



Important Dates

Easter Break: April 2 -6

Spring Pictures: April 7 & 8 in class

Costume/PJ Day: May 17 & 18

Program/Last Day: May 19 & 20

10:30 a.m. & 2:00 p.m.

Please see the calendar for your class's specific days/times. Thanks!

Hi families! It's time for the last newsletter! How is that possible?! We would like to thank you all for a wonderful year. We sincerely appreciate your patience and flexibility through the pandemic. Running a school this year was a tough job and we definitely missed some of the "normal" things that come with preschool — Program Parties, Field Trips, Book Orders, etc. But most of all we missed getting to know our families better. We're hoping to welcome families back into the hallway next year. Again, thank you all for sending your children to school this year. We loved our time with them and especially loved our dance parties and celebration days. We wish you all a wonderful summer and are looking forward to seeing many of our Jr. Preschoolers back next year. Thank you again for the memorable year!

Please use this month's calendar for the activities for the last week of March. The March calendar left off the Easter activities, oops! The attached calendar is correct. Thanks!

Easter Break: April 2 — 6. Classes resume Wednesday, April 7th.

Spring Pictures: As an end-of-year thank you to everyone we are gifting each family your child's school picture. Each family will receive a digital copy of your child's school picture that you can use to order prints if you'd like. Please fill out the attached form to let us know the correct email address to send it to. Thank you! Your child's picture will be taken during class time on April 7 & 8th. We would like to thank our photographer Erica McCauley who has donated her time and talent to us for over 10 years!

Kids' Yoga Day: Every year our school participates in Kids' Yoga Day. On this day, we join over 100,000 other kids from around the world in doing a 5 minute yoga sequence with poses from the book the ABCs of Yoga for Kids. It's always a great day!

End of Year Party: We will be having end of year parties in class on May 17th and 18th. If it is nice we'll go outside for some of the time, if not, we'll play inside. We're planning for parachute play, bubbles, chalk, balls, hula hoops, an instrument parade and more! Children are welcome to wear costumes or pajamas to school for our party!

Program: At this time, we are planning for an in-person Spring Music Programs on May 19 & 20. The program day will also be your child's last day of school. The programs will be held in the sanctuary of Zion. Morning classes will be at 10:30 a.m. and afternoon classes will be at 2:00 p.m. Each child can have 2 adult guests attend (siblings are also welcome). Adults and school age children must wear masks in the building. We will not have a party after this year unfortunately, but we are excited to be able to welcome you to hear us sing and watch us do some sign language and yoga. The programs are usually less than 20 minutes and children are free to leave with you when the programs are finished.

Kindergarten Enrollment: For those of you that live in town and are off to Kindergarten in the Fall, Enrollment for 2021-22 is now available on the Minot Public Schools website. Please see the instructions and orientation information under the ENROLLMENT LINKS. Please note your child must be age 5 by July 31, 2021 to attend school in the fall. Questions? Call Bev Paulin, District Enrollment Specialist at 701-857-4444. And — ENJOY KINDERGARTEN! We'll miss you!

Preschool Enrollment: We still have openings for the 21-22 school year which we will begin advertising for in April. If you or someone you know needs a spot, please let them know. Thank you!

Outside: The weather is warming up and the yard is drying out — time to get back outside! Please send your child with a jacket or sweatshirt each day so it is available when we have time to go outside. Thanks!

What's New: Shaun's room theme center will switch from a Grocery Store to a Restaurant. Sara's room theme center will switch from a Garden Center to a Post Office!

We wish you all a great April and May! Please let us know if you have any questions. Thank you!

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