



"Education demands, then, only this: the utilization of the inner powers of the child for his own instruction...There is a part of a child's soul that has always been unknown but which must be known...since it means the bringing forth of an indispensable element for the moral progress of mankind."

—Maria Montessori



### March Healthy Lunch Menu

#### Monday

Chicken Nuggets served with shell pasta and broccoli

#### Tuesday

Beef Stew served with rice and vegetables

#### Wednesday

Chicken Taquitos served with salad and guacamole

#### Thursday

Spaghetti and Beef Meatballs with Tomato Sauce served with fruit

#### Friday

Fish Sticks served with rice and applesauce

*Lunch is accompanied by milk and water*

## How Do Montessori Teachers Do That?



Not only new parents but also experienced visiting educators wonder how our Montessori teachers work their magic? They do not see our teachers doing

anything special. They just seem to be there. Sometimes it is even hard to find them in the room, among the children all spread out doing different things in different parts of the room. Some at little tables, some on little mats on the floor, some standing together in quiet conversation, some simply lost in reading a book. Thirty six children all busy doing something within an orderly and calm way. How do

they do it? How can they control a whole class full of children who do not have to sit to an assigned seat, do work on an activity all together, or without standing up in front controlling them?

What is the secret?!

The secret is the Montessori method and the teacher's dedication to observing and following the child.



## Special Points of Interest



**Thurs 3.11**  
School Picture Day! 


**Sun 3.14**  
Daylight Savings Time Begins — don't forget to spring forward one hour!

**Tues 3.16**  
Monthly BCPO Meeting  
5:30-6:30 PM

**Wed 3.17**  
St. Patrick's Day:  
Wear *green*!  
Irish music performance during morning circle

**Fri 3.19**  
Deadline for 2010-2011 Re-Enrollment

**Fri 3.19**  
BCMS Closes Early  
3:00 PM

**Wed 3.24**  
Spring Egg Hunt   
9:30-10:30 AM

**Mon 3.29-Fri 4.2**  
**BCMS CLOSED**  
for Spring Break