



Welcome Miss Ana!

We are delighted to announce the appointment of new teacher **Ana Clark** who will join Discovery Preschool in September. Miss Ana is very excited to take on this new role and is eagerly anticipating meeting all of the kids, learning alongside them and co-creating projects in the coming school year.

Ana brings a wonderful and diverse set of skills and teaching experience to this position, having worked with young children at the Calgary Jewish Academy, the Autism Partnership and with individual families in private home therapy.

Attracted to Discovery Preschool for its Reggio approach, Ana is strongly committed to the Reggio Emilia philosophy and is a member of the Calgary Reggio Network Association. Creativity and exploration are central to her teaching philosophy and she encourages children to run with their ideas and inquiries. A true believer in the Hundred Languages of Children, Ana feels strongly that each child learns in their own way and wants to create an environment in which the children can embrace and experience the many different forms of thought, exploration and expression.

Bilingual in Spanish, Ana is looking forward to examining the wider world and different cultures, food and customs with the children in their projects. She is also passionate about photography and parents can look forward to seeing more robust documentation as Ana helps further develop that aspect of Discovery Preschool's Reggio program.

Ana graduated from Mount Royal University where she earned a Bachelor of Applied Child Studies, an interdisciplinary degree that focuses on a variety of areas, including early childhood education, social work, mental health and psychology. She also holds an Early Childhood Development Diploma from Medicine Hat College.

Outside the classroom, Ana loves to be outdoors, especially hiking. She also enjoys reading, travel and spending time with friends and family, including her husband Greg and their dog Mandy.



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