



# Pre-K Press

**Weeks 9 and 10: October 12- 30, 2020 (PLEASE REMEMBER, WE ARE CLOSED ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 12)  
Theme: Safety/Fire/Police/Halloween**

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**Language Arts:**

The children will be introduced to the letters Ii, Jj, Kk, and Ll. We will be playing our phonics game with our new letters. Our fable, The Fox and the Stork, will teach another great moral. Please ask your child to tell you this story! Our emphasis these weeks will be on safety and Halloween. Our safety finger play goes as follows: Stop, look, and listen before you cross the street. First use your eyes and ears

Then use your feet

**Concept:**

The shapes triangle, rectangle, oval, and rhombus will be added to our shelf jobs, as well as new sorting activities. These sorting activities will help us learn the concepts same/different, and color/

size. We will also continue our daily estimating, as the children guess how many corn kernels are in the jar. Lastly, we will be introducing odd and even numbers.

**Motor:**

Follow the Directions, Color Ladder, Spatial Relations, and Halloween games will be played.

**Craft and Writing:**

Ii, Jj, Kk, and Ll papers will help the children learn our two new letters. We will also be cutting out triangles and rectangles. Look for several fun safety and Halloween projects to be coming home!

**Students of the Weeks:**

- 10/12- Isla and Max
- 10/19- Maggie and Christopher
- 10/26- Ivan and Zayden

**Happy Birthday!**

- Henry 10/20
- Demi 10/25
- Ivan 10/31

Although we will still be celebrating birthdays and holidays at our school, we are not allowing treats to be sent and passed out at this time. We will provide the children with a special snack and plenty of extra fun activities on these days. Thanks for understanding.

On our Halloween Party Days- Thursday and Friday, October 29 and 30, please send your child to school wearing their costume. Please avoid any hand held, or additional pieces to their costume. If your child stays for lunch, please send a full change of clothes for the afternoon.

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**Introductions**

**Letters** Ii, Jj, Kk, and Ll

**Numbers** 11 and 12

**Shapes**

Triangle, rectangle, oval, and rhombus

**Story 3** Missy Manners

**Action Words** Stop and Go

**Expressive Vocabulary**

- Quota: amount of something
- Rectify: to make it right
- Siesta- Spanish word for nap
- Tedious- boring
- Unanimous- we all agree
- Vague- not clear
- Manners** Say I'm sorry and Do not cut in line

**Fable** The Fox and The Stork  
Something which is funny to someone else, may not be so funny if it happens to us.

**Notes to Parents:**

- Please remember, we will be closed on Monday, October 12 for an all staff inservice training day.
- Tuesday and Wednesday, 10/13 and 10/14...Tornado Drills.
- Thursday, 10/14...The Great ShakeOut Earthquake Drill.
- Thursday and Friday, 10/29 and 10/30. Please see additional notes above. If your child doesn't attend either party day, they may come on one of the days from 9AM-12PM.
- Please return your signed emergency information sheets, COVID forms, tuition policies, and any other remaining forms needed to complete your child's file.
- For parents over the age of 2 years old, please refer to our new updated mask policy from Thursday, August 20.
- Please send in a picture of your child for the classroom, if you haven't already done so.
- Thank you for all of your support, understanding, and acceptance of the new policies put in to place this school year. It's been a wonderful start!
- Have you enrolled for Tuition Express online payments? Many have found this convenient, but we still of course, accept check and cash.

**Have a safe and fun Halloween!**

Ms. Becca  
Ms. Elizabeth