

Zebra's November Newsletter

Dear Families,

The world is filled with amazing colors and shapes of all sizes. Over the next several weeks, children will be noticing and labeling the colors, shapes, and sizes of things around them. They will learn to sort and categorize objects by these attributes. Don't be surprised when your child points to an object and describes it by its color, shape, and size: That button is a small, red circle!

Math

Children will begin sorting (classifying) objects by a single attribute. In Week 1, they will sort by color. In Week 2, they will sort by shape. In Week 3, they will sort by size. In the final week of this unit, children will sort by multiple attributes ("Find all the triangles that are red.") and discover various ways to sort a collection of objects.

Literacy

Week 1: Color

Word of the Week: Primary Colors

Read-Aloud Time:

Finding Colors with Fernando

Kate the Chameleon

Week 2: Shape

Word of the Week: Star

Read-Aloud Time:

Finding Shapes with Fernando

Coletta's Cookies

Week 3: Size

Word of the Week: Gigantic

Read-Aloud Time:

The Three Bears' Vacation

The Enormous Turnip

It's Not Easy Being a Troll

Week 4: Multiple Attributes

Word of the Week: Classification

Read-Aloud Time:

Jasper's New Bed

Helping Grandma and Grandpa

Important Dates

Nov 5- SCRIP Gift Card Sales Begin

Nov 6- Storybook Festival 9am-12pm

Nov 13- World Kindness Day

Nov 15- Joy the Comfort Dog Visit

Nov 20- Parent Chapel @ 11am

Nov 24- Give Thanks Sunday

Nov 25~27- No Preschool (Full-time Only)

Nov 28~29- DOCA Closed (Thanksgiving)

Focus
Shape:
Square

Color:
Orange

Number:
4

Letters:
D,E,F

Memory Verse: "Trust in the Lord with all your heart."

Proverbs 3:5, NIV

Key Question: Who's got it?

Bottom Line: God's got it.

Basic Truth: God loves me.