

MONDAY <i>PE</i>	TUESDAY <i>Outdoor Enrichment</i>	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY <i>Art/Cooking</i>	FRIDAY <i>Music</i>
 	Sound: Ff Election Day	Winter Break Sign Up! Please register at Mrs. May's desk!	<div> COOKING: Using a Mortar and Pestle & Measuring Practice </div>	
Sound: Oo 		 Picture Day Picture Retakes		
	LAST WEEK TO SIGN UP FOR WINTER BREAK!!! NO DROP INS YOU MUST REGISTER	<div> COOKING: Following a Recipe-Cultural Dish </div>	<div> PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES Early Dismissal: 11:45- Toddler 12:00- Primary 12:15- Infant </div>	<div> PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES Early Dismissal: 11:45- Toddler 12:00- Primary 12:15- Infant </div>
Sound: Hh		<div> COOKING: Following a Recipe- Thanksgiving Dish </div>		
Sound: Jj		Zoology: Animals of North America Botany: Corn Geography: North America Music: "Ten Little Turkeys" by Kids Song by The Learning Station Poem: I Am Thankful		

Happy November Parents!
I hope you all are having a wonderful fall so far!

In November we will start our year long journey around the globe! America will be our first stop.

We will learn about different countries, people animals and geography as well as climate.

Conferences are on November 18th and 19th. Sign-up sheets are on the wall by the school office. You may register for an in-person or over the phone conference.

Since it's November, we of course will also be learning about turkey and being thankful!

We're so thankful for you!
Happy November,
Ms. Kristen and Ms. Un-Hwa

Notes from the Art Corner from Mrs. Farber

Art class is in full swing! The students have worked with different kinds of paint and experimented mixing red and yellow to make orange. We were able to have art class outside with Mrs. Bell where we created artwork inspired by one of my favorite artists: Andy Goldsworthy. Throughout October the students will be mixing all of the primary colors and using other types of mediums. I will show them artwork by Piet Mondrian and read a book by Author/Illustrator Peter Reynolds. We'll work on some fun projects around some of the upcoming holidays and our next art concept topic will be texture.

Mrs. Farber

Enrichment Programs

Notes from Outdoor Enrichment

The outdoor enrichment environment has officially moved into the wet and cold mindset. I have grown to long and appreciate being outside no matter the weather conditions. (Except strong winds combined with rain!) I dress in layers and I have extra clothing to change in to during the day. I have seen the children responding the same way.

When they are properly dressed its an enjoyable experience for them. it is time to let go and enjoy being muddy and there are a lot of creative art and science experiments that are very messy. Please do not get after the children or the teachers for this. It is apart of the outdoor enrichment experience. We clean them up and send them home in clean clothes. There just may be a few stains and a couple of rips in the clothing. Put them in things you dont have to worry about. The children will grow and develop positively from this experience.

November calendar begins with another week on tree leaves. Then we start studying American Indian art culture. There will be stories and art projects this month, then we are going to study birds.

IF YOU NEED WORKBOND CREDIT! We need!

- Gardening upkeep helpers.
- Child sized gardening gloves
- 20 pairs of old hats and mittens and rain clothes that can be stored and used as back up!

Mrs. Bell

Mrs. Sandi's Music Notes:

This past month your children have really learned how to follow a conductor as well as practicing conducting themselves. Wow—do they have good rhythm! They are also doing such a great job at learning all the tricks to being a good musician:) In November, we will be learning some “call and response” songs to further their musical listening skills and boost confidence in when to sing and when to listen, which is a great left/right brain activity. Typically the teacher (me) does the calling (singing a phrase in a song) and the children are the responders (echoing back that phrase). I'm excited to have some of your children try being the caller as I have so many strong singers. We've studied four string instruments already this year. Now it's time to move on to woodwind instruments—the flute and the clarinet. We'll learn how to recognize these instruments by listening to “Peter and the Wolf.” Our musical concepts this month are forte (loud) and piano (soft). If you have time, it would be fun to watch with your children Walt Disney's version of “Peter and the Wolf” narrated by David Bowie. It's only 14 minutes long and will give you and your child a chance to enjoy this amazing piece of music written by Sergei Prokofiev together

Mrs. Sandi

DATES TO REMEMBER



**DECEMBER
18th
SANTA VISITS!**

NO SCHOOL CHILDCARE ONLY

(MUST HAVE REGISTERED)

DECEMBER 20TH-23RD

NO SCHOOL: DECEMBER 24TH

NO SCHOOL CHILDCARE ONLY

(MUST HAVE REGISTERED)

DECEMBER 27TH-30TH

NO SCHOOL: DECEMBER 31ST



**RETURN TO SCHOOL
JANUARY 3RD!**



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IF OPEN, WE OPEN ON TIME

