The Building Blocks



January 2026 Newsletter

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As we wrap up this year, we want to take a moment to say thank you for being part of our preschool family. It has been such a joy watching the children learn, grow, and build friendships. From big smiles to new skills, this year has been filled with special moments we'll always remember.

As we look ahead, we are so excited for the new year and all that it will bring! We have many fun activities, learning opportunities, and special events planned, and we can't wait to share them with your children. Thank you for your continued support—we're ready for another amazing year

Mark all belongings with your child's name

A reminder from NPA Staff: NPA closes at <u>5:30</u>. A late pick up fee will be applied to those who pick up after 5:30. The fee is \$3 per minute. If to many late pick-ups are encountered, this may result in termination of services.

Thank you for all your cooperation and support.



Important Information

January 1, 2026 — Closed, Happy New Year!

January 8, 2026 — 100th day of school!

Dress up as an old person!

January 16th - Parent Appreciation Day

January 19th - Closed, Teacher In-Service Day

Happy Birthday

Lavina Hoschar-1/2/2022-3 years old Rosalinda Ramos-1/2/2025-1 year old Adelynn Rivera-1/5/2022-4 years old Ahmyra Camacho-1/9/2024-2 years old Edward Turner-1/12/2021-5 years old Wylder Starcher-1/04/2023-3 years old McKenna Brown-1/16/2023-3 years old Jaeger Araujo-1/19/2021-5 years old Paisley Raiford-1/26/2022-4 years old Ezra Karstens-1/30/2024-2 years old

Infants

Dear parents,

Happy New Year! 2026 is finally here!

We are excited to welcome January and a brand new year filled with growth, smiles and cozy moments.

Our infants will enjoy gentle winter themed activities designed to support sensory exploration, bonding and early development in a warm and nurturing environment.

The curriculum for this month will consist of the letters p and w, the number 7, the shape a rectangle and the color blue. We will be learning about penguins, polar bears and blizzards.

This month 2 beautiful babies will be moving on up to the ONES class, Benito and Amelia. We are excited to meet our new students and also congratulate Rosalinda who this month will be turning one year old.

We look forward to a joyful and cozy January together!

***Please remember to label infant bottles and lids.

With Love, Mrs. Lumi

Infants







Ones

Happy New Year, families! This January, our one-year-old classroom is excited to kick off the new year by exploring the poles through fun, sensory-filled activities featuring polar animals, winter play, songs, and stories. As we learn and grow together, we'll focus on our letters F, H, and O, practice counting 7, explore the color blue, and discover the rectangle shape all around us. We're looking forward to a cozy, playful month full of smiles and giggles!

PLEASE READ: We have noticed an increase in illnesses recently, and we kindly ask that if your child is sick, please keep them home and follow our 24-hour illness policy—thank you for being courteous and helping keep all of our friends and staff healthy.

Ones









Twos

Happy new years!

Dear parents,

Happy New Year families! We are so excited to bring in the new year. We are starting off the year by exploring the poles, learning about different new year celebrations around the world, doing fun crafts and so much more! We will focus on the letters: Ff, Hh, and Oo, the number 7, the color blue and the shape rectangle. We are ready for a fun year!

We have a few birthday's coming this month, McKenna and Wylder.

THIS IS FLU SEASON

- If your child has a fever in the morning, please do not give them medicine and bring them in, they are still contagious.
- If your child has a fever the night before school, please keep them home,
 (we have a 24 hour policy)
- If your child is throwing up the night before or in the morning, please keep them home.
- If your child has had diarrhea 3 or more times within a day, please keep them home.

Just a few reminders:

- Please regularly check and clean out your child's cubby.
- Please send lots of extra clothes, we do get messy!
- If you are ready for your child to start potty training, please start with them during the weekend and we will continue throughout the week!
- Please make sure you have a labeled water bottle every day.

As always, thank you all for everything, you are all very appreciated! Please reach out anytime if you have any questions at all!

Mrs. Samara

Twos











Threes

We are so excited for another fun-filled month in our three-year-old classroom! This month, we will be learning the letters **Ff, Hh, and Oo**, exploring the numbers **11 and 12**, discovering the color **blue**, and learning all about the **rectangle** shape. Our days will be full of songs, stories, and hands-on activities to help make learning fun and meaningful.

We have so many exciting things planned, including practicing our writing skills, creating fun and colorful crafts, and lots of playful learning throughout the day. Thank you for sharing your wonderful children with us—we can't wait to make many happy memories and watch them continue to grow and learn this month!

Threes









Fours

Exploring The Poles

Letter(s) of the month: Ff, Hh, and Oo Number(s) of the month: 11 and 12 Shape of the month: Rectangle Color of the month: Blue Happy Birthday: Lavina 01/2 Adelynn 01/5 Paisley 01/26

Welcome to the 4s class. Until the end of the school year we will be preparing for VPK. By the time they leave my class they will know how to cut, glue, read/recognize names as well as be able to write first and last names. The children are doing an amazing job with everything we have been learning. Be proud of their smart little minds and how much they have accomplished. I know I am. We strive for independence in our class. PLEASE SEND IN A SWEATER IT CAN GET REALLY COLD IN OUR CLASSROOM.... IT WILL BE SENT HOME ON FRIDAY TO BE WASHED. Girls please wear shorts under dresses. They are at the curious stage.

