

# Ms. Patricia

# MONTESSORI IN MOTION

# January 2026

Monday <i>Outdoor Enrichment</i>	Tuesday <i>PE/2&amp;3 Yr Old Sharing Day</i>	Wednesday <i>4 Yr Old Sharing Day</i>	Thursday <i>Art/Cooking</i>	Friday <i>Music/5 Yr Old Sharing Day</i>
Zoology: North American Animals Geography: North America Poem: "Five Little Bears"	Science: Herbs Music: "5 Oceans & 7 Continents"		 <b>Winter Break<sup>1</sup></b> NO SCHOOL	 <b>Winter Break<sup>2</sup></b> NO SCHOOL
 <b>BACK TO SCHOOL</b> Sound: Ll	6	7	8 <b>Cooking:</b> <i>Herb Crusted Crescents</i>	 <b>PARENT NIGHT</b> <i>Parent Education Night @ 6:15 Nutrition &amp; Practical Life</i>
12  Sound: Kk	13	14	15 <b>Cooking:</b> <i>Homemade Potato Chips</i>	16
 <b>JANUARY 19<sup>th</sup>, NO SCHOOL KING JR. DAY MARTIN LUTHER -I Have a Dream-</b>	20	21	22 <b>Cooking:</b> <i>Tomato Butter Spaghetti</i>	23
 <b>PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION Open Now!</b> <i>Enrollment for Current Families</i>	27	28	29 <b>Cooking:</b> <i>Garlic Noodle Stir Fry</i>	30

Happy new year!

Hope you all had a great winter break. Best wishes for the 2026 new year. In January we are having a family Ed night. Please mark your calendars! We will cover practical life activities and nutrition. I'm planning on having you all cook with your children. Of course I would like them to do most of the prep just like we do in class. Your participation would be greatly appreciated. It's on February 9th at 6:15 PM. See you there!

Now that winter is officially here, please remember to dress your child for the weather. Remember to layer your child and provide rain gear, rain boots and gloves. For now we have a small supply of hand warmers. If you'd like to donate a box we will give you work bond for it.

Special thanks to those who have provided snack for us in December! We appreciate it. If you are looking for work bond credits please see me. There are things that are needed in our classroom in addition to snacks and cooking items. We'll give back what you spent on any item we need for your work bond.

Thanks and best wishes for 2026,  
Ms. Patricia and Ms. Kassandra

**Notes from the Art Corner:**

Happy New Year! I hope you and your family had a wonderful Winter Break!

We've been busy, busy in art class at the end of the year! Over the last few months we've created luminarias to light the way, learned about "texture", and worked with oil pastels, watercolors, tempera, and canvas. Looking forward to learning about self-portraiture, contrasting colors, and sculpture in the weeks ahead!  
Mrs. Farber

## DATES TO REMEMBER



02/02

Registration for  
Wait-list Families

02/07

Open House

10:00AM - 12:00PM

Registration Opens to  
Public



Valentine's  
Day  
Luncheon's



02/09 Ms. Mallory & Ms. Patricia

02/12 Ms. Kristen & Ms. Megan



February  
13th - 16th  
Presidents  
Day  
No School

02/27  
Ms. Mallory's  
Evening  
Program



If University Place school district closes, we will be closed. If they have a late start, then we will open at 10:00am. No AM childcare, this will ensure our staff can get to school safely and in time for us to prepare the grounds for your safety. If we have 3 closures, we will have make-up days. Listen to local radio or TV stations or check the Internet ([www.upsd.wednet.edu/upsd/site](http://www.upsd.wednet.edu/upsd/site) or [www.montessoriinmotion.org](http://www.montessoriinmotion.org)) for school closure

