

"The word has always had a mystical value for man's mind; it is something that unites men even more closely than nationality. Words are bonds between men and the language they use develops and ramifies according to the needs of their mind." - Dr. Maria Montessori

The Sensitive Periods during the early years are the best guides in fostering the growth and development of our children! During the Check-Ins, each conversation was rooted and guided by these intense yet transitory opportunities for the children to transform themselves: the periods are order, movement, walking and use of the hand, refinement of the senses, detail, and language. Language is the longest lasting of these sensitive periods because it is an instrument acquired by humans and from humans. The instrument of language includes the skills of listening, speaking, writing, and reading. All children are born with an aptitude for language, but each language skill must be developed and built. In Violeta each skill is developed!

Looking ahead:

Friday, Mar 11 - No School (Professional Development Day)

March 14 - 27 - No School (Spring Holiday)

April 2 - Parent Info Session: Invite a friend! Share the news with your parent groups!

Snack, Flowers, Laundry - Luke/Daphne



Walking to the park satisfies all my sensitive periods!

During the next month, Violeta will participate in our first research study to understand factors that can affect a child's mood, stress, and ability to focus in the classroom. Please return your permission slips as soon as possible. Let us know if you have any questions.



Singing is a great way for me to develop my language and give the plants the CO2 they need!



Snipping strengthens and prepares my hand for future writing with a pencil!



When you read me a story I develop mv listening skills!