



Litchfield Park Preschool Newsletter

October 2021 Issue

News

Milo & Moxie Fire Safety Class Visits by Goodyear Fire Department

What do Milo, a loveable dog, and Moxie, an inquisitive hummingbird know about teaching children how to prevent burn injuries and be fire safe in their homes? As it turns out, everything! We'll learn more when they visit our classroom.

Fall Festival

This year's Fall Festival will be held during school hours. Students may wear their Halloween costume to school on festival days (optional).

Teacher's Corner

Seasons & Reasons

Learning about the seasons helps children understand the passage of time and teaches them about change. While some seasonal changes are more obvious (like changes in weather), there are many important subtle differences related to each season, like changes in the type of food that is available.

13 Best Books for Understanding Seasonal Change

Goodbye Summer, Hello Autumn by Kenard Pak uses descriptive language as a child says goodbye and hello to the signs of seasonal change.

Red Leaf, Yellow Leaf by Lois Ehlert is great for tackling the scientific understanding of photosynthesis.

Sleep Tight Farm: A Farm Prepares For Winter by Eugenie Doyle is a fascinating look at seasonal change and how people, plants and animals prepare for the seasonal change to winter.

Red Sings From Treetops: A Year in Colours by Joyce Sidman is a sensorial, and poetic, exploration of how the changing seasons look, feel, smell and taste.

Seasons by Alain Gree is a classical look at the four seasons with seasonal changes observed in communities and nature.

Seasons by Blexbolex explores the cyclical nature of the changing seasons through time.

The Seasons of Arnold's Apple Tree and *The Reasons For Seasons* have kid friendly explanations of the position of the earth in relation to the sun as a cause for seasonal changes. Both books are by Gail Gibbons.

What Forest Knows by George Ella Lyon takes the reader through the many moving parts and beauty of seasonal change in a forest.

Source: meganzeni.com

Important Dates

Monday, October 4 - Friday, October 8
Fall Break, No School

Monday, October 18 - Wednesday, October 20
Milo & Moxie Fire Safety, Goodyear Fire Department

Friday, October 15
November, 2021 tuition due

Wednesday, October 27 & Thursday, October 28
Fall Festival

Weekly Themes

October 4-September 8
Fall Break, No School

October 11-15
Fall Harvest
Letter of the week: E, e

October 18-22
Fire Safety
Letter of the week: F, f

October 25-29
Pumpkins, Pumpkins, Pumpkins!
Letter of the week: G, g

Spirit / Show & Tell

October 6 and 7
Fall Break, No School

October 13 and 14
Wear your hair in a silly way.

October 20 and 21
Student's choice

October 27 and 28
Fall Festival Parade (costumes optional)

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