Preschool Press-October 5th

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Weekly Activities Theme: Science: Farm

This week we started our theme on farm! We changed our Pretend Play center into the farmer's market! We have been reading: "Old McDonald," "Noises on the Farm," and "Duck on a Bike." Our small groups were learning about fish (see announcements) and starting our writing journals! As well as playing with farm manipulatives! We have been answering the question "Did you see leaves today?" Our poem is Old McDonald. We have been singing "Old McDonald," "BINGO," and "Color Farm." We have also been dancing to "Blow the Wind," and "Leaves are falling." Our vocabulary words are: farm animals. In our second steps we have been learning about asking for what you need and want! Next Week's Theme: Science: Farm Continues!

Announcements

- No School Monday October 8th! In observance of Columbus Day.
- <u>Classroom Pet!</u> We have been so excited this week! Due to a Petco grant we are going to have a pet betta fish in our classroom! We got the tank and everything set-up this week and the fish will arrive next week! I also applied for and was approved under u-46's Animals in the classroom guidelines. Please let me know if you have any questions!
- <u>October Family Project</u>: The note for the project went home on Monday. It is on orange paper! The assignment is to make a farm animal with your child to put on our bulletin board! These are due October 12th! I'm excited to see them!
- **<u>Twist-a-Thon!</u>** The dance party for this event was today!
- <u>Seesaw!!!!</u> Connect to your child's portfolio on Seesaw! AM Link: <u>https://app.seesaw.me/s/536-474-495</u> PM Link: <u>https://app.seesaw.me/s/448-647-649</u>
- <u>Library Cart:</u> Return Library books on Thursdays so that your child can check out a new book!
- <u>October Reading Logs</u>: Don't forget to read and have your child color their reading log every night! There is an extra special Halloween prize this month!





PM: Liam, Giuliana and Annabelle Playing in our Farmer's Market!

<u>Wish List</u>



Fall natural materials for our science center such as colored leaves, pinecones, acorns, small gourds or small pumpkins. Things you might find out walking!

Important Dates

10/8-No School Columbus Day! 10/24-Bartlett Library Visit 10/25 and 10/26-Parent teacher conferences

