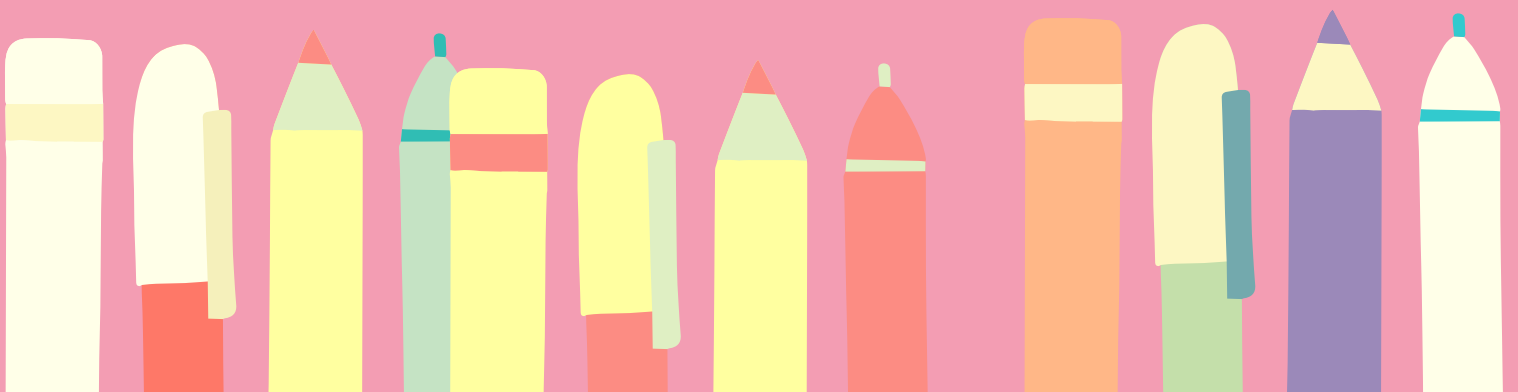
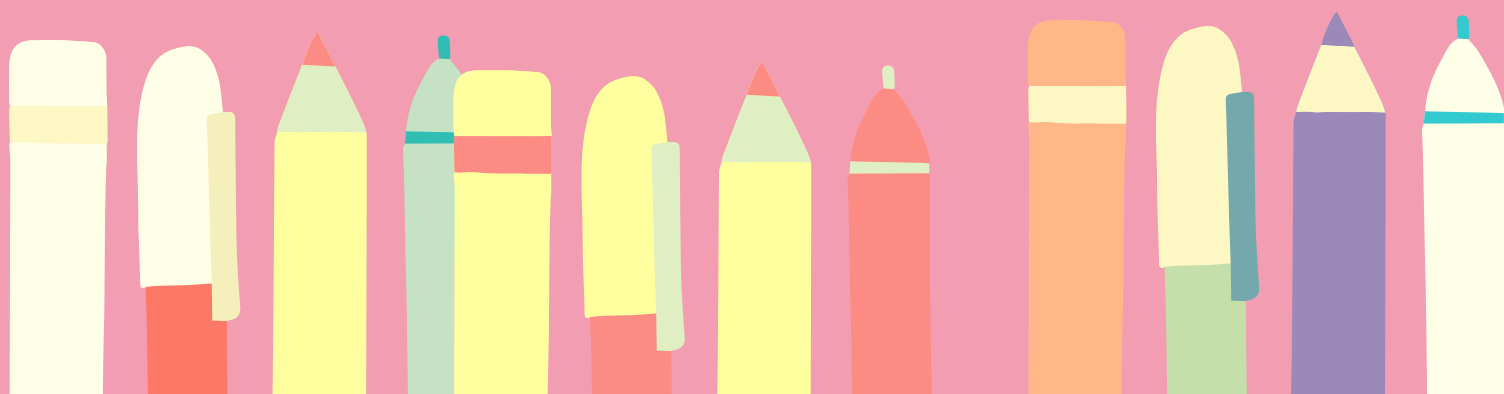




MEET THE TEACHERS



ADVENTURER TEACHERS





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Meet Crystal

With over six years of experience, amongst various age groups, I joined the EJRP teaching team in 2015. As an Essex resident I love living and working within this community. I believe children learn best through hands-on experience and play, while incorporating structured activities/ games within the classroom.

During my time in the classroom, I get to experience their excitement alongside them, watch friendships flourish, engage in play, and watch each child grow and mature through their time in preschool. With two active children I spend a majority of my free time at various sporting events. From a gymnastic meet, to a softball field, a volleyball match, or a cheer competition my children keep me very busy!

