



# Pre-K Press

**Weeks 9-11: October 7-25, 2024 (We will be closed on Monday, October 14)  
Theme: Safety/Fire/Police/Halloween**

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## Language Arts:

The children will be introduced to the letters Ii, Jj, Kk, and Ll. We will be playing our phonics game with our new letters. Our fable, *The Fox and the Stork*, will teach another great moral. Please ask your child to tell you this story! Our emphasis these weeks will be on safety and Halloween. Our safety finger play goes as follows: Stop, look, and listen before you cross the street First use your eyes and ears Then use your feet.

## Concept:

The shapes triangle, rectangle, oval, and rhombus will be added to our shelf jobs, as well as new sorting activities.

These sorting activities will help us learn the concepts same/different, and color/size. We will also continue our daily estimating, as the children guess how many corn kernels are in the jar. Lastly, we will be introducing odd and even numbers.

**Motor:** Follow the Directions, Color Ladder, Spatial Relations, and Halloween games will be played.

## Craft and Writing:

Ii, Jj, Kk, and Ll papers will help the children learn our new letters. We will also be cutting out triangles and rectangles. Look for several fun safety and Halloween projects to be coming home!

## HALLOWEEN PARTY

**DAYS!** On our Trunk or Treat Wednesday and Thursday, October 30 and 31. Please send your child to school wearing their costume. Please avoid any hand held, or additional pieces to their costume. If your child stays for lunch, please send a full change of clothes for the afternoon. \*If your child doesn't attend either day, they may come to one of our parties from 9AM-12PM. If you choose to bring a treat, please keep our nutrition policy in mind. **There are 10 each homeroom class.**

## Students of the Weeks:

Lana, Kaitlin, Ben, Peter, Violet, & Lilliana

## Introductions:

**Letters: Ii, Jj, Kk, and Ll**

**Numbers: 11 and 12**

**Shapes: triangle, rectangle, oval, and rhombus**

**Story 3: Missy Manners**

**Action Words: Stop and Go**

## Expressive Vocabulary:

**Quota-** amount of something

**Rectify-** to make it right

**Siesta-** Spanish word for nap

**Tedious-** boring

**Unanimous-** we all agree

**Vague-** not clear

**Manners: Say I'm sorry & Do not cut in line**

**Fable: *The Fox and The Stork*: something which is funny to someone else, may not be so funny if it happens to us.**

## Happy Birthday!

Lana 10/21, Ben 10/23, & Brooks 10/31

**\*Please send your child to school in gym shoes for everyone's safety. Thank you!**

**Have a great 2 weeks!**

**Mrs. Jeanie, Mrs. Patti, & Ms. Kelsie**

## Notes to Parents:

- Welcome and welcome back! We are looking forward to a great 2024-25 school year!
- Please return your signed emergency information sheets, tuition policies, and any other remaining forms needed to complete your child's file.
- Please send in a picture of your child for the classroom, if you haven't already done so.
- Monday, October 7...Bookmobile.
- Picture Days will be on Thursday and Friday,

October 10 and 11. Photo proofs and ordering info will be sent home after picture day. If you child attends both days, they will be photographed on Thursday. If your child doesn't attend either day, they may come in at 9 AM either day to be photographed.

- We will be closed on Monday, October 14 for a staff inservice training day.
- Tuesday and Wednesday, 10/15 and 10/16...Tornado Drills.

- Thursday, 10/17...Great Shake Out Earthquake Drill.
- Thursday and Friday, 10/24 and 10/25...Fire Drills
- Have you enrolled for My Procure online payments? Many have found this convenient, but we still of course, accept check payments.
- Have you enrolled for Remind Messaging? Text the message @homergle to the number 81010