

PRESCHOOL FOR ALL NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 2020



Happy November! October was a month filled with lots of fun activities. We have been examining parts of trees and we ordered sticks by size (small, medium and large). We used leaves to measure how long items were around our classroom. We made patterns using leaves and we practiced making letters and shapes out of sticks.

We also worked on some Halloween activities. We did a fun experiment where we dissolved pumpkins in different liquids. We practiced counting by using pumpkin seeds and we also counted spiders. I also enjoyed seeing pictures of everyone's decorated pumpkins! I really missed seeing everyone in school for pumpkin decorating but I loved the pumpkins everyone created at home!

While it is a short month, November will be very busy. We will continue working on our Tree study and discuss who lives in trees. We will spend some time talking about Thanksgiving and the things for which we are thankful.

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

Parent-teacher conferences will be held Monday, November 23 from 1pm-8pm and Tuesday, November 24 from 8am-12pm. Due to the pandemic, conferences will be held via Zoom this year. A link to sign up will be sent out in the next week or two. There will be no student attendance that week (Monday will be a remote learning day and there are no classes on Tuesday).

REMOTE INSTRUCTION

As you have already heard, our school district will be transitioning to a full remote model from Monday, November 30 through Friday, December 18. During these weeks, students will be expected to sign into our Zoom meetings Tuesday through Friday (Mondays meeting will be a pre-recorded video) and engage in the activities provided on Seesaw. It is very important that everyone be connected to Seesaw at this time. If you are having trouble connecting, please let me know and I will help you to the best of my ability! More information about our schedule during these remote weeks will be sent home soon.

SAVE THE DATE

- Wednesday, November 11 – No School – Veteran’s Day
- Monday, November 23 – Remote Learning Day – Parent Teacher Conferences 1pm-8pm
- Tuesday, November 24 – No school – Parent Teacher Conferences 8am-12pm
- Monday, November 30-Friday, December 18 – Remote Learning – no in-person classes during this time.

As always, if you ever have any questions or concerns, please contact me via Seesaw, call me at (708) 423-3078 or email me at cbrychel@ahsd125.org.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Colleen Brychel

