

## Mimosa Classroom

### Meet your Teachers

#### Miss Eileen

This will be my eleventh year working for California Montessori Project in the Mimosa classroom. It is with great pleasure to return and have siblings of many Kindergarten/First grade students from years past.

I received my Bachelors of Arts in Elementary Education from the University of Illinois, 3-6 Montessori training from Ancona Montessori, Chicago, and 6-9 Montessori training from Sacramento Teachers College.

I have been teaching Montessori's method of education for 37 years and continue to find each year as exciting as the first. I have worked on the Curriculum Development Team that crafted a uniform Montessori curriculum for all six CMP campuses, served two years on the CMP Campus Advisory Council (CAC) at the Single Springs campus and will begin my seventh year as a BTSA Support Provider. In addition, over the past six years, I taught the language/reading program for the Montessori Training Center.

I am honored and privileged to have the opportunity to spend this precious time teaching your children.

#### Mrs. Molinari

As a child I grew up in Santa Rosa, California and had a wonderful childhood education. I went to the local JC and then attended Sacramento State where I graduated in 1976 with a bachelor's degree in Art. That very year I was married and moved to Placerville and raised three sons with my husband. We have owned and operated Placerville Bike Shop for the past 34 years. I returned to school in 1997 and received my teaching credential from Chapman University. I worked for three years at Montessori of Placerville, a private school, at the 6-9 level, and then was invited and welcomed into the CMP Family when it opened in 2001. I received my Montessori 6-9 training through North American Montessori and have taught at that grade level for a total of thirteen years.

I am currently enrolled at MTC and hope to complete my 3-6 training at the end of this school year. I look forward to working in the Mimosa Classroom with Eileen Perkins as my mentor.

#### Miss Chrissy

I have enjoyed working with children for more than 22 years. I have one child attending CMP, Aleah 13 years old and a graduate from CMP eighth grade.

We have been at the school for ten wonderful years. I began working at the school as a substitute teacher. This will be my fifth year in Mimosa classroom as the reading coordinator and teaching assistant. I am very excited to continue with another year in Mimosa and look forward to having a fun and fabulous year.