

ay always makes my mom heart happy. Both the home mom and school mom heart. In a sense, we are sort of mothers to the children when they are here at school. We don't even feel awkward when the kids accidently call us mom. And although their little hearts will always love you most, the fact that they love us too is endearing and an honor.



This month we are not only celebrating Mother's Day, but also recognizing our teachers for their hard work. Teacher Appreciation Week is always a wonderful time for us. We feel so loved and it reminds us that what we do is truly important. Thank you for helping us make their week!



We are nearing the end of our school year. What a whirlwind it has been. Constant changes, new faces, and missing the old ones. But we have persevered and have grown to the point where we are now fully opened. All 4 rooms are now in service for learning. Not all our teachers have returned to us, but we are hoping by the fall, they will be here. Thank you to the parents who placed their trust in us, brought their children back and referred us to their friends and family. Your support has helped us get back to business and we are grateful to you.

With the end of school comes others endings. We have one that makes me very sad. Ms. Angela Sanchez has decided to retire at the end of summer. She has been a fixture in our center for almost 30 years! She has been a part of our teaching team in almost every room, had countless co-Teachers and cared for and instructed hundreds if not more students during her time here. Angela is a dedicated, organized, talented teacher, always willing to go beyond the call of duty. She was never shy to dance with the kids and wear silly things on special days. Ms. Angela was honest, yet kind. She wasn't a hugger, but I caught her many times giving the children hugs when they needed it. And I always snuck in a hug here and there as well. Her generous heart and fashionable style will always be remembered. We will miss her tremendously. She is well loved by many, and will be missed by all.

Please remember to check the important date box for days to remember. I will be keeping you updated on our plans for graduation and end-of-the-year field trip. We don't know if we can have graduation or not. The end of the year field trip has been a challenge since not much is open yet, and the places that are, are completely booked. We do want to celebrate your little ones as they reach this milestone and will find a way somehow to show them how much they will be missed.

As we go through May, I hope the following for you: May you



love and cherish your Mothers and thank them for all they do. May you enjoy the sunshine, flowers and fresh air. May you you find joy in all the things we have not been able to do since March of last year. May you always appreciate us here at Discoveryland as much as we appreciate you. Have a beautiful month of May.

> Sincerely, Ms. Penny Corpus, Director





## DISCOVERYLAND MENU Breakfast, Lunch, Snack

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
3	4	5	6	7
Corn Chex Cereal,	*French Toast,	*Cinnamon Toast,	*Bagels w/Cream Cheese,	Cheerios, Bananas & 1%
Blueberries & 1% Milk	Strawberries & 1% Milk	Mango & 1% Milk	Papaya & 1% Milk	Milk
Spaghetti w/Pesto Sauce, Tossed Salad, Garlic Bread, Oranges & 1% Milk	Cheese Enchilada, Corn, Spanish Rice, Watermelon & 1% Milk	Beef Tortas, Lettuce & Tomatoes, Apples & 1% Milk	Hamburger Steak, Mashed Potatoes/w Gravy, Garlic Bread, Honey Dew & 1% Milk	*Tuscan Grill Cheese Sandwich, Curly Fries, Honey Dew & 1% Milk
*Wheat Thins Crackers,	Graham Crackers &	Cheese-It Crackers &	Pita Bread Sandwiches &	Vanilla Crackers & Grape
Cheeses & Apple Juice	Pineapple Juice	Cranberry Juice	Orange Juice	Juice
10	11	12	13	14
*Raisin Bran Cereal,	English Muffins, Papaya &	Waffles, Strawberries &	Blueberry Muffins, Mango	Corn Chex Cereal,
Peaches & 1% Milk	1% Milk	1% Milk	& 1% Milk	Blueberries & 1% Milk
Lasagna, Broccoli,	*Beans & Cheese Burritos,	*Beef Salad Wrap,	Beef Stir Fry, Broccoli,	*Wham & Cheese
Garlic Bread,	Green Beans, Spanish	Cucumber, Apples & 1%	*Steamed Rice, Pineapple	Sandwiches, Tater Tots,
Watermelon & 1% Milk	Rice, Oranges & 1% Milk	Milk	& 1% Milk	Pineapple & 1% Milk
Pita Bread Sandwiches &	Animal Crackers &	Goldfish Crackers &	*Whole Wheat Crackers &	Ritz Crackers & Orange
Pineapple Juice	Cranberry Juice	Apple Juice	1% Grape Juice	Juice
17	18	19	20	21
Cheerios, Bananas & 1%	*Oat & Banana Pancakes,	Egg & Cheese Croissant,	Bagels w/ Cream Cheese,	*Raisin Bran Cereal,
Milk	Strawberries & 1% Milk	Mango & 1% Milk	Peaches & 1% Milk	Peaches & 1% Milk
Macaroni & Cheese, Supper Links, Green Salad, Garlic Bread, Cantaloupes & 1% Milk	Cheese Quesadilla, Green Beans, Spanish Rice, Oranges & 1% Milk	Beans Tortas, Lettuce & Tomatoes, Apples, & 1% Milk	<b>Orange Chik'n</b> , *Steamed Rice, Broccoli, Watermelon & 1% Milk	Cheese Pizza w/BK Sausage Patty, French Fries, Peaches & 1% Milk
*Belvita Crackers &	Graham Crackers, Yogurt	Cheese-It Crackers &	Ritz Crackers & Orange	Pita Bread Sandwiches &
Apple Juice	& Pineapple Juice	Grape Juice	Juice	Cranberry Juice
24	25	26	27	28
Corn Chex Cereal,	*Cinnamon Toast,	Waffles, Papaya & 1%	Egg & Cheese Burrito,	Cheerios, Banana & 1%
Blueberries & 1% Milk	Strawberries & 1% Milk	Milk	Mango & 1% Milk	Milk
South-of-the-Border Pasta, Celery, Garlic Bread, Watermelon, & 1% Milk	Tostaditas, Corn, Spanish Rice, Honey Dews & 1% Milk	<b>Chik'n Nuggets,</b> Cucumber,* Strawberry Jam Sandwich, Apples & 1% Milk	Teriyaki Hamburger, *Steamed Rice, Broccoli, Pineapples & 1% Milk	Cheese Burger, Curly Fries, Oranges & 1% Milk
*Wheat Thins Crackers &	Goldfish Crackers & Apple	Vanilla Wafers, &	Pita Bread Sandwiches	*Belvita Crackers &
Pineapple Juice	Juice	Cranberry Juice	Orange Juice	Grape Juice
31				
Memorial Day				
No School				

\* (WGR) Whole Grain – Rich food item. Examples below:

- \* Whole grain bread
- \* Brown rice
- \* Whole grain tortilla
- \* Whole grain cereal

\* We serve only 100% juices at our center