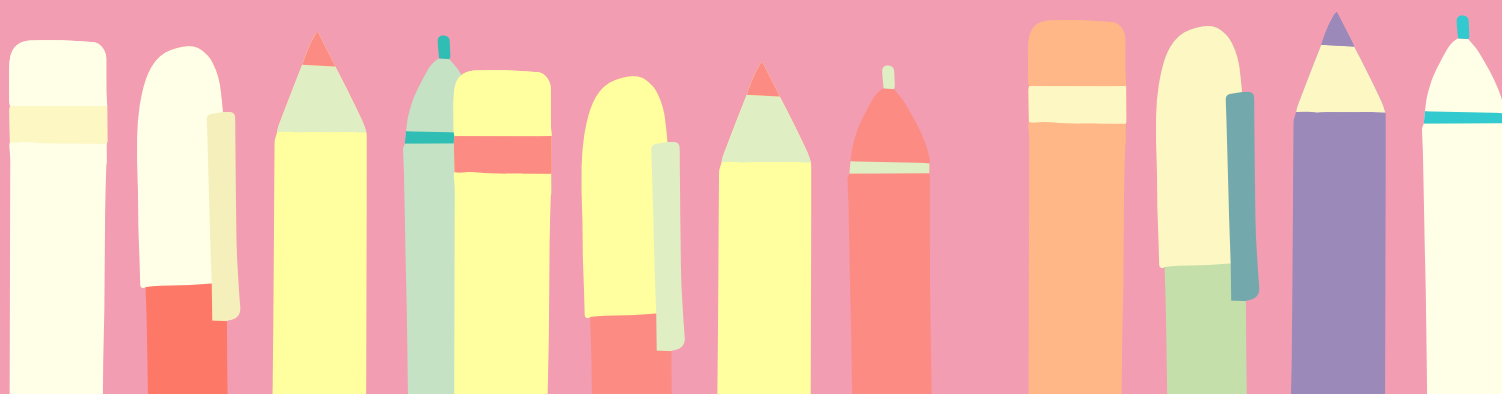


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Meet RaeLynn

I am excited to join EJRP as a full-time teacher! I graduated from CTE's Early Childhood Education program in June 2026, and I am currently working toward my associate degree in Early Childhood Education. I have always enjoyed working with children and love watching them learn, grow, and discover new things. In my free time, I enjoy going to concerts, spending time with my family and friends, and going for walks. I look forward to continuing my journey at EJRP and getting to know all of our wonderful families!

EXPLORER TEACHERS





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Meet Stacey

I love being apart of EJRP Preschool's enthusiastic, creative and consistent educators. I strive to build positive and compassionate relationships with children and families. As Essex natives, My husband and I are raising two daughters here in the village. We value the community and all that it has to offer! I look forward to to working with our families!

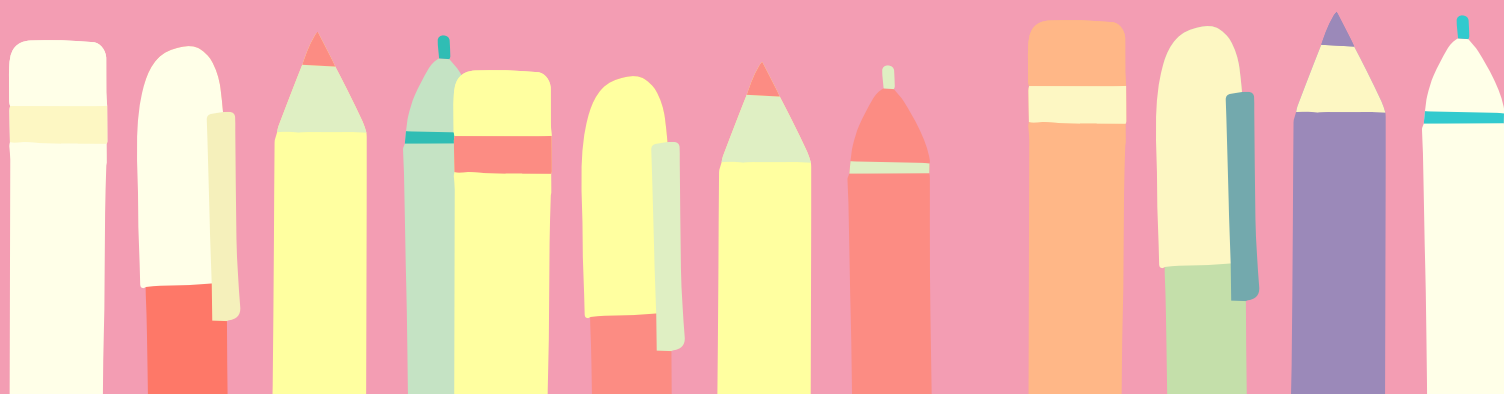


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Meet Maddy

I am an Assistant Teacher at EJRP Preschool. I have always had a passion for working with young children, and I feel incredibly fortunate to be part of their learning and growth each day. Watching their creativity, curiosity, and confidence brings me so much joy. Outside of the classroom, I enjoy reading, going for walks, relaxing in the sunshine, and spending time with my friends and family. I am excited to continue my journey at EJRP Preschool and grow both personally and professionally as an educator.

