



CHILDREN'S
LIGHTHOUSE
EARLY LEARNING SCHOOL

25576 Two Creeks, San Antonio, TX 78255

October 2024

Directors' Corner...

Fall is in the air and we are looking forward to all of the wonderful activities in store over the next few months! Stay tuned for more details on Halloween parties and Thanksgiving fun. As the weather changes and we get to enjoy some cooler temperatures, please check your child's cubby to make sure that they are well stocked with seasonably appropriate clothing for unexpected outfit changes.

With the change in seasons also comes "cold and flu" season and we want to make sure we are working together to do all we can to minimize the spread of illnesses. We maintain a rigorous sanitation protocol and our ZONO machine is in constant use for disinfecting throughout the day as we rotate all of the items in each classroom. Of course we know that regular handwashing is the single most important tool in staying healthy and we are diligent about doing that all day long. Please remember to take the time to wash your child's hands when you arrive in the classroom. Illnesses do occur in a group care setting and we ask for your help when your children are ill. Our Wellness Policy requires that all children with a fever of 100 or above must stay home until they have been fever free for 24 hours without the use of medication. We know that it can be very challenging to balance the demands of ill children with other obligations, but the spread of sickness is slowed substantially when children are not exposed to contagious illnesses. We are so thankful for your help and are hoping that all of our cooperative efforts lead to a mild winter season.

ATTENTION OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS: If your child has a well visit this month and receives vaccines, please bring in an updated copy of those shots. Thank you!

As is always the case, we have an open door policy for any questions or concerns. We will always make ourselves available to discuss the challenges and successes of your children's growth in our program. Happy Fall, y'all!

-Kat & Marisa

Upcoming Dates

October 14th–
CLOSED for Staff
Development

November 5th–
CLOSED for Election Day

November 28th & 29th–
CLOSED for Thanksgiving

December 7th–
Winter Wonderland

December 24th–
Early Closure at 12pm

December 25th–
CLOSED for Christmas

January 1st–
CLOSED for New
Years Day

January 20th–
CLOSED for MLK Jr. Day

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Infants (Rooms 1, 2)

Theme: My Home

Color: Orange

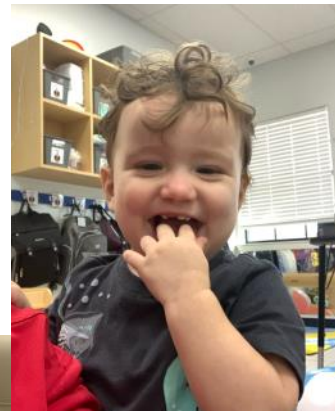
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Spanish: Orange, Square

Sign: House



Square
cuadrado



ROOMS 1 & 2

October is already here! We are so excited about all the learning activities we have planned for the month ahead! We'll be painting with our color of the month (orange) and learning about our theme (My Home). Using pictures and vocabulary cards, we'll see different things from our home, listen to common sounds, and will read some great books too!

-Ms. Brianna & Ms. Eva (Room 1)
-Ms. Jessie (Room 2)

Infants (Room 3)

Theme: My Home

Color: Orange

Shape: Square

Spanish: Square, Orange, House, Door, Window

Sign: House



ROOM 3

The last couple of months have been a blast, but we are ready for October! Our theme this month will be "My Home" and we will be learning about the home life. We'll practice taking care of pets, grocery shopping, and more! Our color of the month is orange and our shape this month is a square.

-Ms. Lynda



Toddlers (Room 4)

Theme: My Home

Color: Orange

Shape: Square

Spanish: Square, Orange, House, Door, Window, Pumpkin

ROOM 4

Happy October! This month our theme is "My Home" and our color of the month is orange. Our monthly shape is a circle. Keep an eye out for our fun art activities such as making pumpkins & houses, taking care of babies & pets, cooking for our families, and so much more!

-Ms. Lisa, Ms. Shelly, & Ms. Tayler



THEMES: Community Helpers
and Nocturnal
Animals

ROOM 6

October is here! This month we have our new letters, which are Rb, Bb, Ss, and Oo. We will be discussing careers and pretending to be various community helpers for the day.

We will be using recycling materials to make a robot, matching band-aids with body parts, discovering bones, and discussing big vs. little. We will be reviewing nocturnal animals, make shapes with sticks, and name nocturnal animals and where they live.

-Ms. Ana



ROOM 5

Welcome to October! We are excited about Fall and all of the beautiful art we will make for Fall and Halloween. We are working on using our manners and saying "please" and "thank you". In October we will be learning new letters (Rr, Bb, Ss & Oo), talking about community helpers and nocturnal animals.

-Ms. Angie. Ms. Alivia, Ms. Kayla



ROOM 7

This month we will learn about community helpers and what they do. Also, we will talk about various careers, such as dentists, doctors, teachers, and discuss how they help us. We will study different nocturnal animals as a way to learn our numbers, opposites, letters, and more. Our letters of the month are Rr, Bb, Ss, and Oo.

-Ms. Stephanie & Ms. Aracely

ROOM 8

It is hard to believe that October is already here! Our themes for the month are Community Helpers and Nocturnal Animals. We will be introducing the letters: Rr, Ss, Oo and Bb. Our character value for this month is "Helpfulness" to ensure your child learns to do what is best and to do what is asked of them. We will also be learning the Spanish words for "fireman", "dentist", "night", and "spider."

-Ms. Kolleen & Ms. Cailee



ROOM 9

Fall is here! This month we will be adding the following sight words to our list: and, can & get. If you could, continue to help your child recognize these words as they will help them on their way to reading! If you notice our hands getting stronger it is because we will be writing our names and the letters Bb, Rr, Ss and Oo.

-Ms. Eileen & Ms. Valerie

ROOM 10

All of our school agers have officially been back in school in BISD and NISD for over a month and we are getting settled into our new after-school routine! If you have any items or homework that you would like your child to work on while they are here in the afternoons, feel free to let us know! Please remember to let the front office know if your child will not need to be picked up on the bus in the afternoons.

-Ms. Brittany & Ms. Cassie





Congratulations...

Please join us in offering a huge kudos to Ms. Alivia and Ms. Kayla! These two ladies have been holding down the Room 5 Fort this school year! Without batting an eye, they covered the class during a maternity leave and have been happy to take on extra children throughout the day to help their fellow teammates ease into the new year. Their positivity and flexibility are so appreciated by ALL! Thank you, Alivia and Kayla! We are so happy you're part of what makes Two Creeks, Two Creeks!

