

Dear Parents,

November promises to be a very busy month in our class. Some of the things that we will cover this month include: Fall, families, food, nocturnal animals, and Thanksgiving. We will also continue our letter and number of the week. Thank you for working with your child to come up with great Show and Tell items. The children are doing a wonderful job talking about them!

Reminders:

Election Day (Closed) - November 5th Picture day - November 6th Parent Teacher Conferences (Zoom) - November 21st - 22nd Thanksgiving Holiday (Closed) - November 28th - 29th

We have also been working hard on our self-help skills and independence. Please encourage your child to dress themselves, put on shoes and jackets (practice zipping too), and washing and drying their hands well.

We have begun our "Lending Library" and the Busy Bees really enjoy being able to take out books. Please help your child to remember to bring them back on Monday, so they may take out a new one. Also, if a book is lost, you may donate one of your child's gently used books in its place.

Happy Thanksgiving!

Best, Heather and Lucia



November Curriculum



<u>Language Arts</u>	*Fall, Harvest, Nocturnal Animals, Thanksgiving Books *Alphabet: I-K *November Fingerplays *Nursery Rhyme: Hickory Dickory Dock
<u>Math</u>	*Numbers: 8-10 *Shape - Oval *Graphing *ABB Pattern *Estimation *More Than, Less Than
<u>Science</u>	*Pumpkins, Gourds, Indian Corn – types, inside, seeds, texture *Color: Brown *Nocturnal Animals *Harvest Foods *Weather changes
<u>Social Studies</u>	*Native Americans and Pilgrims *The First Thanksgiving *Family and friends *Family Traditions/Foods
<u>Art</u>	*Letter of the week *Self Portrait *Easel Painting *Native American Designs *Seasonal Bingo Dot Art *Nocturnal Animals
<u>Music and Movement</u>	*Alphabet Song *Phonics Song *Month of the Year Song *Yoga/Dance/Exercise *Thematic Songs
<u>Social Emotional</u> <u>And Health</u>	*Self Help Skills (zip, button, etc.) *Nutrition *Personal Hygiene *Yoga/Dance/Exercise *Working together/Using our words
Technology	YouTube - Music/Dance/Stories *Books on CD