

**PreK-1**  
October 2020

# Newsletter

September was a really great month and the kids are all finally situated into our routines! They did awesome when it came to sharing some fun things about themselves. I feel like the whole class knows each other a whole lot better! Thank you to all that attended Curriculum Night and the families that participated in the fundraiser!

Moving into October we will be learning about the season of Autumn. We will talk about why leaves change color, what types of food can be harvested, explore pumpkins and apples, and make giant leaf piles outside! The first couple of weeks will be very hands on and exploratory. The kids will get themselves really into their learning and most likely make a lot of messes with each other.

The second half of October we will learn about creepy crawly insects. The children have shown a lot of interest in bugs when we are outside, so I thought it would be a good opportunity to incorporate it into our lessons. This will be a great way to welcome Halloween into the classroom too!

Our Halloween party will be held on Friday October 30<sup>th</sup> at 10:00-11:30am. All of the students are welcome to attend. Parents are unfortunately not going to be able to be a part of the party this year. We are not allowed to have that many people in the room. We will take lots and lots of pictures and share about all of the fun that we had during the day to make up for that.

I look forward to making the curriculum a little more structured for my older students! Be on the look out for some "homework" being sent to work on at home. The kids will get to do some fun activities at home that goes along with what we will be learning in the classroom!

Let me know if you have any questions or concerns! I am available in person, at drop offs/pick-ups and through email!

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