

Miss Fasano's T-K Weekly News!

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Check out my ICS teacher page!

Classroom Wish List

- Sensory table items
- Packing tape
- Scotch tape
- Sharpies
- Paperclips
- Ziplock bags (sandwich, gallon, snack)
- Kid's scissors
- White Paper Plates

This Week

- Letter Ii (name, sound, print)
- Fall Colors
- Halloween
- Letter Recognition
- Letter Review
- Counting/Chanting 1-20 (Focus: 4)
- Following Directions
- How Do Pumpkins Grow
- Creating Jack-o-Lanterns
- What's Inside a Pumpkin
- Being Kind
- Using Wet Glue
- Right vs Wrong Choices
- Jesus teaches us to share

This week was Mrs. Parente's last week, as she is "going on a new adventure". Please welcome Mrs. Saam to our classroom!

From me to you!

We will continue to recognize the changes that occur during the Fall months. We have been busy making beautiful leaf as well as pumpkin creations. We have identified leaf characteristics through song, stories, art and lots more!

Our pumpkin theme started this week! We spent time this week learning about how pumpkins grow and identify similarities/differences between the growth of an apple and the growth of a pumpkin. This week I carved our classroom pumpkin, Pumpkin Spice (the kids thought of the name)! We scooped out the seeds and the pulp. We even learned about the parts of a pumpkin! Our pumpkin study has gotten us excited about going to our pumpkin trip next week! We are hopeful that the weather will cooperate. As a reminder, we will meet at West Portal Pumpkin Patch on Monday, 10/25 at 9am.

Counting

We are becoming wonderful counters! We are taking it a bit slow, but we will soon be counting up to 100, with the help of Miss Caterpillar! Miss Caterpillar will be displayed in our classroom so she can help us count to 100 days of school! We are continuing to master the names of the teens 11-20. I would like for each child to practice at home too. Number recognition is just as important as letter recognition, as we are continuing to learn the difference between numbers and letters. Remember practice makes perfect! I am so very proud of my students!

Kindness

Recently, I have been teaching my students about kindness within the classroom. We are learning that we need to be kind to our friends/classmates, our teachers, our classroom and our school. I make sure that everyday the children understand that everyone in our class is our friend, and that we play with all of our friends. We also have been learning a lot about using our listening ears. When the teacher is speaking, we are quiet. When a friend is raising a quiet hand and called on to speak, we are quiet. When the teacher gives directions, we listen and do what is asked. Please reiterate to your child the we need to be kind to everyone in our classroom and that we need to listen. I'm going to continue talking to the children about respect in school, please make it a priority to work on this at home at well!

