

Highlights of the Week

What a spooktacular week for our toddlers!

The Halloween parade was a big success, the children loved to see all the beautifully decorated trunks and they enjoyed filling up their bags with candies! The fun continued in the classroom where the toddlers played with the decorations and with a lot of balloons!

For the rest of the week we slowed down a little to give the children the time to relax after all that excitement and to prepare their mind for the new themes that will be introduced in the following weeks.

More works have been introduced:

Sensorial area: the new work of the week is the peg board. It helps the children to develop eye/hand coordination.

Practical life: the children have been learning how to fold napkins and how to scoop pasta from one bowl to another.

Math: during circle time we have counted from number 1 to number 31! And...surprise! As the new month has begun, we have started from number 1 again. It is always a big excitement for the children when a new month begins and all the numbers on the calendar disappear.

Language: the letter P has been introduced.

Art: the children have painted with pumpkin spice scented paint and some glitter!

Science: while outside all the leaves are falling down and all the flowers are gone, our classroom plant has bloomed. We have observed the changes day by day.

Dr. Maria Montessori Words:

“Travel stories teach geography; insect stories lead the child to natural science; and so on. The teacher, in short, can use reading to introduce her pupils to the most varied subjects; and the moment they have been thus started they can go on to any limit guided by the single passion for reading.” M. Montessori

Reminder:

- First Marking Period ends November 10th
- Parent/Teacher Conferences ***(No School, child care provided for FD/EXD students only) November 17th**
- Thanking giving break November 23-24th **(No School)**

Home/School Connection

The air is getting cooler but we are still going outside to play. Have your child wear warm jackets, hat, mittens and please, label all your child's winter gear to avoid misplacements.

Thanks!

