

November Newsletter

I can't believe it's November already, time is flying by! Students have become familiar with our class procedures and have adjusted well to our schedule during the last month. It's been amazing to observe the positive environment they've created and the bonds they've established with one another.

This month in ELA, we worked on letter sounds and writing uppercase and lowercase letters. Students have enjoyed learning their letters in a variety of methods, including using shaving cream and blocks to construct letters. Students also enjoy practicing these abilities on their whiteboards. This month in ELA, we also spoke about our five senses, tools we use every day, and shapes all around us. We read stories and engaged in various activities to gain a better grasp of these topics. Students also learned to read and write the words, see, a, and the. Students enjoy constructing sentences with the sight words we've learned and love to point out these words in various stories.

In math, students have been continuing to count and write numbers 0 to 5. Children learned the order of numbers and how to use ordinal numbers to describe an object's relative position. They applied what they learned to compare groups and understand which group has the most and which group has the fewest. Students have been practicing writing numbers 6 to 10 and will learn to count, order, and compare numbers 6 to 10.

Students are enjoying working with Ms. Kelly and participating in Montessori activities. I sneak a peek while students are next door, and it's incredible how engaged they are in these activities. Students have numerous important discussions about their faith and enjoy sharing all of the new hands-on activities they have participated in with Ms. Kelly.

A few reminders:

- -Please ensure that you are checking and returning your child's blue folder on a daily basis.
- -No school on Tuesday, November 7th (Professional Development).
- -No school on Friday, November 10th (Veterans Day).
- -Early Release (No ASEC) on Wednesday, November 22nd.
- -No school on Thursday, November 23rd and Friday, November 24th (Thanksgiving Break).

Please reach out if you have any questions or concerns.