



Marysville Early Learning Center

May, 2021 Newsletter

May Cultural Parade



The ELC is celebrating the diverse cultures in our school community this month. On May 13th from 2:00 - 3:00, we will be hosting a cultural drive-through parade with multiple stations, including Native American dancing, singing and drumming and a station with Mexican dancing for Children's Day. We will also be handing out crafts, popcorn and school deployment items.

This is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate our cultural traditions and a time to share these traditions with each other.

This month, teachers will be inquiring about family celebrations and would love to have children bring any pictures or items (please no breakables or valuables) to share with their classmates. We are proud of the many cultures that make up the ELC community and respect the wonderful and diverse traditions we bring to our community and look forward to sharing them with one another.

Child Safety

With the warmer months coming up, students may be getting hot inside cars during morning drop off. Students must be secured in a car seat while they are in the school parking lot. It is suggested to dress your child in layers and have them wear lightweight clothing in the car and bring a jacket with them to school. We want to ensure all students are safely secured in a car seat or booster at all times. Please do not allow your child to unbuckle before you are completely stopped in the drop-off area. Our Family Support Coaches have resources available if your child has outgrown their car seat or if you do not have access to a safe, age-appropriate car seat for your child. Please feel free to contact Chelsea for more information:

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Sun-shiny Days: Don't forget the sunscreen. As our days are getting warmer we enjoy taking the children outside to play. Hats, sunglasses and applying sunscreen to your child before dropping them off are encouraged!

Upcoming Event

- **Cultural Parade and Deployment--Thursday, May 13 from 2:00-3:00 PM**

Kindergarten Registration for Fall 2021-22

If your child will be 5 years old before August 31st of this year it is time to register for kindergarten. For information about how to register for kindergarten, including finding your neighborhood school and busing information, click here:

<https://www.msd25.org/o/district/page/register-for-school>

For step by step instructions on how to register online, click here: <https://5il.co/qxy4>



MSD Connections: We would like to call your attention to the Marysville School District website where COVID-19 safety protocols, information for students and families, a dashboard, and re-connect plan updates are posted.



This is also where you will find the **Student Health Screening Form, which needs to be completed once a week** for students attending school for in-person services.

You can access the website by following this link:

<http://www.msvl.k12.wa.us/o/district/page/students-families--31>

Staying Connected to the ELC

- Follow us on Facebook: [@MSDEarlyLearningCenter](https://www.facebook.com/MSDEarlyLearningCenter)
- Visit our website: <http://www.msvl.k12.wa.us/o/early-learning-center>
- Download the Marysville School District App on your smartphone (select notifications from the Early Learning Center).

Each week, our updated educational lessons can be found on our website:

<https://www.msd25.org/o/early-learning-center/page/2020-2021-educational-lessons>

As always, your partnership, input and feedback are greatly appreciated and welcome. Please feel free to reach out and contact us if you have any questions that may arise. Thank you for entrusting us with your child/children's early learning educational experience.

