



MAY 2020

TOTALLY KIDS ACADEMY NEWSLETTER



Our May Curriculum themes are:

Cinco de Mayo, Mother's Day & More

2020 CALENDAR A LOOK AHEAD

CLOSED: May 25 - Memorial Day, July 3 - Independence Day, September 73 - Labor Day, November 26-27 - Thanksgiving Day, December 24-25 - Christmas - CLOSED.

TRAINING - PAID

Board Meetings - HOUSTON - JUNE 12-14

Conference:

September 10-11

PERSONAL:

GRADUATION DAY – May 20, 2020 - YES IT'S A WEDNESDAY NIGHT!

2020 CALENDAR

National Provider Appreciation Day

May 8th

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PARENTS PLEASE BE AWARE OF 2020 DATES TO THE LEFT

IMPORTANT SCHOOL CLOSED DATES

Elementary and Secondary Schools
School is on hold

IMPORTANT RECALL INFO

For update product recall information on toys, clothes, playpens, cribs and car seat. Please visit: www.cspc.gov

“Suggestions, Recommendations and Curriculum ideas can be placed in the Payment box.”

BIRTHDAYS

Emma's Birthday - May 5th turns 4



REMINDERS:

- ◆ Parents - You have one vacation week of no Pay. Please let me know your vacation plans early.
- ◆ I will do my best to give a minimum of two weeks notice on days off or vacation plans. I do my best to post this at least two months in advance but sometimes getting sick or emergencies arise.
- ◆ **Please drop off your child by 8:30 am.** Late drop offs disrupt the flow of our day. At 8:30 – we are in center play and at 9:00 am we are moving in gross motor activities, reading stories – talking about the weather for the day and much more. *Parents: If your child is going to be out or the child has a **doctor appointment** and will be in later, please **bring a note**.* At 11:00 is lunch, then down for a nap. We are up from nap around 1:00 pm.
- ◆ *Early pickup* – no problem but please wait till nap time is over.

~~~ Thank you in advance for your understanding.

### Weather ALERT

- ◆ IT is now Spring- This means the weather could be dangerous with Tornado's. STAY ALERT

### CLOTHES:

- ◆ be aware that as warmer weather comes to have a pair of shorts and shirt or a couple here.

### SICK POLICY:

- ◆ Cold and Flu season is upon us - Your Child must be *FEVER FREE* for 24 hours!
- ◆ Be aware we are headed into the cold and flu season. Highly suggest the flu shot as it shortens the flu to like 3 days or less.
- ◆ Here at Totally Kids Academy - We want the kids Healthy and Happy. Mrs. Lisa is not a fan of getting sick either. I am doing my part by washing and Lysol-ing everything that I can.
- ◆ As *SPRING/SUMMER APPROACHES* summer allergies will begin and the potential of BAD weather - stay alert.

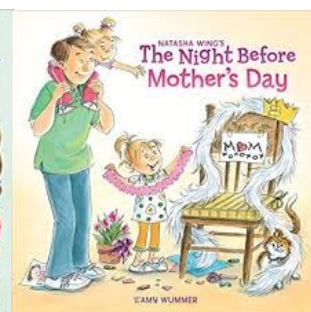
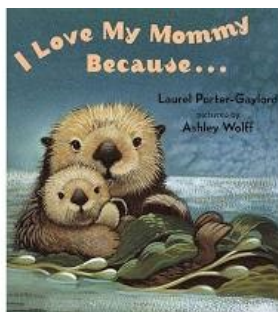
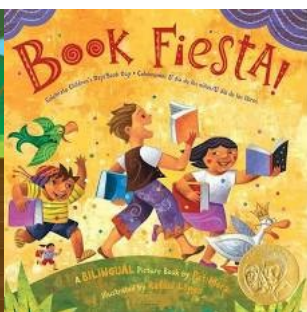
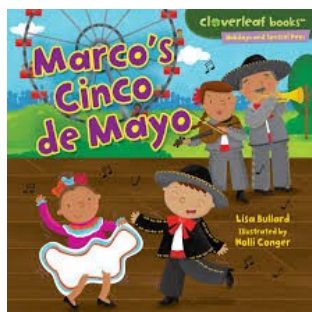
### ADDITIONAL REMINDERS

- ◆ Due to the increase in late pick ups, I **MUST** take a moment to remind everyone that pickup is promptly by 6pm. All late pickups will be charged a late fee of \$1 per minute. While, an occasional accident is not something we can plan for, you can prearrange a late pickup, if you know you may need to work late. Please plan on paying late fees upon late pickup.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Lisa and Ms. Brenda

## BOOKS TO READ



# FREE EDUCATIONAL WEBSITES FOR KIDS

For Links Visit [FromABCsToACTs.com](http://FromABCsToACTs.com)

PBS Kids

Make Me Genius

Starfall

The Magic School Bus

Cool Math

Highlights Kids

ABCya

National Geographic Kids

The KIDZ Page

Funbrain

NGAkids Art Zone

BBC History for Kids

Storyline Online

Steve Spangler Science

Mission US

The Happy Scientist

Khan Academy

Cells Alive

KidsReads

Google Earth

Youngzine

Fuel the Brain

Mr. Nussbaum

Exploratorium

Turtle Diary

e-Learning for Kids

Sesame Street

Fun Fonix

Seussville

Tvokids

The Story Starter

NASA Kids' Club

Crypto Club

Earthquakes for Kids

Smithsonian Learning Lab

Study Jams

Grid Club

Magic Tree House

DOGO News

Science Bob

# MAY KIDS' FUN PAGE

## Cinco de Mayo

DIRECTIONS: Fill in the puzzle, using the pictures as clues.

**WORD BANK**

- Battle
- Cactus
- Celebration
- Chiles
- Enchiladas
- Flowers
- France
- Green
- Guacamole
- Guitar
- Maracas
- Mariachi
- MayFifth
- Mexico
- Masic
- Pinata
- Red
- Salsa
- Sombrero
- Tacos

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## Color the Picture



## Connect the Dots

all about  
my mom

Her name is:

She loves to...

Two words that describe my mom are

\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

She is really good at...

\_\_\_\_\_

## Happy Mother's Day

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