



Pre-K Press

Week 8: October 8-12, 2018

Theme: Fall

Language Arts:

This week, we will play many games reviewing our letters, numbers, shapes, and colors. We will continue to practice all of our reading stories introduced so far. Our discussion will be on the season fall. Our finger plays will include:
The Leaves are Falling Down (sung to the tune of the *Farmer in the Dell*).
The leaves are falling down.
The leaves are falling down.
Red, orange, yellow, and brown
The leaves are falling down.

We will also work on fall dictation stories.

*Please bring in pictures or small objects for items beginnings with the letters Aa-Hh.

Concept:

We will be discussing and looking for signs of the fall season, as we take nature walks. We will study the leaves, as we anxiously wait for them to change colors. We'll also look for changes in the amount of daylight we have. In addition, the children will be introduced to places of order, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th. The children will be encouraged to estimate how many steps

it takes to get from one place to another. Lastly, the children have been doing a great job with comparisons!

Motor:

We will do a hula hoop obstacle course. The children will also practice throwing and catching a ball, and play the Follow the Directions game.

Craft and Writing:

Our papers will help review everything introduced so far! We'll match upper and lower case letters, identify numbers, and practice cutting and pasting. We'll also create fall crafts!

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Introductions:

- Numbers 7-10
 - Manners 5 and 6:
Talk with and empty mouth
Eat with your fork or spoon
 - Fable 2
The Lion and the Mouse
 - Expressive Vocabulary
Keen- sharp eye, sharp mind
Locate- to find the place of something
- Author: Bernard Most

Happy Birthday!!!

Lilly Vehe 10/12

Students of the Week:

Elise, AJ, and Lucy C.

Have a FALL-tastic Week!

Mrs. Pam

Ms. Becca

Ms. Sarah

Notes to Parents:

- Monday, 10/8...NO SCHOOL. We will be closed on Columbus Day for a staff inservice day.
- Tuesday, 10/9....Our Family Fall Harvest from 6-7:15PM at our school. Join us for a delicious dinner, and a night of fall fun for the whole family. Please return your RSVP, if you haven't already done so.
- Thursday, 10/11....Music with Mrs. Michelle.
- Thursday and Friday, 10/11 and 10/12...Tornado Drills.
- The Pre-K field trip to Konow's Corn Maze is on Friday, 10/26. Please make sure to turn in your child's permission slip, and have them to school BY 9AM. Preschool pickup will be at 12PM.
- Halloween is in the air! Our parties and parades will be on Tuesday and Wednesday, 10/30 and 10/31. Please send your child to school in their costume. We will be walking down Cedar Creek Ct. at 9:15AM, come see our costumes! Daycare parents, please send a change of clothes for after the party. If you choose to bring a treat, please keep our nutrition policy in mind. Mrs. Pam: 24, Ms. Becca: 12, and Ms. Sarah: 12
- The Pre-K Christmas Music Program will be on Saturday, December 8 at 2PM at the Noonan Academy in Mokena.