

Learning Path Preschool



FAMILY NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2021

The Fall season is a time of remarkable transformation. As vibrant colors burst forth and nature reacts to change, our school community is evolving, too. It is an exciting time for our students, and we take pride in offering them an opportunity to take part in our hands-on learning experiences. Preschool age children are dynamic learners, and the social opportunities missed during the Covid19 pandemic are now a distant memory. Over the past year, we have worked diligently to provide a safe, comprehensive and seamless learning experience for our students. We are so proud of our preschoolers, who have risen to the occasion and are quickly becoming integral members of our school family. As young as they are, they are learning how to take responsibility for themselves, to follow rules and routines, and develop an understanding of what it means to be part of a greater whole.

Accordingly, October is also the time when our students are setting an emotional foothold here at school. They have successfully navigated the first weeks and are settling in to familiar routines, developing important relationships and claiming ownership of their classrooms. The teachers are also developing a picture of each child's preferences and strengths. And as the year progresses, and the seasons change, we will support and celebrate the transformation of each and every child here at LPP.

CURRICULUM CORNER

Halloween - Imaginative play is an important learning tool for preschoolers. It improves their understanding of social structures and helps develop a strong self image. It is in this spirit that we embrace Halloween. This year we will celebrate Halloween all week long, from October 25th through October 29th.

Careers - October's curriculum also explores the jobs people do in their community. Children develop a larger sense of self by learning about the different careers that make up a thriving community. Exploring careers serves as an optimistic window to the future.

Fall- Autumn's vibrant colors reinforce positive aspects of change. We study nature's color palette and learn about busy squirrels and other animals preparing for the winter months ahead.

UPCOMING EVENTS

We are spreading our Halloween fun throughout the week from October 25th through the 29th!

Halloween Week

- Ghosts & Ghouls Fun & Games Day
- Monster Mash Music Day & Pumpkin Decorating
- Halloween Costume Day (Wednesday Only)
- Spooktacular Halloween Party
- Harvest Hullabaloo Pumpkin Picking

Fabulous Fall Reading Challenge MTPL Book Links

<https://kohaopac.mtpl.org/cgi-bin/koha/opac-shelves.pl?op=view&shelfnumber=4746&sortfield=title>

<https://kohaopac.mtpl.org/cgi-bin/koha/opac-shelves.pl?op=view&shelfnumber=4747&sortfield=title>

BOOK LOOK

Stories are a big part your child's day here at LPP. Here are a few books we love to read this month...

Room On The Broom
By Julia Donaldson

There Was An Old Lady...a Bat!
By Lucille Calandro

Dream You'll Be
By Joseph T. Garcia

Clothesline Clues to Jobs People Do
By Kathryn Heling

Squirrels Who Squabbled
By Rachel Bright

Goodbye Summer, Hello Autumn
By Kenard Pak