



# Mount Calvary Preschool News



**Picture Day**  
Wednesday Oct. 1st is picture day for all of our kids. All children that do not have class on this Thursday will come in at 10:15 am and have their pictures taken. If your child as class on this Thursday they will have their pictures during class time. We will have all messy play put up for the day but if your child stays all day please send in a change of clothes for them. We will change them after pictures that way they can eat lunch and play outside without having to worry about getting their good clothes dirty.

## A Look at our Month

For the Month of October we will be studying the unit of Fall. We will be taking a look at what happens in the fall, apples, and Halloween.

In Math we will starting to work on number recognition 1-10, counting to 20, Patterning and sorting.

In Literacy we will be starting our Heggerty phonics program. This program works on rhyming, Fluency, Blending, Identifying beginning and ending sounds, Segmenting, and Adding and Deleting Phonemes. We will also work on our Nursery Rhymes with this program. We do this program every day.

We will practice writing our name every day and we will be working how to spell our names also.

We will not be having a Halloween party this year because of the restriction of Covid 19. I will be planning Halloween activities for the week of Halloween.

## Handwriting without Tears

This is the writing program that we use for helping your child learn the proper formation of letters. We will be working on writing in Upper case in morning class and lower case in afternoon class. Our letters this month are L, F, E, and H.

## Zoophonics

This is the program that we use for letter sounds and letter recognition. For the first half of the year we will be working on letter sounds. We will work on letter names after January. We work on all the letters, both Capital and lower case all year.

## Up Coming Events

**Oct 1st Picture day during class time. Any children that do not attend on Thursday's can come in at 10:15 am to have their picture.**

**Oct. 12<sup>th</sup> No Preschool class today. Child care will run as normal.**

**Oct. 14<sup>th</sup> . Early Release day. Class is done at 11:15 am. No afternoon class. Childcare will run as normal.**