

May 2023

PIEDMONT FAMILY YMCA CHILD CARE CENTER



We are so excited for this month as we have so many fun things planned. We hope that all of our wonderful mothers can come celebrate with us for our [Mothers Day Brunch](#) on May 12th!! We will have yummy food, music, and enjoy each others company!

[Teacher Appreciation Week](#) is May 1st-5th! We are excited to show our teachers how much they are appreciated for their dedication, love, and hard work!

This is also the month that we celebrate our rising Kindergarteners by having their [PreK Graduation Ceremony](#) on [May 26th](#). Although we are saddened to see them leave, we are so ecstatic for them to begin their new journey as kindergartners.



IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

* Continue to stay diligent and aware of COVID and any other sickness symptoms. We ask that if your child is showing symptoms that they do not return to the center until they have been 48 hours symptom free.

*Morning drop off/cut off time is at 9:00 AM.

Important Dates:

May 1st-5th:
Teacher
Appreciation Week

May 12th: Mothers
Day Brunch

May 26th: PreK
Graduation

May 29th: ELC
Closed in
observance of
Memorial Day

CLASSROOM NEWS

May BIRTHDAYS:

Emma G. 5/04

Micah C. 5/26

Caleb C. 5/26



For photos of the kids and other YMCA news, be sure to check our Facebook page:

[Facebook.com/YMCAPiedmont](https://www.facebook.com/YMCAPiedmont)

Infant 1

"April Showers bring May flowers!" We hope everyone had a wonderful holiday. We will talk about the different kinds of weather and how they affect plant life. We would like to wish Happy Mothers Day to all the mothers.

Infant 2

Time is flying, we are finally in May! We have a Mothers day craft that we are excited about doing to show our appreciation to all the wonderful mothers. Also we'd like to remind you to send in weather-appropriate clothes as the weather is changing.

Toddler

This month we will be doing a Mother's Day craft showing how much we appreciate mothers! We are also still working on how to deal with our emotions. As a reminder, please send in weather-appropriate clothes and sunscreen if needed!

Twos

Happy Mother's Day! We are so excited to celebrate the amazing mothers of our favorite children this month. We can't wait to send home fun crafts made for the moms! This month we will be learning about nature and different types of animals and their environment. With weather getting warmer (and sometimes colder) please send in some summer clothes. Welcome summer!

Threes

Happy May Day! We look forward to doing many fun things this month. We have finished our STREAMin3 curriculum for the year and will be starting with our summer plans. For the month of May we will be exploring weather, animal habitats, pets/pet care, and insect life cycles. We will be working on emotional regulation, empathy and social skills.

Pre-K

Wow! May came fast! We will be making something special for Mother's Day, so be on the lookout. We can't believe its time for PreK Graduation! We are sad for them to leave us, but so excited for their new adventure.