



Viera Children's  
Academy

# Preschool Newsletter

## October 2025

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### Monthly Theme:

**Week 1:** Fall Leaves/ Fall Colors

**Week 2:** Farm Animals

**Week 3:** Pets on a Farm/Pets at Home

**Week 4:** Fall Harvest/ Pumpkins

**Concept:** Opposites, Fire Safety, and Fall

**Letters:** V, W, N

**Color:** Orange/ Anaranjado

**Shape:** Circle **Numbers:** 5 & 6

### Fall Fun

Dear Parents,

We thought this month we would explain the significance of 'Circle Time' and how the children learn in all areas of development.

**Social/Emotional:** The children learn that they are valued, capable and important members of a large group. They get to know one another, each other's families, feelings, and ideas. We also have group problem solving - identify problems and find solutions as a group.

**Physical:** Dancing, stretching, active games and directional movement activities are all gross motor activities which provide opportunities to learn about space and body movement. Fine motor skills are incorporated through shared writing, puzzles, and games.

**Cognitive:** High Scope curriculum entails Plan, Do and Review the Theme, concepts, and activities for the day. Circle Time is where we plan and review those activities. It is also where we do Show 'n Tell, number, letter and word recognition as a group.

**Language:** Reading stories, rhymes and poetry help children develop a wonderful love of books, learn new words, explore the sounds and rhythms of language, and develop prediction and comprehension skills. In addition to learning to listen, circle time discussions provide an opportunity to learn the give and take of conversation.

The most important thing about circle time is that the children feel safe to express themselves, explore, provoke imagination, learn and grow in a caring environment while having loads of fun.



On October 31<sup>st</sup>, all classes will be having a Fall Fun Day in their classroom. This is a time where the children and teachers will be able to celebrate all things fall. On this day, children may wear fall colors to the celebration. Please see your child's teacher to sign up for any supplies for the festivities. Happy Fall!

## FINE MOTOR ACTIVITIES FOR HOME

- ❖ Transfer Water to Ice Trays
- ❖ Insert Pipe Cleaners into Holes of a Box
- ❖ Cut Straws to Make a Necklace
- ❖ Color on Sandpaper
- ❖ Clip Clothespins to Cardboard
- ❖ Press Items to Sticky Paper
- ❖ Transfer Blocks to a Muffin Pan
- ❖ String Buttons on Pipe Cleaners
- ❖ Peel Masking Tape from a Table
- ❖ Wrap toys in Paper

### Upcoming Events

October 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>rd</sup> ~  
Picture Day

October 25<sup>th</sup> ~Trunk or  
Treat

October 31<sup>st</sup> ~ Fall Fun Day

### Teacher Communication

If there is ever anything you would like to discuss with your child's teacher, please feel free to contact them at your convenience through the Procure app.

## Monthly Books

We love reading books in the classroom and we read every day. Here is list of books the toddlers will be reading this month in class.

- Where's the Pair by Britta Teckentrup
- A Farmer's Life for Me by Jan Dobbins
- Old MacDonald had a Farm by Mangy Foot
- By the Night of the Harvest Moon by Harriet Ziefert
- Too Many Pumpkins by Linda White
- and they love to show you off to their classroom friends.