



## **CELEBRATION OF LIFE**

**Each child's birthday is observed with a special ceremony at school. It involves the child making one "orbit" around the sun for each year of his/her life, while carrying a globe. As they walk, the teacher sings a traditional song and or narrates special activities that highlighted your child's life to help the children visualize his or her timeline. We ask that you bring one or two pictures from each year on a poster board. And if you wish a short biography for the teacher to use, or you as the parent to read.**

**Some people like to bring a special treat for the celebration. Ideas include party napkins, fresh flowers for the classroom, or donate a book for the NLM library with you child's name, picture and a special thought inside.**

