# October 1st-31st 2020

### Miss Maria's LC-2 Classroom Newsletter

### This Month's Units

Unit 1 - 10/01-10/09 Welcome Fall, Intro letters/#s. Columbus Day Fire Prevention Unit.

Unit 2 - 10/12-10/16 Cont. Fall. Pumpkin Life Cycle/Pumpkin Fun.

Unit 3 - 10/19-10/23 Intro Punctuations marks. Intro Math Symbols

Unit 4 - 10/26-10/30 Halloween, Review Time.

## Special Happenings

Class Pictures: Notice will be sent home with dates.



**Read Aloud:** Stories related to Unit themes. Continuing with Anne Rockwell as author of the month.

**Vocabulary/Sight Words:** Fall, Autumn, tree, leaf, rake, squirrel, Numbers one-four words, color words, shape words. Halloween, candy, trick or treat. Words that begin with the letter A.B.C.D. Intro Punctuation marks.

Letter of the week: Introduce the letter A, B, C, D.

**Math:** Introduce numbers 1,2,3,4. Intro Math Symbols. Daily Calendar: Count the days of the week (7), and each number of the day. Daily Calendar sequencing. Into AB, ABB, ABC, Patterning. Daily Weather Calendar, count the sunny, cloudy, rainy days. Fall sequencing and pattern game. Shape patterning mat game. Number hunt. Intro Math symbols...Let's add & subtract.

**Color:** Rev all colors. **Shape:** Rev all shapes.

**Science:** Nature walk for signs of Fall. Plant Magic Pumpkin Seeds. Pumpkin Life Cycle. Explore Fall Classroom Nature Area **Author of the Month:** Continuing with Anne Rockwell.

#### **Parent Info:**

We will be discussing the changes that the new season brings. We will also be discussing Fire Prevention. We are now beginning to concentrate on academics: alphabet, numbers, reviewing shape/colors. Again if any of you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact me anytime. Be sure to check out our web site for our class pictures. A friendly reminder now that the weather is changing, please dress your child accordingly. Light Jackets/Sweatshirts/Sweaters etc.. And PLEASE label, label, label.:)

### **Activities related to Literature or Theme**

Easel Paint shapes we know
Letters A, B, C, D Activity Sheets
Numbers 1, 2, 3, 4 Activity Sheets
October Board Decorations: Scare
Crows/Pumpkins/Acorns/Sunflowers.

Room Decorations: Orange Pumpkin Collage, Math Board Activity Sheets, Writing Board Activities, Halloween Goodie Bags. Fire Prevention: Call 911, Safety Activity Sheets, Columbus Day Project. Weekly Homework Packet Activity Sheets.