

TODDLER TOWN

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"Where Your Child Always Comes First"



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SHARKS: 5 YEAR OLDS:

Dear parents, we have enjoyed summer at our best; went to the nearest park, took nature walks, enjoyed learning about Labor Day, ourselves, each other's interests, family and five senses.

Fall is here; the month of October will be filled with lots of fall activities; coloring, collecting & painting the fall leaves. We will discuss Christopher Columbus for Columbus Day. Learning about pumpkins, bats and spiders will be spooky and fun. We will dress-up for our Dress-up party on Monday, October 31st. We will learn letters, numbers and shapes. Learning to recognize and writing own name is important in pre-K, so please help your child practice writing their own name.

The weather is changing and we go outside twice a day to improve our gross motor skills, so please have your child bring a light jacket to school. Thank you so much!

Happy October ☺



ANNOUNCEMENTS

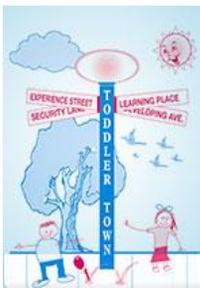
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CLOSING DATES:

- To know if we are closed due to the weather, please refer to this website: <http://toddlertownchicago.com/register-for-weather-emergency-updates/>
- NO SCHOOL:** Closed Monday, October 10, 2016 in honor of Columbus Day.

REMINDERS:

- Notify the daycare if your child is ill with a contagious illness immediately so that we can do our part at the daycare.
- Update your contact information with a staff member, if needed.**
- Wash your child's hands upon arrival.
- If your child will no longer be attending TTDC, as mentioned in the enrollment application that you signed, you must give the director a 2 week advance notice to avoid a \$300 fee.
- View your account online under 'Parent Portal' available on our webpage.
- You can now add a person on your pick-up list: https://toddlertowndaycare.formstack.com/forms/toddler_town_pick_up_form

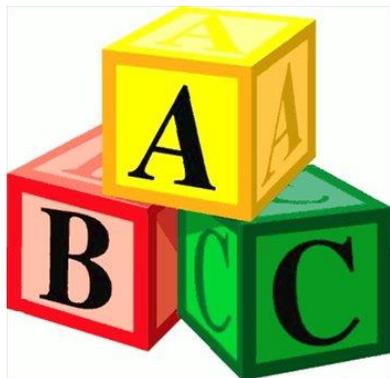


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BUTTERFLIES: 4 YEAR OLDS:



Hello, who is ready for Fall leaves??? The Butterfly room is. We are excited to start our fall season this year. A lot of changes will be happening around us which would make it just perfect to begin our next study, TREES. Children are already observing a few changes in our nature such as the leaves slowly changing colors. During this tree study, the children will learn everything about trees. It is very important to complete our All About Me study before starting the rest of our studies of the year. Once we are all able to recognize and cope with ourselves (social emotional), we will continue to have a blast learning about trees!!!!



We also want to mention that the weather will be changing soon, it will become a lot cooler so please dress your children appropriately for the weather. Remember to make sure your child has at least two change of clothes in their cubbie. Also, blankets will be sent home every week to wash and blankets should be brought back to school on Monday.

CHIPMUNKS: 3 YEAR OLDS

Howdy All! In the Month of September, we covered quite a bit of ground, learning about Time; what it is, and what it means, Marsupials, and the land of down under (Australia), World's fastest birds, and the season of Fall..in which we made a nice 3D fall tree...that fell down so many times, we now just have timber.

In the Month of October, we will explore Manners, Sleeping, Cats, & Shapes. As always there will be a letter and number of the week, and this may vary at times with a shape or color of the week.

Parents are always welcome to come visit, hang out, and participate. See you at school!



BUMBLEBEES: 2 YEAR OLDS

HOW EXCITING! OCTOBER AND FALL ARE HERE!! TIME FOR CHANGE, RAKING, PUMPKINS, APPLES, CORN MAZES, SWEATERS, HARVEST AND SO MUCH MORE! Lately I have been working with a whole new group. We have been doing our themes, but the main discussions in my classroom have been about getting along, using their words, using walking feet, recognizing colors, recognizing shapes, cleaning up, washing hands and anything that has to do with following classroom routine and getting along. Another big thing in my classroom is encouraging these little ones to eat more and not being afraid to try, since I noticed that they enjoy my help, I have been helping them a lot more for about two weeks and they enjoy it so much! For the month of October, I will continue with the same things, but with different themes. Themes for the month of October are: FALL, LEAVES, TREES AND HARVEST. Please be aware that you will receive a monthly list of family projects every month, as well as important dates. For October's list, you will see the rules for our COSTUME PARTY. Let the fun begin!

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PAINT, WAVE, CLAP,
SNAP, POINT, GRAB,
HUG, FEEL AND PAT
WITH MY HAND!

