

## Kilian's Graduation Speech

I have been at Sunrise Montessori most of my life. It has been my second home for nine years.

I would like to share some of my favorite memories of my time here.

In Victoria and Yolanda's room, I remember a white-ish rock that Victoria would put in a bin of water for arctic animal habitats. She was always so creative. And Yolanda, she made everything so fun. I remember when Desert Dave came and put a boa constrictor around Eduardo and my necks! In Victoria and Yolanda's room I learned to love reading and everyone knows that has never stopped!

In Judy's room, my favorite thing was the fish. I loved those fish so much that I got to play a fish in the play "The Elephant that Sneezed"! I loved Judy's art projects and Mel's cooking and hugs.

In the Sequoia Room the books got even better! My favorite thing was Senior Project. I loved the research, but I really loved giving the presentation. I didn't want to go to Walker Creek, but I ended up having a great time. Kathy - you are always so nice, Vickie - you are always so caring, Wendy - you are awesome, Jan - your hugs are as good as Mel's, and Amanda - you were always there for me.

I have loved time my here and appreciate all the care and support I have received. I have great memories, great friends and a great education.

Thank You