Newsletter
November 2026



October 2026 Activities Highlights

October was a fun and exciting month at our school as we celebrated the beauty of fall, kindness, creativity, and the festive spirit of Halloween. Here are some of our September highlights:

World Smile Day Celebration😊

Our little ones celebrated World Smile Day with a heartwarming activity. Smiley-face stickers were distributed to the children, who were encouraged to exchange them with their friends as a symbol of friendship, love, and kindness. Through this simple yet meaningful activity, children learned that even a small smile can brighten someone's day and spread happiness all around.

Breast Cancer Awareness Month🎀

In honor of Breast Cancer Awareness Month, our children participated in a special Pink Handprint Activity. Using pink paint, they created beautiful handprint artwork to spread messages of love, hope, kindness, and support. This meaningful activity encouraged children to express care and compassion while learning the importance of supporting others.

Pumpkin Patch Visit at Cornelius Nursery🎃

Our little explorers had a wonderful time visiting the Pumpkin Patch at Cornelius Nursery. The children were excited to see pumpkins of different shapes, sizes, and colors while experiencing the beauty of the fall season. They enjoyed exploring the pumpkin displays, taking adorable pictures with their friends. It was a memorable outdoor adventure filled with laughter, excitement, and learning.

Fall Leaves Spray Painting 🍁

Our young artists welcomed the fall season with a colorful Fall Leaves Painting Activity! Using real leaves and beautiful autumn-inspired colors. They observed different leaf shapes, textures, and colors while creating their own unique masterpieces.

Halloween Arts & Crafts👻

Our children participated in a variety of fun arts and crafts activities. They created adorable Paper Plate Foxes, spooky "BOO" collages, colorful Witch Hats, beautiful Fall Trees, and many more seasonal masterpieces. Through cutting, pasting, painting, and decorating, the children strengthened their fine motor skills, explored their imagination, and expressed their creativity while celebrating the festive season.

Halloween Parade & Dress-Up Celebration🎃

Our Halloween celebration was filled with excitement, laughter, and lots of adorable costumes! Children arrived dressed in their favorite Halloween outfits and proudly participated in a fun-filled Halloween Parade. Our little trick-or-treaters enjoyed walking around, showing off their costumes, and collecting delicious treats. After the parade, the children returned to their classrooms and enjoyed a special Halloween-themed lunch with their friends. It was a joyful celebration filled with smiles, friendship, festive fun, and wonderful memories.

Thank you to all our wonderful parents and teachers for making this month so special.

Pre-K 1: Learning Highlights

Literacy: Letters D & E

Our little learners were introduced to the letters D and E through fun and engaging activities such as letter recognition, coloring, and hands-on manipulation materials. Children practiced identifying the uppercase letters, their beginning sounds, and proper letter formation.

Math: Numbers 4 & 5

They explored the numbers 4 and **5** through number recognition, counting, color and hands-on activities. They practiced counting objects in groups of four and five.

Colors & Shape: Yellow, Orange & Triangle

Children explored the color Green & Yellow and the shape Triangle through classroom objects, sorting activities, coloring, and shape-recognition and formation activities.

Sign Language: “Please”:

Children learned the sign for “Please.” They practiced using the sign during classroom routines, snack time, songs, and activities to encourage communication and language development.

😊 Parts of the Body – Learning About Our Face

Our learners explored different parts of the face, including the eyes, nose, mouth, and ears. They participated in a hands-on Velcro activity, where they matched and pasted different facial features onto a face using Velcro pieces. This interactive activity helped children recognize the correct placement of each facial feature while strengthening their hand-eye coordination, fine motor skills, problem-solving abilities, and body awareness.

Pre K-2: Learning Highlights

Literacy: Dd, Ed and Ff

The learners were introduced to the letter Dd, Ee and Ff through engaging activities such as coloring, tracing, letter recognition, puzzles, and hands-on manipulation materials.

Math: Numbers 4, 5 & 6

Children learned numbers 4, 5, and 6 through fun and engaging learning activities. Children practiced oral counting from 1–10 using songs, puzzles, manipulative, and hands-on exercises. They also explored part-whole relationships and one-to-one correspondence by counting, matching, and grouping objects.

Colors & Shapes

They explored the colors Green, Orange, and Pink through sorting, matching, coloring, and hands-on activities. They also learned to recognize and identify the shapes Rectangle, Diamond, and Pentagon. Through interactive games, shape-matching activities, and creative exercises, children developed color recognition, shape identification, observation skills, and visual discrimination while having fun!

Positional & Comparison Words

Children learned Big and Little, Top and Bottom, In Front and Behind, and Inside through movement, games, and hands-on activities. These experiences helped develop their understanding of size, position, direction, and spatial awareness.

Practical Life & Fine Motor Skills

Children strengthened their fine motor skills, concentration, coordination, and independence through Geoboard activities, Metal Insets, Napkin Folding, and Dressing Frames, including zipping, buttoning, snapping, lacing, buckling, and shoelace tying.

Songs & Story Time

Children enjoyed singing Frog Street Press songs and classroom favorites, including "Daisy Doll," "Six Little Ducks," "Elmo the Elephant," "Chicka Chicka Boom Boom," "Funny Fish," and "Old MacDonald Had a Farm." These activities encouraged language development, rhythm, and listening skills.

During story time, children enjoyed "The Very Hungry Caterpillar" and "The Very Busy Spider" by Eric Carle, developing imagination, vocabulary, listening comprehension, and early literacy skills.

Pre K-3: Learning Highlights

Literacy: Letters Cc & Dd

Children were introduced to the uppercase and lowercase letters Cc & Dd through engaging, hands-on activities. Children practiced letter recognition, tracing, writing, and coloring using fun picture-based worksheets. They also explored words beginning with these letters.

Math: Numbers 2, 3 & 4

Children explored numbers 2, 3, and 4 through a variety of interactive learning activities. Children practiced identifying, matching, circling, tracing, and writing numbers while strengthening their counting skills. Through number-based worksheets and hands-on exercises, they developed number recognition, hand-eye coordination, and early mathematical thinking in a fun and engaging way.

Science & Social Studies

Children learned about a variety of exciting topics, including the Fall Season, Pets, Farm Animals, and Wild Animals. They also explored different types of animals, learned about their habitats, sounds, and characteristics, and discussed how pets and farm animals are cared for.

Art & Craft

Our children enjoyed making their October Calendars, Columbus Day crafts, Tall Tree artwork, glitter-decorated Fall Leaves, Halloween Mini Booklets, and beautifully decorated and painted Pumpkins.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **November 6th, Friday: Diwali Celebration**
- **November 20th, Friday: Thanksgiving Celebration**
- **November 26th, & 27th, Thursday & Friday: Thanksgiving holiday (No School)**





REMINDER

- **Please Label all your childs belongings.**
- **Parents please make sure to read the messages on Brightwheel**
- **Please check your child's backpack daily for any dirty clothes**
- **Please make sure to pick up the child by 6:00PM. After that time, a late fee of $1 per minute will be charged.**

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