



Newton-Watertown Creative Start Children's Center
Family Newsletter
May 2024



Important Dates:

- May 3- Parent Group with Shachi
- May 6-May 10-Teacher Appreciation Week
- May 12-Mother's Day
- May 13-No School
- May 16- Open house 3-6 PM
- May 21-Parent Meeting
- May 24- All Around the world Cultural Festival
- May 27-Memorial Day-Center Closed
- May 28-Open house 2:30 -4:30 PM
- May 29 or May 30-Kindergarten Information Night- Will be confirmed

A Note from Ms. Forooz

Dear Families and Friends :

Happy mother's day to all families. We will celebrate this day on Friday, May 10. More details will be on the way.

During month of May we will celebrate Teacher Appreciation Week .The week of May 6 to May 10 is the week of Celebrating Teachers and the amazing work they do each day! Teachers are the unsung heroes of our society, tirelessly dedicating themselves to shaping the future of our world. But, how often do we pause to appreciate their efforts and impacts? So, whether you're an educator, a school administrator, a parent, or just someone who wishes to express gratitude to a teacher, please acknowledge and value their efforts, because that leads to increased enthusiasm and energy in their work. I appreciate your support! With love from all of us at NW Creative Start, Happy month of May to all families and friends.



Family Engagement

Parent Meeting

Our May Parent Meeting is scheduled for May 21st.
 Agenda include:
 Secretary's report
 Treasurer report
 Center Administrator Report
 Family event and Family group
 Child Outcomes
 Toddler Assessment
 School Readiness Update
 Family events
 Recruitment & Open House
 SNAP-Attendance &
 USDA Nutrition
 Policy Council rep.

Social-Emotional Information
with Miss Shachi

Preschoolers are learning about speaking assertively. If someone treats you in unsafe or mean ways, speaking up assertively is a respectful way to deal with it. Toddlers are continuing to learn impulse control, task initiation, attention, and flexibility.

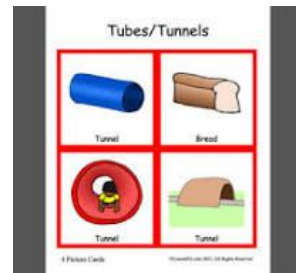
Happy May Birthday



**Gabriella
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Classroom 2-Miss Anahita and Miss Barbara

What we learned about in the month of April: In April we learned about Construction, tubes, tunnels, technology, and engineering. Children learned about people who built, homes and other structures and the tools they use. Children drew houses and used other materials to make houses, bridges and tunnels. We used paper, plastic cups and coins to experiment and find out how to make bridges sturdier. Favorite book was "Builders and Breakers" Favorite song: Johnny Works with One Hammer. In May we will be studying Spring, planting and recycling. Family engagement activities: Drawing your own home, and Sort Any Way You Like



Classroom 3-Miss Carla and Miss Jen

What we learned about in the month of April We learned all about planting and recycling. We planted several different varieties of seeds (sunflower, morning glory, beans and lentils) We also experimented with potatoes; We planted a half of a potato in dirt and one we put in Water to observe which would grow better. We also talked about recycling and what and how We recycle. Our favorite book was My First book of Growing Food by Asa Gillian. Our Favorite Song was Five Little Seeds. Our favorite activities were planting seeds and making things With recycled materials such as shaker bottles. Next month we are doing an author study on Eric Carle



Classroom 4-Miss Toba, Miss Robina, Miss Vehanush

What we learned about in the month of April We have been learning about plants and Planting and how they start as seeds and can grow in soil or just water. For our STEM theme we learned about Recycling, and other ways we can help conserve our planet's natural resources. Children learned to recognize the the recycle logo around the classroom and the playground. Favorite Book: ONE BEAN By: Megan Halesy Favorite Song: "This is the way we plant the seed". In Month of May we Will be studying about Kindergarten and STEM Topic will be MATH. Class 4's teachers would like to said thank you to all for participating on week of young children activities. Family engagement activity: collecting recycles and find recycle logo

