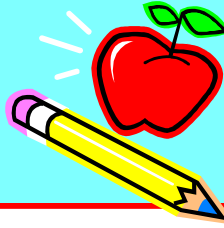


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EDELWEISS PREPARATORY SCHOOL

TRIP TO CORN MAZE



On Wed Oct 5th we will be taking all the 3 Day Jr K AM & PM and 5 Day AM & PM Kindergarten classes together on a trip to the Corn Maze Fun Farm for a morning of fall fun! There are no regular classes on this day.

SNACK TIME AT SCHOOL

Snack containers are to have one snack and one drink in them covering two food groups at outline by Alberta Children's Services. So if you send juice, then the snack needs to be from another food group. Please remember if you are sending grapes or cherry tomatoes that they are to be cut in quarters. Also, watch for bars that state : **"MAY CONTAIN: NUTS"** as those are not allowed at school. **The snack containers need to have your child's name clearly marked on all containers that are placed in the bag.** When the children empty their bag it's easy to get it mixed up with the child beside them if it is not labeled. The snack bags go into the bins marked for your child's class and the navy drawstring tote bags are for shoes, spare clothes or taking home mail/crafts in. Navy bags go in the cubbies and get taken home daily.

The Tublar is for their art and notices to keep from getting wet or crumpled. Parents provide their own drink containers and label it with a Mabel's Label.

HALLOWEEN PARADES

On the date /time marked on your child's calendar, your child can wear their costume to school instead of their uniform. The class will start with a short parade & parents can come and attend and take pictures. Parade times will be sent in a separate notice. If your child's costume has many pieces or would be difficult for them to wear (too warm, etc) in the class, you can take it home with you after the parade. Children can wear their costumes in the class if they want.

Our Jr K pumpkin hunts near the end of Oct consists of the children going into our field (weather permitting) to find a mini pumpkin that we have placed there. They then bring it in to decorate it! If you see pumpkins in the field, please leave them there for the Edelweiss children to find.

REMINDERS TO PARENTS

Our observation glass area is for silent observation only. Please remember this.

Please make sure your child has gone to the washroom prior to class. Many times students arrive into class and need to go to the washroom right away which is disruptive to the start of class for that child and the other children as well. If you do not bring your child to school, please pass on this information to whoever is bringing your child to school.

There is to be no parking in front of or beside the recycling bin or the brown garbage bin.

The laneway speed is 15 km/hr and it is monitored.

OCT Dates To Note

Oct 5	3 & 5 day Field Trip to the Corn Maze - no regular classes
Oct 7	Non-Instructional Day - no classes - teachers in
Oct 10/11	Closed for Thanksgiving Holiday
Oct 12	Mr Rayz Music: Artist in Residence - 3 & 5 Day Students
Oct 13	Pre & 2 Day JK Photo Day for students - class & individual
Oct 14	3 & 5 Day Photo Day for students- class & individual
Oct 18	Preschool Parent Conferences
Oct 26	3 & 5 Day Christopher Cool Halloween Safety Magic Show AM & PM- wear orange & black - no uniforms
Oct 27	Pre & 2 Day JK Halloween Parades
Oct 28	Photo retakes 9 - 10 take your child there
Oct 31	3 & 5 Day Halloween Parades

Important Upcoming Dates

NOV 2016	REGISTARTION FOR 2017/2018 - info to follow
NOV 1	NO CLASSES - STAFF ONLY
NOV 11	SCHOOL CLOSED
NOV 25	3 DAY JK & 5 DAY K Parent conferences
NOV 29	2 DayJK Parent Conferences

Parent Corner

Parent Resource Library: On top of student mailboxes there is a wonderful selection of books on a wide variety of topics for parents to loan out. Just fill in a slip and bring it to the office. When you are finished the book please bring the book back to the office so we can record it being returned.

FOOD BANK

Please remember the Food Bank collection at school.

THANK-YOU FOR ALL YOUR SUPPORT OF THIS INITIATIVE THIS SCHOOL YEAR!



HAPPY THANKSGIVING !

We wish all the Edelweiss families a Happy Thanksgiving and a fun Halloween!

Walter & Margaret Reid

Blessed are those who can give without remembering and receive without forgetting. ~ Author Unknown



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