DISCOVERER TEACHERS





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Meet Taylor

I am thrilled to be apart the EJRP Preschool team. I am originally from Mohawk, New York but moved to Essex Junction at the end of August 2024 with my boyfriend. I received my Bachelor's Degree in Developmental Psychology from Castleton University in 2020. I have always had a love and passion for working with children. I am so excited to get to know your kiddos!



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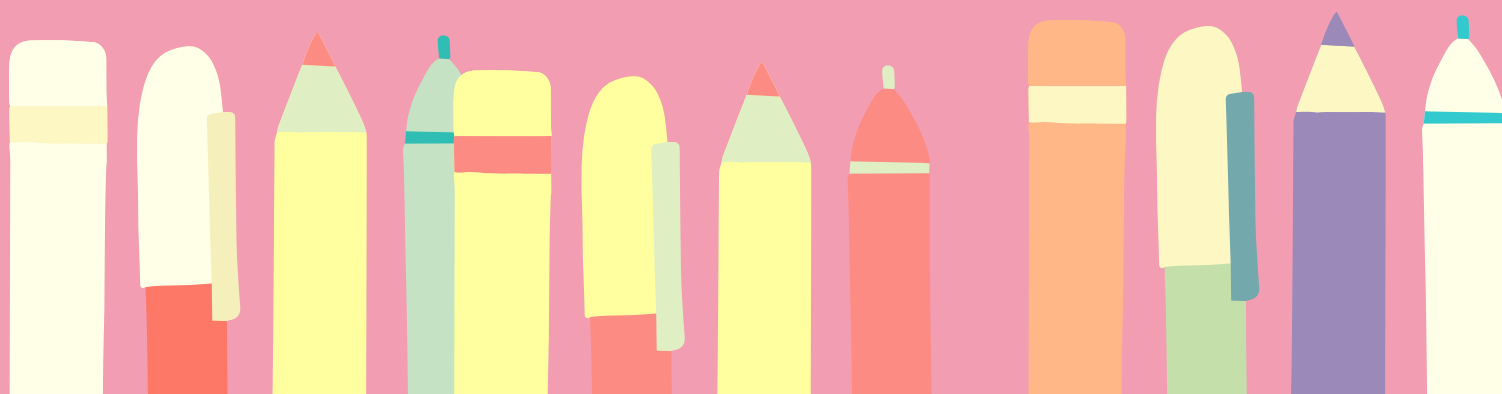
Meet



Kay

I am so excited to be joining the EJRP Preschool team! I graduated from UVM with a computer science degree in 2021, but I have always had a passion for teaching. I love to see the growth that children can have either day to day or long term. Outside of work I love to knit, crochet, and sew. I am excited for the new school year and to be a part of this community!

GUEST TEACHERS





3 Years at
EJRP Preschool

Meet Pearl

I'm a guest teacher in the EJRP Preschool Program. I have a BA in Early Childhood/Elementary Education. Over the past 30 years, I have worked in childcare, preschool, and elementary school settings. I love being in the presence of children and supporting their learning and development. I'm happy to be a part of the EJRP preschool program. In my free time, I enjoy spending time with my husband and children, traveling and walking/snowshoeing with friends.



1 Year at
EJRP Preschool

Meet

Anna

I work full time at Essex Elementary School, and I will occasionally be subbing at the EJRP Preschool! I have previously worked as an afterschool Site Coordinator through EJRP. I enjoy learning about children's development and the ways they explore the world. Outside of work, I enjoy a bluebird day skiing, reading a good book, and spending time with my family! I look forward to getting to know you and your kiddo!



1 Year at
EJRP Preschool

Meet Amelia

I have worked with the EES Kindergartners, and I have also previously worked with Summit/Hiaawatha K's and EES 1st/2nd graders through EJRP Rec Kids Afterschool. I have worked with EJRP in both counseling and leadership roles, and I am happy to be able to occasionally see the preschoolers this year! I'm currently a third-year nursing student with a focus in neuroscience. I'm hoping to work in the pediatrics field, so getting to spend time with kids is something super important for me! In my free time, I love to go to Indian Brook with my pug, Layla, swim, and hike!

