

Ms. Bernadette Montajes

Associate Teacher

Room 1

2024

Mrs. Bernadette Montajes is so excited to be teaching alongside Ms. Ana and Ms. Mayda in Room 2! She has been teaching at Pasadena Christian Preschool since the fall of 2024, and she feels truly blessed to be part of such a loving, Christ-centered community.



With over 25 years of experience in education, including 17 years dedicated to teaching preschool-aged children, Ms. Bernadette brings a wealth of experience, a heart full of joy, and a deep passion for helping young learners grow in both knowledge and faith. She holds an Associate of Science Degree in Child Development: Master Teacher and a Child Development Master Teacher Permit.

Before joining the teaching staff at Pasadena Christian Preschool, she served as a Transitional Kindergarten teacher at a preschool in Brentwood, where she designed, planned, and implemented developmentally appropriate curriculum and created a safe, nurturing environment to support the physical, emotional, social, and intellectual growth of young learners.

One of her favorite quotes by Fred Rogers beautifully reflects her philosophy of early childhood education: “Play is often talked about as if it were a relief from serious learning. But for children, play is serious learning. Play is really the work of childhood.”

Ms. Bernadette has been married to her husband for 23 years, and together they have two adult daughters, who are also educators at a Christian elementary school. They love spending Sundays at church and enjoy growing in their faith together through weekly Bible studies. In her free time, she enjoys hiking, reading, watching movies, and traveling with her family.

She is grateful for the opportunity to serve at Pasadena Christian Preschool and to partner with families in helping children grow in God’s love through joyful learning, discovery, and play.

“Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old, he will not depart from it.”

Proverbs 22:6 *NIV*