**Weekly Schedule for Verde**

**Monday, May 4th**

**Morning Work Time- 9-11am**

* **9:00 Morning Planning Time with Ms. Melissa** -Join Ms. Melissa as she walks your child through planning their day with the help of a visual schedule.
* **Outside lesson with Ms**. **Melissa- Painting rocks for your neighbors!** Spend a little bit of time finding some rocks that you can paint, and then place around the neighborhood for your neighbors to find when they are out walking.
* **Living/Non Living Lesson with Ms. Melissa-** Check out this introductory lesson on zoology classification! There is a half sheet of paper provided in your packet with living and non-living pictures for your child to color, cut and sort!
* **Kindergarten Mtg**- 9:00-9:30
* **Morning check-ins, follow ups, parent zooms-** 10:00-11:00 \*I will reach out to schedule these as needed for your child. Parent zooms will be a signup on Bloomz
* **Art with Ms. Michelle-** For art this week we will be making an African sunset picture with animal silhouettes. You will need: Paper, preferably larger like 11x17 but 8x10 will work, red orange yellow and black soft pastels, plain cheap hairspray like rave or aquanet (to seal the pastel) \*if you don't have pastels, you can use red, orange, and yellow watercolor and a black pencil, crayon, or marker for the animals
* **Bonus! Cooking with Ms. Michelle Happy Cinco De Mayo!** Join Ms. Michelle on her Bloomz video as she teaches you how to make fresh guacamole!

You will need:

-2-3 RIPE avocados ( You can buy green avocados and they should be ready in 2-3 days)

-Limes

-Salt & Pepper

-cumin powder

-fresh cilantro

-onion (any color)

-garlic

-tomato

 -jalapeno or other chili (optional)

 -tortilla chips for dipping, or you can put it on tacos, enchiladas or toast

**Zoom Circle Time with Ms. Rohini- 11am**

Join me at circle this morning with songs, fingerplay and story time! We will read a book `The Wish Tree’ and make a wish for each other’s happiness and peace.

**Lunch 11:30-12:15**

**Outside time 12:15-1pm**

**Afternoon Work Time- 1-3:30pm**

* **Afternoon Activity with Ms. Joan Who is ready for a scavenger hunt?** Find 5 living and non-living things in your home. Draw or write their names! (No materials provided for this activity)
* **Afternoon Check-ins, follow ups** 1:00-2:00 \*I will reach out to schedule these as needed for your child.
* **End of the School Day** 3:30
* **Parent Zoom Meetings-** 2:00-4:00 Parent zooms will be a signup on Bloomz

**Tuesday, May 5th-**

**Morning Work Time- 9-11am**

* **9:00 Morning Planning Time with Ms. Melissa** -Join Ms. Melissa as she walks your child through planning their day with the help of a visual schedule.
* **Outside lesson with Ms**. **Melissa- Create your own animal habitat in your own backyard.** Gather up animal toys you have at home and bring them outside. Can you find a spot to create a farm/jungle/forest home for your friends? See what you can bring to make the scene even more awesome! Could you build a fence to keep them safe? A home for a human friend? Have fun today using your imagination…
* **Do you know what the difference between a vertebrate and invertebrate is?** Watch Ms. Melissa’s lesson and find out! Materials: ½ sheet of paper with vertebrates and invertebrates to color, cut out and sort.
* **Kindergarten Lesson-** Andrew 9:00-9:30
* **Morning Lessons-**
* 9:30-10:00 Daniel, Gracie
* 10:00-10:15 Chloe, Lahiri, Georgia
* 10:20-10:35 Niam, Leo
* 10:40-10:55 Finn, Nadia

**Bloomz Spanish Circle Time with Mr. Shawn- 11am**

This week Mr. Shawn will be talking about all thing weather.  He has a printout to share and will post that in the morning so that you have time to print for circle. The school will happily provide any Spanish printouts in your child’s packet starting on May 15th.

**Lunch 11:30-12:15**

**Outside time 12:15-1pm**

**Afternoon Work Time- 1-3:30pm**

* **Afternoon Activity with Ms. Joan- - W is for worm.** Materials: w is for worm template, colored pencils or markers
* **Afternoon Lessons-**
* 1:00-1:20 Casper, Logan, Jinn
* 1:25-1:45 Sutton
* 1:50-2:10 Sara
* 2:15-2:35 Claire, Justin
* 2:40-3:00 Annabel, Siddig
* 3:05-3:25 Marlin, Zoe
* **Kindergarten Nature Club-** Join Ms. Katherine in the Kindergarten Resource group in Bloomz at 2:15pm. Learn about where our clothes come from. Discuss synthetic and natural fibers. Make a loom with sticks and yarn to make your very own nature fabric! You will need 4 sticks approximately 1’, twine or yarn and an array of pieces of nature to weave into the loom; long blades of grass, flowers, twigs, leaves, bark or roots. Have fun!
* **End of the School Day** 3:30

**Wednesday, May 6th-**

**Morning Work Time- 9-11am**

* **9:00 Morning Planning Time with Ms. Melissa** -Join Ms. Melissa as she walks your child through planning their day with the help of a visual schedule.
* **Outside lesson with Ms**. **Melissa- - The weatherman says it might be rainy today- so let’s do indoor recess, Mission Impossible style!** For this, all you need is a bunch of string or yarn. Find a hallway and tape one long string back and forth down the hall in all sorts of ways, like lasers guarding a museum. Have your preschooler try and get through without setting off the “alarm”.
* **The 5 different types of vertebrates are called “5 kingdoms”.** Let’s see what they are! Materials: full sheet of paper to color, cut and sort.
* **Kindergarten Mtg**- 9:00-9:30
* **Kindergarten Lessons**- Andrew, Sara, Gracie 9:30-10:00
* **Morning Lessons-**
* 10:00-10:15 Jinn, Daniel
* 10:20-10:35 Finn, Annabel
* 10:40-10:55 Georgia, Chloe

**Music Circle Time with Ms. Amy- 11am**

We’re going live this week! Ms. Amy and Miss Pigadilly are very excited to do a live music circle via zoom! Get ready to sing, dance and clap your hands as we venture into a new online adventure and  find out what Miss Pigadilly likes to do when she has time at home.

