

Prekindergarten November Newsletter

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October

During the month of October we explored our Five senses. We explored our sense of sight by going on a “sight walk” and describing some things we saw. We explored our sense of hearing by going on a “listening walk”. We stopped along the way, closed our eyes and listened for sounds outside. We explored our sense of taste with a taste test where we were able to try out bitter, sweet, salty and sour foods. We discussed which taste we liked best. We explored our sense of touch by sticking our hands in the feely box and seeing if we could describe and guess the item by only using our sense of touch. We explored our sense of smell by smelling and discussing our foods during meals and talking about some of our favorite and not so favorite smells. We wrapped up the unit by using all of our senses to explore popcorn.

This month we also explored spiders and pumpkins. While exploring spiders, we learned about the spider’s body parts, used marbles and paint to create spider webs, explored why spiders do not stick to their own webs, sequenced a spider nursery rhyme and counted to make fingerprint spiders. While exploring pumpkins, we measure pumpkins using snap cubes, made predictions about what was in a pumpkin, cut open a pumpkin and scooped out the insides, and we even baked a pumpkin pie.

We wrapped up the month with an adorable Halloween parade and fun Halloween party.



November

For the month of November, we will be focusing on the unit, All About Us. We will discuss what makes each of us important and unique, what feelings we have and why, what makes our class important and unique and what makes our family important and unique.

We will also talk about what we are thankful for and look forward to our own thanksgiving feast.

November dates to remember

November 8 – Election Day (No School)

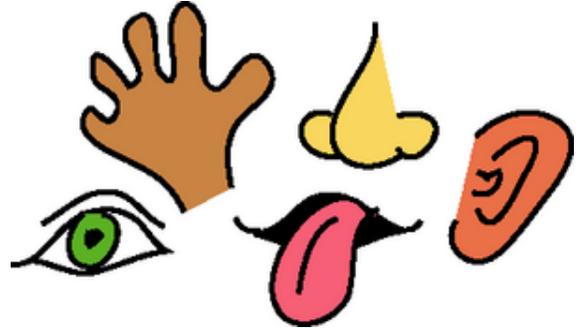
November 11 – Veterans Day (No School)

November 24 -25 – Thanksgiving Recess
(No School)

Songs we sung in October that you can sing with your child:

My Five Senses

Seeing, Hearing,
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Smell, Taste, Touch,
Smell, Taste, Touch,
These are my five senses,
These are my five senses
They work for us,
They work for us.



Five Little Pumpkins

Five little pumpkins sitting on a gate,
The first one said, "Oh my, it's getting late!"
The second one said, "There are witches/owls in the air."
The third one said, "But we don't care."
The fourth one said, "Lets run and run and run."
The fifth one said, "I'm ready for some fun!"
Then woooo went the wind and out went the light,
And the five little pumpkins ran out of sight.



Little Spider

I'm a little spider
Watch me spin
If you'll be my dinner
I'll let you come in
Then I'll spin a web to hold you tight
And gobble you up in one big bite.

