# The Day School Scoop



Thank You, Teachers! We Love You!

Dear Parents,

This is my favorite newsletter of the year because I know it makes the teachers feel so valuable! This is only a small collection of the Teacher Appreciation notes that came flooding into my inbox. In this Scoop edition, we'll have a chance to read about our favorite teachers and learn about new ones for next year. I only regret that I do not have enough space to print all of your

thoughtful messages. Your response to my request for an encouraging note was overwhelming! Each teacher will receive all of your precious letters at the luncheon on March 8. Thank you for showing your love in such a kind way! These teachers are so deserving of your praise!

Blessings! Ellen Nietert

#### In Your Words....

Reid LOVES Miss Maria and Miss Michele! He talks about them constantly. When we refer to anyone else as being a teacher he proudly states, "My teachers are Miss Maria and Miss Michele". He tells us that his teachers love him and gets concerned when one of them isn't in school. I think that this shows just how much of an impact they have on him. He can sense the love and care they have towards him and wants to be around them! We are so blessed to have such caring teachers for Reid! ~Megan Rzyski

When Campbell started school (mid year), I was worried that the transition would be tough for her. I was worried when I dropped her off for the first day (being the new kid is never easy!) She was nervous and apprehensive walking into her new classroom for the first time. A few hours later when I picked her up, she was beaming! She was so happy and said she loved it. The kids and her teachers embraced her and made her feel most welcome and I am so grateful for that! Ms Pat, Ms Mandy and Ms Moo are fostering a love of education in Campbell. She has landed in the right spot and I'm so glad she gets to be a part of the most wonderful 4k class ever. THANK YOU! ~Jennifer Hickey

Miss Leigh is not only a beautiful and positive spirit but has such an amazing sense of humor and hilarious perspective. The children can't get enough of the sweet sillies. They learn throughout the day in a classroom filled with laughter and joy because of Miss Leigh. Miss Gabi is so warm, loving, amazingly attentive and tuned into each child. She knows what's in their hearts, if they need an extra hug or have something they're so excited to share. We feel so blessed to have both of these incredible women as Fiona's teachers! ~Nicole McCarthy

I'm amazed at all of the things Taylor has learned this year in Melissa and Lisa's class. They have done such an amazing job teaching the kids everything they need to know academically for kindergarten. While this is very important, the best lesson they have taught the kids is loving God and loving others. Taylor loves pointing out when we have "filled her bucket" and loves seeking out ways to fill others. Melissa and Lisa (and all of the teachers at CCDS) make kindness and love a priority in their classrooms. You can feel it throughout the school and it has set such a wonderful example for our children. My prayer is that as they all take their next step in their education, they will remember to show others the compassion and love that the teachers at Christ Church have shown them. ~Sara Chestnut

## March 2018 UPCOMING EVENTS

Mar 5-9

Teacher Appreciation Week

Mar 6 at 9AM

Doughnuts with Daddies Melissa's class

Mar 7 & 8

A Visit from Rob Fowler
(Make sure to watch the 5PM
news on WCBD.)

Mar 8, 9, 22 & 23 Pizza Days

Mar 8

Teacher Appreciation Luncheon

Mar 8 & 9 at 9AM

Doughnuts with Daddies Monica & Emily's classes

Mar 9
Early Dismissal at Noon

Mar 14
Early Dismissal at Noon

Mar 15 & 16 at 9AM

Doughnuts with Daddies Kelly's classes

Mar 19-23

Scholastic Book Fair School Hallway

Mar 21

Mother Goose returns from Atlanta

Mar 28 & 29

Flowering of the Cross Chapel Bring Flowers

Mar 30-Apr 6

Easter Break

Apr 11-13

Sarah Fisher Photography Siblings & Class Photos, too! Details TBA



### Bible Verses Mother's Morning Out

Make a joyful noise unto the Lord.

Psalm 100:1

#### Ms. Maria's Twos

He is risen. Matthew 28:6

Ms. Monica's Twos & Ms. Emily's Threes
Look at the wonderful things God
made." Job 37:14

#### Ms. Kelly's Threes

My heart rejoices in the Lord. 1Samuel 2:1

#### Ms. Melissa's 4 Day Fours

Sing praises to the Lord. Psalm 9:11

#### Ms. Leigh's 4 Day Fours

This is how we know what love is...Jesus Christ laid down His life for us. 1 John 3:16

#### Ms. Pat's 5 Day Fours

Whenever I am afraid, I will trust in you.

Psalm 56:3

Sofia Vardakas loves when she plays the guitar. She also loves when she sings "We Sing Hello, Hello" and "Till we meet again" and play Polar bears. James Hessberg says, "I LOVE Ms. Polly!! She always makes me feel so great when I'm in class."

Ms. Monica has been so warm and welcoming to my son and put him at ease right from the start. Her cheerful disposition and kind and understanding nature has made this such a wonderful experience. Ms. Nicole was so helpful when we joined the CCDS family, giving us all the information we would need to create a smooth transition into school. Her confidence gave me the assurance I needed to know that my son would be well taken care of looked after. We love the staff at Christ Church and feel so blessed to be a part of such a wonderful community! ~Jennifer Cherook

We love Emmie's teachers! They have all been wonderful and Emmie has grown so much during her time in MMO because of their support and encouragement. It's been amazing to see our daughter become more independent and confident over the past several months. Thank you Amanda, Jolene, Alison, Mari, and Lynne for pouring your energy and love into every day with these sweet kids! ~ Laura and Fred Cupo

Mari, Lisa & Lynne: Thanks for everything you do for our little one! This year has been amazing and we are so blessed to be a part of this wonderful class! Emersyn absolutely LOVES going to school Mondays and Wednesdays, and it's because of you! Your kindness, compassion, warmth, patience, and love shine through in everything that you do- the way you look at her, the way you greet her, the way you hold her, the way you play with her, and the way you say goodbye to hereverything is so, so genuine! You all are THE best and we appreciate you! ~The Hoaglands

Hudson says he "loves them so much":) He is always happy to go to school and play with Miss Emily and Miss Nicole- I don't think he even realizes that he is learning! He's always so eager to show off his new letter skills, sing songs they have learned, and tell me about the books they are reading- And I always know he is in great hands. ~Allison Wood

We have had two children in the four's classes and both have benefitted greatly from having French with Madame Nietert. I was delighted to be a substitute in one of the four's classes recently to see Madame in action. She engages and holds the attention of the children so easily-which is no easy feat with a group of four year olds! Through song, gestures, inflection and a wonderful smile, she connects so well with the class even when speaking only French. Our children have been so lucky to have her! ~Emily Cook

Miss Kelly is such a treasure to us. She radiates so much joy and brings her love for Jesus and children to the school every single day. We are so blessed to send our kids to her classroom!

We love Miss Linda! She has a great sense of humor and a sweet, caring love for the kids. My kids get so excited each time we pull up in carline and see her there. She always puts a smile on our faces! ~Meredith Dobberfuhl

We have been delighted to have Ms. Lynne and Ms. Lisa for Super Science this year! Gracie is so excited every Friday at pickup to let us know what the subject was that day, and what kind of experiments they got to do-the messier the better! They approach the lesson plans with curious three and four year olds in mind, keeping things fun but also teaching them so much. We're happy our budding little scientist has had these two women to guide her this year!

~The Cook Family

