

Kindergarten News

November 2023



November Conferences

We have completed the first marking period! The Kindergarteners have done a nice job learning routines and engaging in lessons. We are excited to connect with families during November to share progress and discuss ways to continue supporting our students. Please sign up by clicking on your child's teacher's name below if you haven't done so already:

[Meadows Conferences](#)
[Tran-Phan Conferences](#)
[Williamson Conferences](#)

Curriculum News

Our mathematicians will explore 2-dimensional and 3-dimensional shapes in November. We will learn how to correctly identify those shapes regardless of their orientation, size, or variation. We will classify and identify shapes using more precise descriptions based on mathematical attributes (For example, "It's a rectangle because it has four straight sides and no openings.").

In reading, we will be exploring different characters in Unit 2. We will continue with rhyming, as well as segmenting and blending sounds. We will write about characters and retell story events using key details. Please encourage your child to make predictions, retell events or facts, and ask questions as you read together at home.

In social studies, we will explore maps and globes and learn to identify different physical features such as bodies of water and landforms. We will also look at manmade features including bridges and roads.

In our Leader in Me Lessons, we will continue to learning to lead ourselves by identifying and applying calming strategies, taking responsibility for our choices, prioritizing the things that matter most, personal mission statements. We can be proactive!



Upcoming Dates

Mon, 11/1 - No School (Professional Day)
Fri, 11/10 - Veterans Day Ceremony
@ 9:15-10:00 am
Mon, 11/13 - Fri, 11/17 - Fall Book Fair
Mon, 11/20- Early Release @12:55
Tue, 11/21 - Early Release @12:55
Wed, 11/22 - No School (Thanksgiving)
Thu, 11/23 - No School (Thanksgiving)
Fri, 11/24 - No School (Thanksgiving)



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| 11/1 Chelsea L. | 11/14 Sara G. |
| 11/1 Marko B. | 11/16 Mazigh M. |
| 11/8 Claire C. | 11/16 Nitara T. |
| 11/6 Pranav P. | 11/18 Viona M. |
| 11/9 Shawn W. | 11/20 Luna D. |
| 11/13 Ali S. | 11/20 Victoria H. |
| 11/13 Elliott D. | 11/29 Dailin P. |

Reminders

- ★Please sign up for a conference time.
- ★Make sure your child has a jacket or sweatshirt (labeled with his/her name) for outdoor recess.
- ★Please practice independent skills for zipping coats, inside outting clothing, tying shoes, etc.