

CLASSROOM NEWS

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Mrs. Bobbie's Pre-K 2
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Welcome to the Pre-K 2 class at Bowman Academy. We are very excited to have each of your little ones in our class this school year. I have been teaching the Pre-K 2 class for twelve years. Mrs. Colleen Tamashiro has been assisting in this class for twelve years. Mrs. Denise Rodriguez has been at Bowman for nineteen years. I consider myself very lucky to have such excellent and experienced co-teachers. We are excited and ready to begin guiding your little ones on their educational journey.

I'd like to begin by telling you that we will be using a great curriculum by High Reach Learning for our foundation this year. The curriculum will be supplemented with a variety of arts and crafts, stories, puppets, and games that will compliment our monthly themes and holidays. Each month new concepts and skills will be introduced, such as:

- * a theme
- * a color
- * a shape
- * a number
- * a community helper
- * a nursery rhyme

The first two weeks of school will be spend primarily on getting to know each other and becoming familiar with the new surroundings. Adjusting to school takes some time for our young students (and parents). We will work daily to develop trust with each child.

Bowman Academy has a school website. The monthly newsletters will be available to you each month via the website. The newsletters will help keep you informed of our learning themes, class activities, as well as items we may need from home. The website can be found at www.thebowmanacademy.com.

Please remember to pick up your child on time at 11:45. This will help with any apprehensions he or she may have by being left in the classroom while others have already been picked up. Also, for the first few days of school we will not be opening the door for dismissal until a little after 11:40. This will ensure that most of the students will be picked up at the same time frame.

We are looking forward to a fabulous year! By providing a loving and trusting atmosphere, we will do our best to help each of our young students blossom!

Sincerely,
Mrs. Bobbie Perez