The Academy at Manhattan Beach

Ms. Shelly & Purple Room
Ms. Elizabeth

## In the month of May...

The first week of May we will be talking about Mother's Day, siblings and extended family! We will Create beautiful artwork dedicated to mother's and Create a family tree to represent all the members of our families! We will make a special gift for our moms to show our appreciation for all that they do! We will also Create handprint and finger-print art with paint and heart shaped stencils!



The second week of May is all about bugs, insects and Caterpillars! We will make Caterpillars with precut Circles and personalize them with their names! The kiddos will fingerprint a beehive with yellow and orange paint as well as experiment with various materials such as tissue paper, popsicle sticks and wiggly eyes to make a dragonfly! We will have so much fun making ladybugs with egg Cartons and decorating spiders!

The third week we will be focusing on bugs and garden flowers! We will be using our senses to manipulate dirt and pretend bugs in our sensory bin! We will pretend to plant seeds in the sensory bin with gardening tools! We will also experiment with bubble wrap to transfer paint onto paper to give texture to the fruit project!

The last week of May we will talk all about the farmer's market and grocery stores! We will use vegetables as stamps and make a personalized fruit basket out of a paper plate! We will also fingerprint grapes with purple paint! We look forward to a fun month ahead!



## Adventures with Kevin:

5/3-5/10: Sonora

5/13-5/20: Lila

5/20-5/27: Logan

5/27-6/3: Emmett

## May Birthdays:

Easton: 5/2

James: 5/14

Miles: 5/21

## Reminders!!

- -Mother's Day Party is on May 6, 2019
- -CHALK Preschool will be closed May 27th for Memorial Day!
- Window decorating contest voting is on May 29nd-30th.
- -To keep the colds away,
  PLEASE have your child wash
  hands when you drop off!
- -Please remember to sign your child in/out daily.
- -Daily sheets are located right next to the sign in sheet, don't forget to check and see how your kiddo's day was!