

We will celebrate \_\_\_\_\_ birthday on \_\_\_\_\_.

Please send in a snack for us to share during the morning work period. Snack should be prepared in single servings so that the children can help themselves. Please have snack here by 9:00 a.m. Low sugar snacks are preferable, such as fruit and a mini muffin, fruit kabobs, cheese and crackers, banana bread, or yogurt cups.

We have \_\_\_\_\_ children in our class and children who are allergic to \_\_\_\_\_.

We will celebrate toward the end of our morning circle time, which usually lasts from 10:45 to 11:15. During this time we will share your child's poster and he/she will walk around a wooden sun one time for each year of their life. You are invited to attend if you are able, but please understand that the ceremony is part of our regular circle time and will only last about 10 minutes. Please let us know if we can expect to see you there!

### Sample Poster

#### Directions:

- Use the provided piece of poster board.
- Attach one picture for each year of your child's life, not counting the age they are turning (i.e. for a child turning four—photos from ages 0, 1, 2, and 3).
- Write a brief explanation of the photograph or of some memorable event from your child's life at that age (i.e. "first birthday party" or "moved to Virginia from California").
- Decorate the poster and add some personal touches.
- Have fun! This can be a fun chance for your child to be creative!

