



January 2022

Room 5

Ms. Amanda & Ms. Katy

Important dates:

1/17/22: Human Rights Day-No School

1/18/22: Ezri's 4th Birthday!

1/19/22: Hanano's 4th Birthday!

1/29/22: Liam's 4th Birthday!

1/31/22: Leo's 5th Birthday!

Montessori Academy



Hello Families!

Welcome back! I can't believe it is already 2022! I hope you all enjoyed spending time with loved ones during the holiday season. I am excited to get back into our routine, welcome two new students and make 2022 the best year yet!

This month we will be focusing on the season of Winter, Antarctica, snow, animal footprints, hibernation and penguins. We will also read *The Snowy Day* by Ezra Jack Keats and *The Mitten* by Jan Brett. Some other themes include snowflake cutting, land and water forms, and using a ruler to measure!

Additionally this month we will introduce food work. We will start with peeling and slicing cucumbers or apples, then move to spreading sunflower seed butter on crackers. Due to Covid we will have to do this individually. If you would like your child to participate please have them bring an apple or cucumber specifically for this work.

As a reminder, we are a **nut-free** classroom which includes peanuts as well as tree nuts. We have two students with allergies to all nuts, I apologize for the inconvenience. Lastly, please remember appropriate clothing for the weather. This can be a challenge as we want to foster independence but also want to keep them safe and healthy. If I can help in any way please reach out to me.

Sincerely,
Ms. Amanda

