Green Class October News

October 28th—November 1st

Reminders/Events

October 31st Fall Party

November 28th & 29th Montessori Closed (Week pro-rated)

Montessori Work Cycle begins at 8:15 each morning. Please have your child dropped off by 8:00 so it doesn't interrupt the other students who are engaged in learning.

Remember to check your child's cubby and read their daily note each day. When your kiddo is in need of diapers, clothes, wipes, ect. I will write it on their daily notes home.

Thank you!

What We Are Learning

This weeks unit focus will be on Halloween. We will have so much fun reading spooky stories, making crafts and eating lots of yummy treats.

Color of the week: Black

Sound of the week: Oo

Shape of the week: Octagon



Happy Fall!

We will be having our fall party on Thursday October 31st from 9:00-11:00 am. The kiddos will have a blast with themed snacks, crafts, tattoos and the bounce house!

Dress your kiddos in their Pjs and easy slip-on shoes. Please leave costumes at home since we will be outside playing, and we don't want their costumes to get

ruined.

"Never help a child with a task at which he feels he can succeed" - Maria Montessori

Most of you know that a huge part of the Montessori Philosophy is allowing a child to work independently in the tasks that are presented to them. When we allow them to work independently it gives them the freedom to accomplish a task on their own, growing not only in knowledge of basic skills but also confidence in themselves.

Here are just a few tasks that we are allowing your child to accomplish independently;

Putting on their socks and shoes

Putting on their jackets

Folding their blankets "making their beds"

Cleaning up meal messes

Prepping for meals

Anytime a child accomplishes a task on their own I see an immediate excitement and pride in themselves "I did it!" they shout, and they seek to find other things they can do for themselves.

The classroom isn't the only place where they can build on independence, but you can give them the opportunity at home as well. So I encourage you to allow your child the freedom to work on some of the above tasks independently.

I always tell the kiddos that they CAN and they are capable of SO much!