Director

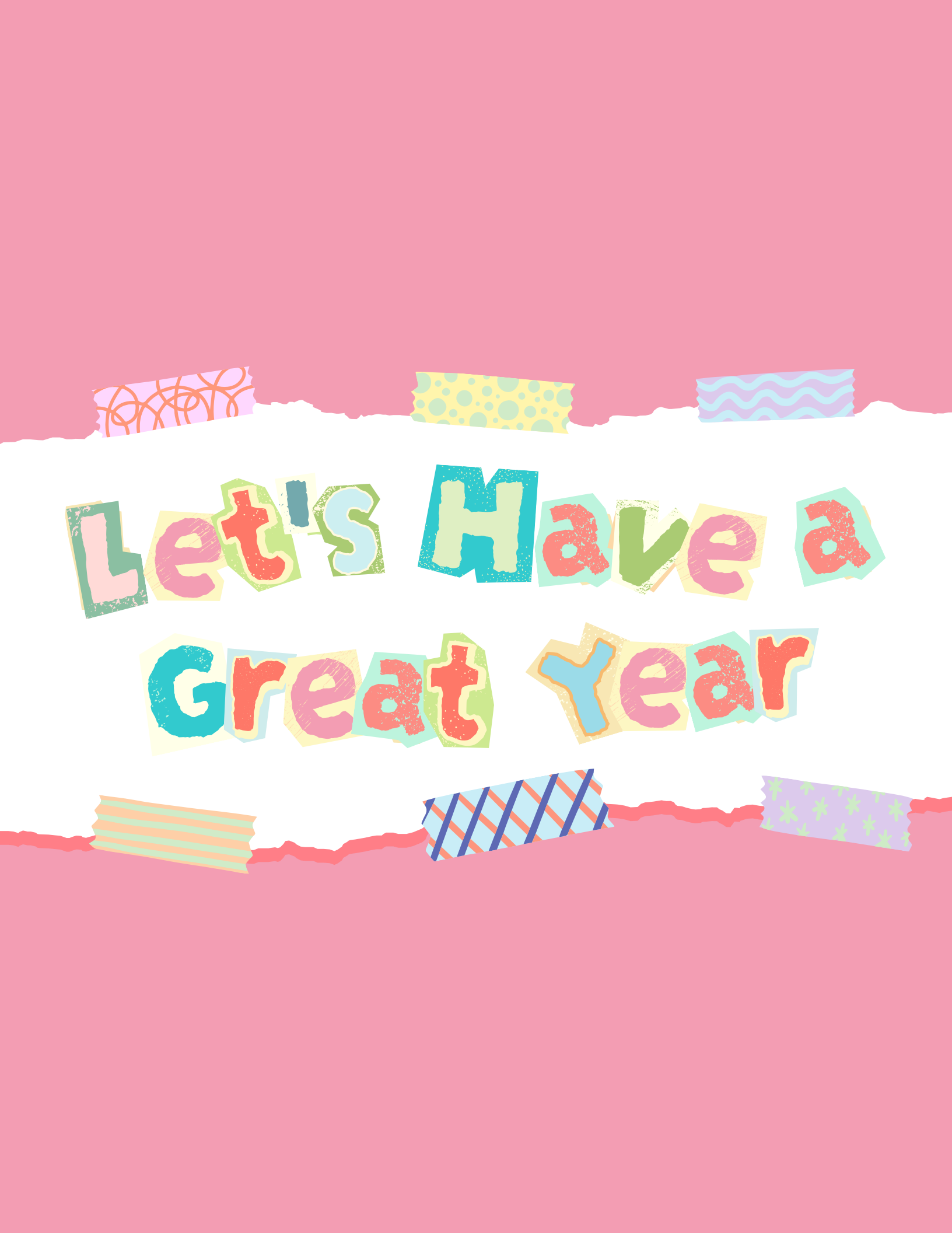


My Philosophy of Education:
I believe in building a foundation of lifelong learning through igniting curiosity, empowering independence, and validating a child's most authentic self. My goal is to create an environment where questions are welcomed, exploration is encouraged, and children feel safe to take intellectual risks. I am committed to leading a team of passionate and reflective educators and fostering strong partnerships with families and our community. Children will leave my care confident in themselves and their abilities, and they will be well-prepared to take the next steps in their education.

Kristin

My name is Kristin Cobleigh (otherwise known as Miss Kristin), and I am the EJRP Preschool Director!. I am new to the preschool scene, but I have worked in EJRP's licensed childcare programming for seven years. I have over 13 years of experience working in recreation and childcare, with more than half of that time in a kindergarten-focused leadership role. I have my BA in Elementary Education, and I am currently working on my M.Ed. in Curriculum and Instruction. In my free time, you can find me coaching cheerleading, working on an organization project, hanging with my dog, or reading multiple books at once. I cannot wait to explore the world through the eyes of your children!





Let's Have a
Great Year