



November

Pre-Kindergarten

We Give Thanks

What Will I Explore and Learn?

Language and Literacy

Listening & Speaking – I will begin to explore word meanings, use language to express myself and describe familiar people, places, things and experiences, listen to others, take turns when speaking and stay on topic when expressing myself.

Reading

Comprehension-I will begin to identify characters and events in the books we read and the stories I hear.

Fluency-My teachers will listen closely to how I speak and express myself.

Print Concepts- I will learn about book titles, authors and illustrators. My teachers will observe how I hold a book and if I seem to “read” from left to right.

Phonological Awareness-I will explore syllables and letter sounds.

Letter and Word Recognition-I will learn the letters in my first name and some upper and lower case letters.

Writing – I will copy or trace my name and other words found in our classroom environment.

Math

Classification- I will begin to sort and group objects based upon their characteristics.

Number Sense- I will explore counting and number identification and naming.

Bible

God Calls Samuel-1 Samuel 3:1-20

David and Goliath-1 Samuel 17

Elijah and the Widow-1 Kings 17:8-16

Angels Visit-Matthew 1:18-25 and Luke 1:26-38

Social Studies

Economics and Scarcity

Science

Earth and Space

Social and Emotional Development

I will explore and learn how to make safe choices, recognize and express my emotions, self-regulate, express empathy for others and interact with the peers and adults at my school.

Physical Well Being and Motor Development

I will participate in many physical activities, learn to regulate and control my body, help myself and others, and develop my large and small muscles.

Important School Dates

November 3-Teacher-In-Service Day-NO SCHOOL

November 4 - Chapel Day (wear your school shirt)

November 16-20-Thanksgiving Food Drive

November 20-Thanksgiving Gatherings- **Students Only**

November 23-27-Thanksgiving Break-NO SCHOOL
Please stay up to date on classroom events by visiting Bloomz and our website often.

Friendly Reminders

Please encourage your child to use the restroom prior to arriving at our school each day.

Please check your child’s backpack each day.

Our season has changed! Please assure your child is wearing appropriate outer wear to school and that it is labelled with their name. Our Pre-K students will continue to enjoy outdoor activities so long as temperatures are above freezing and there is minimal precipitation. Many of our Pre-K friends also spend time outdoors during our morning drop off period.

Announcements

Thank you for continuing to keep our school happy, healthy and open by keeping sick children at home; please report all absences to Mrs. Powers by email. MCS will hold our annual food drive the week of November 16-20 to assist those less fortunate in our community. Grocery bags will be sent home the week before our drive and may be filled and returned to school with NON-PERISHABLE food items. Thank you for your generosity.

Happy Thanksgiving!

Start a Conversation!

Do you think David was afraid when he battled Goliath?

What is your favorite Thanksgiving food?

What is the title of a book you explored today?

Does the author write the words in a book or draw the pictures in a book?

Can you tell me a story?

What are the letters in your first name?

How did you help a friend today?

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