

Meadow Oaks Academy Pre School Newsletter November 2018

Pre-Kindergarten News

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Week 1 – Miss O - Optimistic Optimist

This week we continue learning our vowels with Letter Oo. We will learn the long and short sound that Oo makes.

Activities:

...we will talk about an octopus and its home, the ocean

...taste olives

...make an owl puppet

...color Oo orange

...sight words

DLM: Three for the Sea

Science: Solid Test

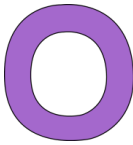
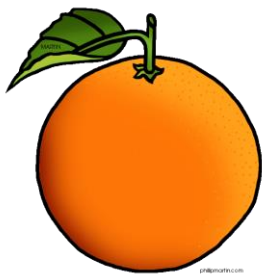
Writing: No Tears Writing Activities

Math: Number 9 and 1 Minute Math Activities

Little Book: My Trip – week 2

Songs: Miss O – Optimistic Optimist

Show and Tell on Friday: wear orange and bring something orange



Week 2 – Miss U – Upsy-Daisy Umbrella

This week we conclude our study of vowels with the Letter Uu. We will discuss the sounds Uu makes and words that begin with the Letter U.

Activities:

...talk about The United States

...read the story of “The Ugly Duckling”

...make an umbrella

...color the USA

...sight words

DLM: Three for the Sea

Science: A-maze-ing Plant

Writing: No Tears Writing Activities

Math: Number 10 and 1 Minute Math Activities

Little Book: Toys – week 1

Songs: Miss U – Upsy-Daisy Umbrella

Show and Tell on Friday: Bring something that starts with the letter Uu



Week 3 – Thanksgiving

Activities:

...making a Thanksgiving bracelet

...make a hand turkey

...discuss things you are thankful for

...read a Thanksgiving story

...sight words

DLM: None

Science: Bottle Diver

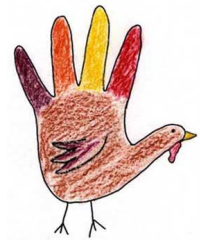
Writing: No Tears Writing Activities

Math: Number Review and 1 Minute Math

Little Book: Toys – week 2

Songs: Thanksgiving Songs

Show and Tell on Friday: None



Week 4 - Review

This week is Review Week. We will be reviewing our vowel letters. The sounds they make and how they are formed. We will also review

numbers 6 – 10.

Activities:

...having word contests

...make ink print insects

...learn about and drawing an otter



...sight words

DLM: Three for the Sea

Science: Bottle Diver/Bridge Shapes

Writing: No Tears Writing Activities

Math: Numbers 6 - 10

Little Book: I Know My Family – week 1

Songs: Review Letter People Songs

Show and Tell on Friday: Bring something that starts with a vowel.



Happy Thanksgiving!!

MOA will be closed November 22nd & 23th

Our Thanksgiving Feast will be on Wednesday 21st



Preschool 2 Newsletter November 2018



Week 1 – Celebrations – Celebrating with Hats

The learning objective for this week will be to talk about hats people wear on their heads, when they celebrate family, community, religious or cultural events.

Shape of the Week: Star

Color of the Week: Green

Letter of the Week: Hh

Number of the Week: 1

Math Activities: Star Cookie Cutter Painting, One Hand Art, Hausa Hat, Bonnets/Bowlers, Plaid Paper

Music & Movement: Moving on the Star, Mexican Hat Dance, Round, Scottish Fling, One in the Middle

Things to Talk About: See how many different hats you and your child can find and name.



Week 2 – Celebrations – Celebrating with Food

The learning objective for this week will be to talk about traditional food people prepare and eat when they celebrate family, community, religious, and cultural events.

Shape of the Week: Star

Color of the Week: Green

Letter of the Week: Hh

Number of the Week: 1

Math Activities: Picking, One-to-One Correspondence, Folder

Games, Matching, Sorting

Art Activities: The Number One,

Play Dough, Sticky Star, Table Painting, Stars

Music & Movement: One of a Kind, Round and Round, Just One, One Step, Twinkle - Twinkle

Things to Talk About: things that begin with the letter Hh, talk about the number one



Week 3 – Celebrations – Celebrating with Parties

The learning objective for this week will be to talk about the different types of parties we may attend, and the events we celebrate that accompany parties.

