

# E-2



# News

Center Montessori School

December 7th 2018

*Education is protection to life. If you will realize that it is necessary, that education accompany life during its whole course." Maria Montessori*

## E2 Classroom Activities:

"There should be music in the child's environment," wrote Maria Montessori. And so it is for the E2 students



and the whole of Center Montessori School. The children practiced at Neel Performing Arts Center Tuesday morning in preparation for Saturday's performance. The sound of the fourth-year students and their recorders was beautiful, and it is sure to be just as lovely on Saturday. The fifth-year students were fantastic with their new



instruments such as saxophones, clarinets, and even two trombones. It

promises to be a lovely concert. We look forward to seeing all of you there.



Drama was another highlight of the week as the students did their first entire run-through of the play *Dar and the Spearthrower*. We also spent much of our time focusing on our individualized math

lessons, working on multiplication of fractions, addition and subtraction of fractions with different denominators, and a variety of decimal operations. Some students gained insight into math problems using percentages.



This week we were also introduced to our new Spanish teacher, Ms. Elfi. We are sad to see Ms. Zeilley go; however, we are happy to welcome our new teacher. "Simon Says," in Spanish was one of a number of the new games introduced by our new teacher. We look forward with anticipation to all the new activities.



May 8-10, 2019

Our big class trip is the amazing Nature's Academy program - The Water's Journey. The **\$150.00 non-refundable deposit for this trip was due on September 7**. The remaining balance of \$525.00 is due February 1. There may be some additional costs which we will share with you closer to the trip.

If you would like to know more about the program please reach out to Jayne or Susan. You can also follow this link: <https://www.naturesacademy.org>

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## Calendar 2018

December 8th- Holiday performance at Neel Auditorium. E2 students please be there by 10:45am

December 12th- Sandal check for the play. Must have a back strap.

December 21st- Field trip to Tampa Museum of Art. Depart at 8:30am

January 15 - Tech rehearsal for the play 2:30pm-5:30pm Bayshore High

January 16- Dar and the Spearthrower 7pm to 8:30 Bayshore High School

May 8-10-End of the year trip to Nature's Academy

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*Thank  
You!*

Thank you to Crystal Burkhart and Carrie Price for working hard on repairing and beautifying our props for Dar and the Spearthrower.