

Desert Garden Montessori

Multicultural Day

Dear Primary, Elementary & MYHS Parents,

Our first event for this semester will be Multicultural Day on Friday, January 27th, 2023! At DGM we celebrate this day by inviting families to share elements of their culture or ethnicity with other members of the school community through storytelling, food, dance, arts many other things that make cultures unique.

Please see the list below for each classroom's selected country:

- CR1: Peru
- CR2: Germany
- CR7: Burundi
- CR8: Mexico
- CR9: Italy
- CR 10: Cameroon
- CR11: Netherlands
- CR12: Australia
- Tower: China
- MYHS: Spain

During this event each classroom family will showcase aspects of their classroom country's culture, music, food, entertainment, language, art, garments, and more!

We would love 100% participation from our primary, elementary and MYHS students to dress in garments from his/her country of origin or a country of his/her choosing on Friday, January 27th. If you wish to showcase your personal country/heritage/culture please feel free to do so by communicating with your child's teacher for details.

NOTE: Please don't forget if you'd like to create heritage sashes from your countries/cultures to represent where you are from, please do! These can be made at home as a craft to do with your children. Please see below for example images.

Finally, if you would like to bring a cultural dish to share with your student's classroom, **please remember that we are a NUT-FREE school and ALL ingredients must be labeled**. We also ask that all food items be brought directly to your classrooms to share only within your classroom community.

If you have any further questions, please contact [Julianna](#)!

Multicultural day agenda:

- 7:30-8:30 Set up tables/exhibits
- 8:30-9:00 all in classrooms
- 9:00-9:45 assembly in amphitheater with Taiko Drumming/MYHS Spain Presentation
- 9:45-11:00 primary in classrooms
- 9:45-11:00 elementary and up exhibits on back 40
- 11:00-12:30 elementary and up in classrooms for presentations and food

NOTE: Parents are welcome to attend the assembly portion of the event. Parking will be limited onsite so please use the adjacent neighborhood streets for more parking.

Sincerely,
Desert Garden Circulation on behalf of Julianna