Shape of the Week: Crescent

Color of the Week: Silver

Letter of the Week: Ww

Number of the Week: Zero

Math Activities: Felt Board Activities, One-To-One Correspondence, Folder Games, Matching, Sorting

Art Activities: Picture Frames,

Invitations, Tableware, Wrapping Paper, Tablecloth

Music & Movement: Crescent Walk, Wiggle Worm, P-A-R-T-Y, Party Time, Musical Chairs

Things to Talk About: the letter Ww, discuss the concept of zero, and recent parties that the family has attended.



Week 4 – Celebrations – Celebrating with Parades

The learning objective for this week will be to talk about parades that people organize to celebrate community and cultural events.

Shape of the Week: Crescent

Color of the Week: Silver

Letter of the Week: Ww

Number of the Week: Zero

Math Activities: Picking Board, One-to-One Correspondence, File Folder Games, Memory, Sorting

Art Activities: Sparkle Paint, Wet and Wrinkled, Wobble- Wobble Art, Zeros, Silver Collages

Music & Movement: Inside Noise Parade, Where Are You?, Wonderfully Wacky, Making Waves, Where?

Things to Talk About: Letter Ww, Concept of zero, what community parades have you attended or participated in.

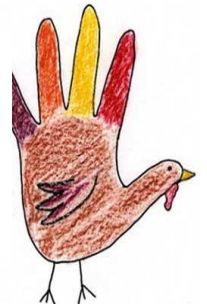


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Preschool 3 Newsletter November 2018

Week 1 – Fall

This week we will explore & learn the signs of Fall.

Activities:

...take a Fall hike & collect materials for making a Fall collage

...paint with real leaves using the colors of Fall

...use pipe cleaners & yarn to make the number 5

...create leaf rubbings & trace real leaves

...sort objects in groups of five

Letter of the Week: li

Number of the Week: 5

Count on Math: Spatial

Songs & Fingerplays: Little Leaves, Happy Children, Pretty Leaves are Falling Down

Autumn Leaves, Twirling Leaves

Bring a magazine clipping of Fall pictures to school on Friday to share with the class.



Week 2 – Apples

Size, shape, color and taste...if it's about apples, we'll learn it this week.

Activities:

...make apple prints & talk about the parts of an apple

...learn about oxidation in accordance to the study of apples

...make & taste dried apples

...discuss the different kinds of apples as we weigh them

...play the 'hot apple' game

...sequence & sort apples according to size & color

Letter of the Week: Jj

Number of the Week: 6

Count on Math: Spatial Relationships

Songs & Fingerplays: If I had an Apple, Little Apples Off the Tree, My Apple Tree, Apple Tree, Apples, Picking Apples, An Apple, The Apple

Bring a magazine clipping of apples to school on Friday to share with the



Week 3– Thanksgiving

Could we ever count or recall all the things we are thankful for? This week our 3's will try.

Activities:

...make a thankful collage exhibiting the many things we are thankful for

...create a Thanksgiving feast out of pictures of our favorite foods

...play the games 'turkey chase' & 'turkey keeper'

...make the traditional 'hand turkey'

...talk about the Pilgrims & the Indians

...create a colorful popcorn collage

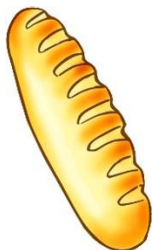
...sing many thankful & fun Thanksgiving songs

Letter of the Week: None

Number of the Week: None

Count on Math: Spatial Relationships

Songs & Fingerplays: Popcorn Songs, If you're Thankful, The Big Turkey, Thanksgiving



Week 4 – Breads & Dairy

This week we will learn about two more important food groups.

Activities:

...make a bread & dairy collage
...taste a variety of jellies on bread & crackers

...create a crayon ice cream cone at the easel

...have a number hunt

...do a bread sponge painting

Letter of the Week: Jj

Number of the Week: 6

Count on Math: Spatial Relationships

Songs & Finger plays: Little Donuts, Ice Cream, Little Miss Muffet

This Little Cow, If I had a Bagel, Let's Pretend, Farmer in the Dell, Old McDonald

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