here and I can't believe it is almost the end of our first curriculum year here at Mountain's Edge. In 5 months we have gone from opening up with 2 little ones to growing our community to 40 students. Now that may not seem a huge leap and bound, but it is a step in the right direction during this Pandemic time. It means you are talking and your friends and family are listening. It means our city is opening and we are doing our job at create some normalcy and cherished memories for your little ones. I can tell you that in the past week, at least once a day we have either toured or spoken to someone inquiring about our school because a friend or family member spoke highly of us. So with that being said, thank you for trusting in me, our teachers and staff and in our curriculum with your little ones.

We have a number of events coming up so please make sure to check in daily if not weekly for what we have coming up.



WORD OF THE MONTH - FRIENDSHIP

This month our word is friendship. I chose this word this month because now that we have been open for 5 months and our enrollment increases, your little ones will be coming home talking about their friends in school. I am sure that as you pick up your little ones and engage in conversations from school, they now know who is in their class and often talk about their "friends". This is an important part of growth at an early age. Learning their peers names, realizing their likes, and their differences.

WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD: APRIL 12 - 16

Week Of The Young Child

Hello Merryhill families,

Week of The Young Child is a fun-filled week celebrating early learning, young children, their teachers, families, and communities. It is an opportunity for us to team up and really get more involved in your child's learning. There is so much that children learn as they sing, cook together, build together, create art, and celebrate with their families. There will be an activity for every day of that week starting on Monday, April 12, 2021 and ending that Friday. We would love for you to join in all the fun. Here is how you can be involved!

Monday 4/12 - Music Monday - Bring in your favorite lullaby that you sang or still sing to your child.

Tuesday 4/13 - Tasty Tuesday - Bring in a copy of your favorite family recipe and a photo of your child helping make it.

Wednesday 4/14 - Work Together Wednesday - In each classroom the children will be working on a project that they will get to take home to you on Friday.

Thursday 4/15 - Artsy Thursday - There will be an outdoor art gallery set up outside on the fence for you to enjoy displaying your child's artwork.

Friday 4/16 - Family Friday - We have a special gift we will be sending home to all you parents. We hope you enjoy it as much as we enjoyed making them!



Join Us For Our Ladybug Release!

Wednesday, April 22
at 10 am



In honor of Earth Day we will be spending some time outdoors releasing lady bugs and creating our own planters to care for the spring and summer!



Did you know that ladybugs are important to our environment because they act as a natural pesticide, feeding on insects like aphids, allowing us to grow healthy produce and plants.

SPIRIT WEEK: APRIL 26 - 30

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MONDAY 4/26 BASEBALL DAY

Come to school dressed in your favorite baseball team gear.

TUESDAY 4/27 CAREER DAY

Come to school dressed up in what you would like to be when you grow up.

THURSDAY 4/29 SUPER HERO DAY

Come to school as your favorite super hero or create your own super hero.

WEDNESDAY 4/28 DECADE DAY

Come to school dressed like a decade you think is groovy. (50's, 60's, 70's, 80's, ect..)

FRIDAY 4/30 WORKOUT DAY

Come to school in workout gear and we will exercise the day away.



SPECIAL GUEST FOR CAREER DAY!

SPECIAL VISITOR

LAS VEGAS METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT



Hello parents,

We will have a special visit from one of our friends at the LVMPD on Tuesday, April 27, 2021. We are so excited for the children to learn about how police officers do their jobs, how they help our community, and how they keep us safe. The children will also have a chance to ask any questions they may have. This is such a special opportunity to learn about new careers and explore the many others jobs they may want to have when they grow up.



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The flyer features a blue background with a yellow border. It includes a "SUMMER SQUAD" logo in a yellow circle and several photos of children engaged in various activities like playing with blocks and chess.

JOIN US FOR SUMMER CAMP!

We are now busy enrolling for summer! Don't miss out on all the fun themes and activities planned. Do you have a school ager that needs to put their creative energetic mind to work, this is the place to be! If you haven't signed up yet, please sign up before the end of April. After that it is first come first serve.



WELLNESS

Aly put objects together and took them apart as she tried to build a tall tower



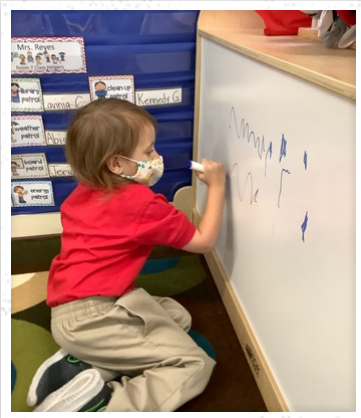
CREATIVE EXPRESSION

Athena explores and creates multi-sensory art while using several different materials.



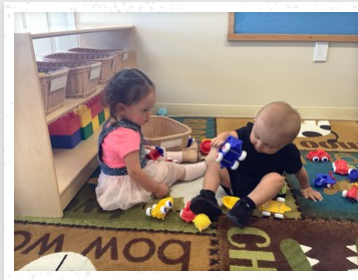
MATHEMATICS

Zia practiced recognizing numbers 1 - 50 while counting numbers on the number line during circle time.



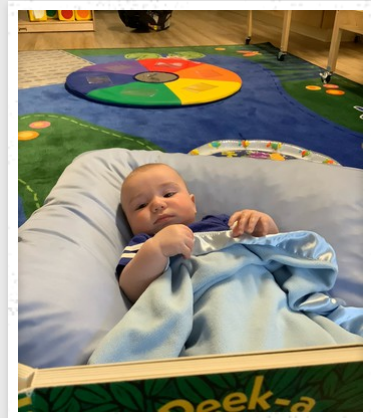
SCIENCE AND SOCIAL STUDIES

Jericho identifies common places to see nature in the community while drawing insects in the writing center.



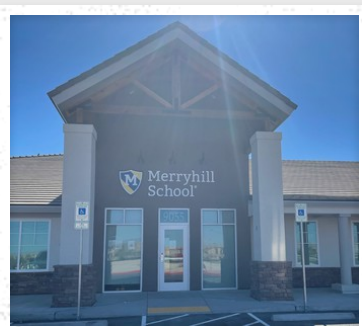
SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL

Savannah and Jaxson engaged in close parallel play during center time with construction toys.




LITERACY

Rhett was following the book pages with eyes from side to side, focusing both eyes at the same time, while Ms. Courtney read the story.



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