May Howard Pre-K

Wednesday, May 6th

Good morning Pre-K! Please choose from any of the activities below and have fun learning at home. If you choose to go on an adventure or engage in play based learning instead of the activities below, we'd love to hear about what you have engaged in (a visit to a park, creating art, fine motor practice, cooking). Keep reading books with your children. Snuggling up and reading an actual book is the best, but online stories are great too! Epic, Story online, and Story time from Space are all online options (bottom right section of the symbaloo https://mayhowardprek.weebly.com/additional-activities.html) Your May Howard teachers are recording weekday stories and posting to the website as well. https://mayhowardprek.weebly.com/story-time.html Have fun!

Language and Literacy	Social Studies	Math	Science
CLL4.4a/CLL9.4a	SC5.4a	MA1.4a	CP1.4a
String Telephone You will need paper cups, plastic cups or tins, string, wool or fishing line.	Clean water exploration The water that comes out of our tap is clear. The water is first filtered, treated and cleaned before it comes out of the tap for us to use. Why is it important to have clean water? Without clean water, what would happen if we drink dirty water? Why shouldn't we drink dirty water? What other animals depend on clean water for survival? How to clean dirty water (Set up only the first experiment from this video) What do you see floating in it? Does it look clean? Why or why not? After the experiment, do you think the water is clean enough to drink? Why or why not?	Dot to dot Play this online game: <u>Connect the Dots</u> to discover the picture. Can you predict what the picture will be? Choose whether you would like to have 1-10 or 1-20 or more numbers Or Count your steps! How many steps is it from your bedroom to the nearest toilet? How many steps is it from the kitchen to your bedroom? How many steps is it from the front door to your tv? Record your answers on a table and add some more routes! Extension: Can you step count in 10s, 2s or 5s?.	Learn about polymers Polymers are made of long chains of repeating molecules. This structure gives them some unique qualities. The polymers in a plastic baggie are stretchy and flexible. You can use these qualities to amaze your family! Fill a plastic baggie half to three quarters full of water. Seal the bag shut. Poke a sharpened pencil straight though the baggie (in one side and out the other), but DO NOT allow the eraser end to travel through the bag. The polymers around the pencil "hug" the pencil, creating a water tight seal!

Mindfulness SED3.4b	PE PDM5.4b
Watch this video together. Pause for thought and then talk about "what makes you feel mad."	The Plank Challenge Girls and boys - your challenge today is to find interesting places to hold a plank. Watch the video to see how it's done. How long can you hold it for? Record your times and places please!
<u>"Just Breathe" by Julie Bayer Salzman</u> <u>& Josh Salzman (Wavecrest Films)</u>	

Question of the day

What song makes you feel happy? Why?