Friendly Reminder:

- Please make sure your child has a water bottle with name every day.
- Extra clothes with name if your child has to change during the week I will send home all extra clothes on Friday so you may repack missing items.
- Anything your child brings from home needs to have their name on it please. If it gets lost and their name is Not on it. I am not responsible for the missing item.

Thank you Mrs. Tonya and Mrs. Ciera

Fours















VPK

Happy New Year everyone! This month we will begin to focus on writing our first and last names independently! We will also resume working on our animal letters and counting.

Throughout this month we will also learn about Martin Luther King Jr. and his importance in our history! Coming up this month we will also have the 100th day of school! For this day please dress your child up as an old person.

Just a reminder, the weather has begun to get a bit cooler so please make sure your child has a sweater or jacket with them for when we go outside!

Important Dates To Remember:

- January 1st: NPA CLOSED Happy New Year!!
 - January 8th: 100th Day Of School!
 - January 16th: Parent Appreciation Day
- January 19th: NPA CLOSED (In-service day and MLK)

We have a weekly newsletter that goes out every Monday so you know what your child is doing weekly! If you have any questions or concerns please let us know!

Please put your child's name on the water bottle, some kids have the same one.

Ms. Carol, Ms. Jasmine and Mrs. Janet

VPK













MEAL	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1/5/2025	5-1/9/2025		
Breakfast	Cheerios, Bananas, Milk	Biscuits w/ Jelly, Blueberries, Milk	Pancakes, Apples, Milk	Blueberry muffins, Bananas, Milk	Yogurt Parfait, Toast, (wg) Apple sauce, Milk
tunch	Macaroni Salad, Baked beans, Rolls, (wg) Pears, Milk	BBQ meatballs, Pineapple, Green beans, Milk	Chicken nuggets, Hawaiian rolls (wg), Broccoli, Milk	Black beans & rice w/ chicken, Pineapple, Milk	Cheese quesadil- las, Watermelon, Mixed veggies, Milk
snack	Goldfish, Apple juice, Water	Graham Crackers (wg), Cheese sticks, Water	Wheat thins, Pears, Water	Animal crackers (wg), Peaches, Water	Cheeze-itz, Raisins, Water
9			5-1/16/2025		
Breakfast	Strawberry muffins, Blueberries, Milk	Waffles (wg), Oranges, Milk	Honey bunches of oats, Strawberries, Milk	Pancakes, Pineapples, Milk	Sausages & Toast, Apples, Milk
Lunch	Rice with ground beef w/ veggies, Rolls, Pears, Milk	Chicken alfredo, Broccoli, Apple sauce, Milk	Turkey & cheese sandwiches (wg), (Crackers with turkey and cheese for 1's and 2's) Peas, Apples, Milk	Chicken quesadillas (wg), Watermelon, Peas, Milk	Wow butter and jelly sandwiches (wg), Peas, Pears Milk
snack	Graham Crack- ers (wg), Yogurt, Water	Rice cakes, Pineapples, Water	Goldfish, Cheese sticks, Water	Animal crackers (wg), Raisins, Water	Wheat thins, Cheese sticks, water
		1/19/2025	5-1/23/2025		
Breakfast	CLOSED	Eggs & sausage, Oranges, Milk	Strawberry muffins, Bananas, Milk	Waffles (wg), Strawberries, Milk	Cheerios (wg), Apples, Milk
Lunch	CLOSED	Ham & cheese sandwiches, (wg) Apples, Green beans, Milk	Meatball Subs, Mixed fruit, Broccoli, Milk	Tacos (wg), Corn, Pineapples, Milk	Cheese quesadillas (wg), Watermelon, Mixed veggies, Milk
snack	CLOSED	Goldfish, Sliced Apples, Water	Graham crackers (wg), Raisins, Water	Trail mix, Cheese sticks, Water	Pretzels, Apples, Water
		1/26/2025	5-1/30/2025		
Breakfast	Cheerios (wg), Bananas, Milk	Blueberry muffins, Apples, Milk	Toast w/ cinna- mon (wg), Apples, Milk	Raisin bread, Strawberries, Milk	Cheesy eggs, Sausages, Blueberries, Milk
Lunch	Rice & chicken, Broccoli, Pears, Milk	Mac & cheese w/ diced ham, Green beans, Mixed fruit, Milk	Turkey and cheese wrap, Peas & Carrots, Apples, Milk	Cheese quesadillas, Pears, Corn, Milk	Chicken nuggets, Hawaiian rolls (wg), Oranges, Mixed veggies, Milk
**snack	Pretzels, Grapes, Water	Graham crackers (wg), Raisins, Water	Animal crackers (wg), Raisins, Water	Rice Cakes (wg), Fruit Cocktail, Water	Sun chips, Yogurt, Water