

### Welcome letter from the Board

Dear Parents,

On behalf of all the teachers and admin staff of Sunshine International Kindergarten, we are happy to welcome you to the 2018-2019 school year! We are so excited to either welcome back your child or welcome him/her for the first time at Sunshine House! We are looking forward to a productive partnership with you to ensure that our children can achieve their highest potential. We recognize that in order to be successful in school, our children need support from both you and us. As partners, we share the responsibility for our children's success and want you to know that we will do our very best to carry out our responsibilities.

We are looking forward to having another year of great fun and learning plus the privilege of watching your children grow up with us right before our eyes.

Here's to another fruitful Sunshine House school year!



### Our academic theme

We start the school year with a bang with what all kids love ... shapes and colors! You may be wondering why most children's programs start with this topic early in the year. When you look out your window, you may not be saying it ... but your mind is noticing and identifying the green trees, brown rectangle buildings, square windows, and blue sky. Color and shape are ways children observe and categorize what they see. These very recognizable characteristics encourage children to define and organize the diverse world around them. These are basics that your children need to know before they learn the "other basics" of reading, writing, and math. Understanding color and shape is a tool for learning many skills in all curriculum areas, from math and science to language and reading.

So our kids better get ready for another learning-filled month mixed with fun and enjoyment with their teachers!







# **Special Activities**



6<sup>th</sup> August – First day of 2018-2019 School Year

# SCHOOL SUBJECTS

10<sup>th</sup> August - School Subjects Fantastic Day!

This day will be dedicated to discovering the differences in the school subjects with fun and engaging activities. There will be 8 of the most interesting school subjects for kids to discover in our band new functional rooms. These will be Early Reading and Writing (ERW), Science, Art, English, Math, Music, Life skills and Performance.



15<sup>th</sup> August – Sunshine House Open House! All parents and friends invited!



## Birthday parties

#### **BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION DATES:**

24<sup>th</sup> August

\*\*\* Celebrants' info

Isabel Nguyen Strerkman (girl) - 8<sup>th</sup> Aug 2015

Nguyen Phuc Ngoc Minh (girl) - 7<sup>th</sup> Aug 2014

Leonidas Manzambida (boy) - 11st Aug 2013

Petya Elena Vega Slaucheuska (girl) - 7<sup>th</sup> Aug 2013

\*\*\* As always, we would like to invite the family of the June celebrants to join us as we celebrate this special occasion. Please don't forget to double check everything you need to prepare before the party!

What to prepare:

- (1) Birthday cake for your child.
- (2) One (1) exchange gift for each of the other celebrants for the month!
- (3) Six (6) of your child's photos on or before 20<sup>th</sup> of Aug. Please send the photos to email: thuylethishik@gmail.com.

