

OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

The children are really starting to settle in and learning our new classroom routine. I appreciate all the help in September with all the changes and extra duties, I couldn't get through a class without my wonderful parent helpers! Just a reminder to sign up for parent helper through the Facebook Page or by contacting Becky if you have not had a chance yet.

Please remember to send weather appropriate clothing as we do go outside regularly and some days are getting pretty chilly! Once different shoes need to be worn, please make sure your child's indoor shoes are in their backpack to change into.

If your child is going to be away, please let me know. My cell number is below if you want to text or call me, or also feel free to email me. **Please remember**, as of right now, children are required to stay home if sick in any way, including colds and runny noses. I know this can be frustrating, I have children too, but it is a school wide policy currently in place.

Also, a reminder to try your best to send snacks already opened, or in packaging your child can open. We are trying to handle food as little as possible, but I have been having to open cookie/granola bar wrappers, and certain containers. I do wash my hands thoroughly before doing so, but we are trying our best to limit contact with food items.

I have opted to keep paint shirts at school (surprise!!), it was just easier. I did a little cleaning and rearranging and have found a spot for them. I will send them home periodically for washing.

Finally, I have separated out more toys in the classroom for each individual class, so there are more items that only your child's class is playing with.

IMPORTANT DATES:

October 12th – Thanksgiving Day, no classes

October 15th and 16th - Preschool Picture Day - Pictures are taken during regular class times. I will need 2 parent helpers for these days. The plan is to take them outside using the school brick as a backdrop. Should the weather not cooperate, I do have permission from the school principal to take pictures in the Band room, where the photographer will be allowed to set up. Please plan to dress your child appropriately for outdoor pictures unless I notify you otherwise.

October 23rd - No School for Students

October 26th - PD Day due to the election

October 29th/30th – Halloween Party

We are still having a Halloween Party, even though it will look a little different than years past. The children are welcome to dress up for the party (I will be!), and I encourage you to send some fun Halloween treats in their lunches since we can't have a special shared snack this year. I would also like to have 2 parent helpers for the parties as it makes it much easier to play games that I have planned and have fun!

I am in the classroom every morning typically by 8:30 am and will typically leave by 12:00. Do not hesitate to come and see me with any questions or concerns. You can also email me, call, or text me as well. The classroom number is 955-1007 and my cell is 241-7677. Email and text is the best way to contact me.



Mrs. Renauld