



## Director's EWS Newsletter

Welcome, we are so pleased to have your children as part of the EWS family!

The EWS staff will be providing a program that will be engaging and full of adventures! In addition to our class-based program, our resource teachers will provide Library, Music, Science and Director Circle Time programs during the months ahead.

Please refer to the EWS Handbook and Guide for the Early Learning Guidelines and the school - wide Monthly Themes.

"Childhood is a journey not a race" We look forward to this year's journey with your children!

EWS Office is open to you anytime for a chat, Q&A from 8am-1pm or call/email.

**+Classrooms open** at 9:00 am and end at 12 noon. Please drop off and pick up your child at their classroom door. If you will be late for pick-up, please call the office 703-780-3852.

### **Extended Day options begin September 1 (T)**

+Extended hour options (sign up in the morning at drop-off or sign up for the school year)

^Early Bird meets in room #6. Door opens at 8:00 am. Last arrival 8:40.

^Lunch 12-2:00 pm bring lunch from home including utensils/napkins. Pick-up is at door #6.

^Extended hours 2-4:00 pm.

### **Important dates**

**8/31 (M) OPEN HOUSE** 9:30-10:30 visit your classrooms and meet your teachers!

Each class team will provide you with a folder of information about their class!

**9/1 (T) First day** of school for Pre-K and older 3's

**9/2 (W) First day** of school for the 3 day 3's

**9/4 (F) -9/7 (M) NO SCHOOL-** Labor Day weekend

**9/11 (F) Patriot's Day**-wear something red, white and blue!

**9/21 First day** of fall

**9/21 (M) EWS OPEN** (FCPS closed)

**9/27 (Sunday) 5-6:00 pm Family Night-Ponies Plus will be back again this year with farm animals and pony rides! Details to follow.**



**Emails to you:**

- Director newsletter once a month
- Highlight of the upcoming week sent out on Sundays
- Classroom monthly newsletters
- Week's wrap-up for each class sent to you at the end of the week



Please telephone or email office for late arrivals, pick-ups or absences, *not* the teacher!

703-780-3852 or [ews@epiphanyweekdayschool.org](mailto:ews@epiphanyweekdayschool.org) THANK YOU.



**Entering & Exiting EWS**

Entrance is from Old Mill Road.

If you park on the left side of the parking lot facing away from the Church, please exit Old Mill Rd. All other parking spaces may exit onto Patton Blvd, take road behind playground. SAFETY FIRST: please do not leave motor running when leaving your car.

**No** Greeter parking area this year.