

Dear Parents,

For November, we will begin our unit of study, "Thanksgiving", by first learning about foods we eat, and where we get food. We also will discuss how the Native Americans and Pilgrims lived during life in Early America, and how our lives are different today.

At the end of the month, we will discuss a "Special Time to be Thankful". We hope each child will begin to understand that sharing is a good way to show thankfulness. To reinforce this idea, we will be planning a mini-Thanksgiving Feast here at school. Our menu will consist of fruit kabobs, cornbread muffins, pumpkin pie, and homemade butter. The school will provide bite-sized turkey pieces for our special snack. Because of this large snack, the morning class may not be hungry for lunch. Our Feast Day will be held on November 20

November 6 is Yellow Day. We would like each child to bring something yellow to Show & Tell on this date. We also would like each child to wear something yellow to help reinforce our color of the month. Amarillo (pronounced ah-mar-ee-yo) is our Spanish word for yellow, and the Spanish word for thank you is "gracias"(grah-see-as).

We are planning "Family Night" on November 13. It will last from 7:00-8:00P.M. All family members are welcome. Please plan to attend and allow your child to show you around his or her new, special place.

Thank you to all of you who have worked to put our Fall Parties together. We all had a wonderful time.

Later in the month, we will be sending home a "family turkey" made of cardboard to be decorated by your entire family . . Please return these special birds before the day of our family night so that we can display them.

Special Days to Remember:

Nov. 6- Yellow Day Show & Tell

Nov.13- Family Nite All Family Members Welcome 7:00-8:00 P.M.

Nov.13-Feast Day

Nov.22-Thanksgiving Day –No School

Have a Wonderful Thanksgiving.....Until Next MonthBonnie Geiger
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