

DATES TO REMEMBER

January 16 — Martin Luther King Jr. Day — No School

February 20 — Presidents' Day — No School

REMINDERS

Label Water Bottle and Lunchbox Please clearly label your child's water bottle and *lunchbox* with their name.

Clothing

Please be sure the spare clothes in your student's cubby are appropriate with current weather conditions. If your child is recently potty trained, please bring in a few sets of clothes. Also, please bring a jacket or sweater every day.

No Sandals/Crocs

Because they pose a trip hazard, no sandals/Crocs or shoes with laces should be sent to school. Thank you!

Pick up Change/Absence

Please notify the school in advance if your child will be picked up early/late or will be absent.

Student Allergies

Due to nut and egg allergies of several students, please refrain from sending snacks and lunches to school that have these products in them.



We are so excited to announce our new preschool lead teacher, Mrs. Sabrina! Here is an introductory message from her:

"Hello Families!

My name is Mrs. Sabrina. I have an AA in Early Childhood Education, and have been in the field for ten years as both a teacher and administrator. Before that, I volunteered as a youth counselor at my church for five years. I'm very excited to now be a part of the Napa Valley Montessori team, and I look forward to teaching your children and watching them learn new things every day!

I think the most exciting thing about being an educator is knowing that I can be a positive influence in a child's life. I love seeing those "Aha" moments when a child has learned something new, and I got to be a part of it.

When I'm not working, I enjoy cooking, singing, playing piano, and hiking. I also love spending time with my wonderful family and traveling to new places."

Please welcome Mrs. Sabrina to our NVM family. She started work on January 17.

ACADEMICS

Theme: Winter Zoology: Polar Bear

Science: Planets in our Solar System

Math: Counting to 30

Language: "-at" word family

Geography: The Arctic

Practical Life: Days of the Week **Grace and Courtesy:** Listening



