

Montessori Birthday Celebration

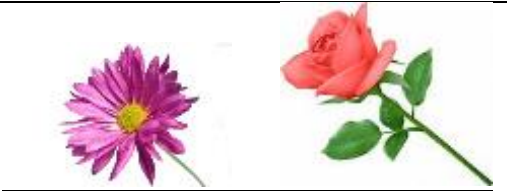




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Child's Name		Age	
Birthday		Celebration Date	

Dear Parents,

A Montessori birthday celebration takes a different approach from the traditional focus on gifts, party bags, and lots of sugary food.

Only one or more of the following items are allowed during the child's birthday celebration, due to serious allergies and sugar related complications for all children.

1. Number of flowers that the parent will be bringing _____	
2. Pizza	
3. Fruit Plater	
4. Vegetable plater	
5. Cheese & Crackers	

OVER PLEASE



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The CELEBRATION OF LIFE is a wonderful way to celebrate a birthday by honoring a child's life and accomplishments. If possible, please send in one birth photo, one at 1 year old, one at 2 years old, etc. and write a short life story to be brought in to school for their celebration (the photos will be returned).

The following is a sample life story. *We ask that you let your child participate in selecting pictures and writing his or her life story for this celebration.*

THE STORY OF _____ (Child's Name)

_____ was born on _____ (month, day, year), in _____ (city, state, country, continent) on the planet earth. He/she had to be held and taken care of all the time, couldn't talk to or tell mom or dad what was needed, had to wear diapers, drank lots of milk and slept most of the time.

By _____ months he/she could _____ (sit, up by his/herself, crawl, etc.).

When _____ was 1 year old he/she _____ (learned to walk, etc.). He/she loved to _____.

At 2 years old _____ (learned to use the potty, etc.) _____.

When _____ was 3 years old! He/she can _____ all by his/herself! His/her favorite color is _____, favorite food is _____, and favorite activity is _____ etc.

The Celebration of Life is done during the opening circle time. You are welcome to join your child's celebration by reading your child's story as they carry a globe, and walk around a sun that is placed in the middle of the circle. If you are unable to attend, a teacher will read it. In either case, thank you for your help in making your child's celebration a meaningful and memorable event.

For the safety of all children: No balloons, no candles, no cake, no decorations, no sugar, and anything that could be potentially harmful to children.

Thank you again!

With gratitude,

Montessori Ivy League Management

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