



Ansonia Early Childhood

November 2021

October Highlights

October was a very busy, but exciting month for the students and teachers. The Ansonia Fire Department visited the preschool with their equipment and fire trucks. We learned that the fire fighters are there to protect us if there is a fire. We appreciate the time that they spent with our classes. We encourage you to have a meeting place set up at your house in case of a fire.

Home Visits

The preschool teachers would like to thank all of the parents and students for their hospitality during home visits. We have enjoyed getting to know the students and their families. Home visits help the teachers connect with their students. We hope you enjoy reading your home visit book.

Color and Letter Weeks

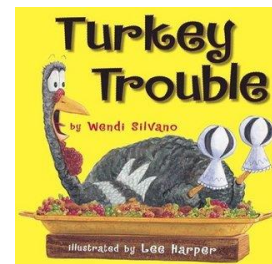
Thank you for dressing your child in the color of the week. Also, thank you for sending in items for our letter of the week.

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Thanksgiving Feast

On November 17 and 18 we will be reading the story Turkey Trouble. In the story, a turkey dresses up to avoid being eaten for Thanksgiving dinner. One idea the turkey has is to dress up as a pizza delivery person. Therefore, we will be having pizza delivered for lunch this day. **This will be our lunch meal.** Your child will not need to pack a lunch. We are asking that your child bring in **\$2.50**. This will help purchase our pizza, sides, and drinks. Please see your child's teacher if you have any questions. Please pay the \$2.50 by November 11 so we can purchase our supplies.



Nursery Rhyme

Jack and Jill

**Went up the hill to fetch a pail of water.
Jack fell down, and broke his crown,
And Jill came tumbling after.**

Preschooler and Parent Night

Please join us for Preschooler and Parent Night on Thursday, November 4th at 6:30-7:15 PM. Teachers will be reviewing some techniques that they use in the classroom to help students self-regulate.

These are techniques that you will be able to use at home to help your child! Please plan to bring your preschooler with you as we will include them in some activities as well! Watch for a flyer coming home with your student!

Please reserve a spot! Hope to see you!

Christmas Little Golden Book Gift Exchange

In December, the children will be exchanging **Little Golden Books** for their Christmas Party. The Christmas Party will not be held until the middle of December, but you may want to start looking for a book now. Each child is asked to bring in one **new Little Golden Book** or a comparable paperback book to exchange with his or her classmates. The Christmas gift exchange is December 20 and 21.

Parent Teacher Conferences

Parent- teachers' conferences have been scheduled for **November 17 and November 18 from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m.** We will be sending home a sign-up sheet in your child's notebook. Each conference will last about 15 minutes. Your conference will be scheduled as close to your desired time as possible. If you need a time that is not available, please see your child's teacher.

Handwriting Curriculum

The teachers have been working with your child to print his/her own name. We are currently following the writing curriculum called Handwriting Without Tears. The curriculum encourages children to print in all capital letters first, and then convert to lower case letters. Younger children may not be printing letters yet, but still using the roll—a dough to make the letters. Younger students also do coloring and writing activities to strengthen the finger muscles to be able to write.

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| 7 Letter Ff Color: Pink | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 14 Letter Gg Color: Brown | 15 | 16 | 17 Parent/Teacher Conferences M/W Thanksgiving Feast | 18 Parent/Teacher Conferences T/TH Thanksgiving Feast | 19 | 20 |
| 21 | 22 | 23 No School Thanksgiving Break | 24 No School Thanksgiving Break | 25 No School Thanksgiving Break | 26 No School Thanksgiving Break | 27 |
| 28 Letter Hh Color: Blue | 29 | 30 | | | | |