**Lunch 11:30-12:15**

**Outside time 12:15-1pm**

**Afternoon Work Time- 1-3:30pm**

* **Afternoon Activity with Ms. Joan- What should I wear?** This fun activity is for sorting different animal “clothes”.(worksheet provided) Supplies: colored pencils, scissors, glue.
* **Afternoon Lessons-**
* 1:00-1:20 Casper, Niam
* 1:25-1:45 Sutton
* 1:50-2:10 Claire, Lahiri
* 2:15-2:35 Justin, Siddig, Logan
* 2:40-3:00 Nadia, Leo
* 3:05-3:25 Marlin, Zoe
* **End of the school day** 3:30

**Special MCH Connection Series- 4pm**

**Join the Reptile Man Live from his Reptile Zoo on Zoom!** Watch for the link coming your way on Bloomz…. It will be posted on the Montessori Children’s House Page so that it will be easy to locate.

**Thursday, May 7th-**

**Morning Work Time- 9-11am**

* **9:00 Morning Planning Time with Ms. Melissa** -Join Ms. Melissa as she walks your child through planning their day with the help of a visual schedule.
* **Outside lesson with Ms**. **Melissa- Spray bottle letter hunt.** Do you have an old spray bottle lying around? Fill it up with water and head outside. Take a piece of chalk and write letters all over the yard- swing set, deck, trees, house, garage, etc. Call out a letter and have your child find it and then spray it until it is gone! Materials: Spray bottle, chalk
* **What is an Insect?**  This morning we will learn the characteristics of an insect, and we will build our very own ant! (1/2 sheet of paper provided) Materials: Scissors, glue stick.
* **Kindergarten Lesson-** Sarah, Gracie, Andrew 9:00-9:30
* **Morning Lessons-**
* 9:30-10:00 Claire, Logan
* 10:00-10:15 Leo, Daniel
* 10:20-10:35 Finn, Georgia
* 10:40-10:55 Siddig, Annabel
* **Gardening with Ms. Katherine-** Fruit, flower, leaf, stem or root? Learn about parts of a plant and which parts we eat. Create a sorting game from fruits and vegetables in your own refrigerator! All you will need is a few sheets of paper and food items.

**Zoom Circle Time with Ms. Rohini- 11am**

Join me for our circle live on Zoom while we will explore the parts of a human body.

**Lunch 11:30-12:15**

**Outside time 12:15-1pm**

**Afternoon Work Time- 1-3:30pm**

* **Afternoon Activity with Ms. Joan- Testing your insect knowledge.** Can you remember what makes an insect? In this afternoon activity, you will get to make your own insects using different materials. Provided materials: glue stick
* **Afternoon Lessons-**
* 1:00-1:20 Casper
* 1:25-1:45 Nadia, Sutton
* 1:50-2:10 Lahiri, Niam
* 2:15-2:35 Chloe, Jinn
* 2:40-3:00 Justin
* 3:05-3:25 Zoe, Marlin
* **Kindergarten P.E.-** Join Ms. Katherine in the Kindergarten Resource group in Bloomz at 2:15pm. Who’s ready to bowl? Use recycled materials around your house to create your very own bowling alley. To play you will need, a small ball and 10-15 recycling bowling pins (tp rolls, paper towel rolls cut into two, plastic bottles large or small, combinations of any!)
* **End of the School Day** 3:30

**Friday, May 8th-**

**Morning Work Time- 9-11am**

* **9:00 Morning Planning Time with Ms. Melissa** -Join Ms. Melissa as she walks your child through planning their day with the help of a visual schedule.
* **Outside lesson with Ms**. **Melissa- Garden flower 10 frame.** Collect 5 sticks- one long, and 4 shorter. Lay the long one horizontally, and the others across vertically, making 5 spaces on the top, and 5 on the bottom. Find 10 dandelion flower tops, and count to ten placing them in each space. See if you can keep going!
* **Let’s explore the life cycle of the ant.** Printables- life cycle wheel, booklet, and a is for ant color and tracing. Materials needed- colored pencils, scissors, glue stick
* **Kindergarten Mtg**- 9:00-9:30
* **Morning Lessons-**
* 9:30-10:00 Gracie, Sara
* 10:00-10:15 Daniel
* 10:20-10:35 Niam, Leo, Lahiri, Chloe
* 10:40-10:55 Andrew

**Zoom Circle Time with Ms. Rohini- 11am**

I am so excited for our weekly sharing circle! This week our sharing will mirror our sound of the week “x”. Can you find something to bring for sharing that begins with “x” or ends in “x”?

**Lunch 11:30-12:15**

**Outside time 12:15-1pm**

**Afternoon Work Time- 1-3:30pm**

* **Afternoon Activity with Ms. Joan- Ants on a Log!** Let’s make this classic snack this afternoon in honor of our ant lesson! Supplies: celery, nut butter or cream cheese, or guacamole, and raisins, dried cranberries or beans
* **Afternoon Lessons-**
* 1:00-1:20 Casper, Finn
* 1:25-1:45 Nadia, Sutton
* 1:50-2:10 Logan, Claire
* 2:15-2:35 Jinn, Siddig, Justin
* 2:40-3:00 Annabel, Georgia
* 3:05-3:25 Marlin, Zoe
* **End of the school day** 3:30

**Have a fabulous weekend everyone!**