



Write Start Learning Center 2021

Dear Parents,

Welcome to the new school year at Write Start Learning Center! Going back to school for your child means meeting new friends, new teachers, and many new learning experiences and opportunities. The teachers at Write Start Learning Center strive for these to be excellent experiences and will take time to nurture your children and allow them to develop at their own rate. Children learn best through play! All of our learning centers are equipped with concepts that your child will learn and build upon. Our top priority remains to ensure that all children are provided with enriched learning in a safe and happy environment. At any time, you may request a conference with your child's teacher to discuss their progress and review any observations or assessments that are documented.

At Write Start Learning Center, we use specific age-related curriculums and each week/biweekly introduces a new theme from our curriculum. You will see this in artwork being sent home, stories and finger plays being told, and much more. This Month our themes include "I am Special", Five Senses, Safety, Community Helpers-Police, Fall-Trees & Leaves and Shapes. The color of the Month is Red and The Nursery Rhyme of the Month is "Mary had a little lamb". This is also, posted weekly on the lesson plan located in your child's classroom.

We ask that you please refrain from having your child bring toys to school from home, unless instructed otherwise, by your child's teacher for a Show-N-Tell or special activity.

If your child has moved up to an older class, we ask that you please do not go back into that classroom to visit. This will help the spread of germs from classroom to classroom. The teachers still make themselves available to visit throughout the week and there is lots of playground conversations through the fences! Thank you for your help with this matter.



Write Start Learning Center is excited to once again offer the VPK program from 9:30am- 12:30pm. Your 3-hour VPK student will be served a free breakfast and lunch daily. We will provide tremendous opportunities for your children to build on self-help skills and develop early literacy skills. We ask that you please have your child here at

school by 9:30 if your child is enrolled in the VPK program. Please be aware if your child only attends the **3-hour program** and Pinellas County is closed then there will be no 3-hr VPK that day. It would be very helpful if you could please schedule any appointments for your child for after 12:30. Attendance is recorded and sent in monthly to the state so its very important that your child is getting the full benefit of this VPK program.

Please be sure to sign your child In/Out in their classroom binders with the time and your full signature daily. This is very important that this is being done daily by whomever drops or picks up. This includes full time and 3 hr. VPK students as well.

Hurricane season is upon us! As we know, each hurricane is different but please remember that Write Start Learning Center continues to follow Pinellas County schools should they close we will too.

A few friendly reminders:

Please remember CDC recommends all adults entering the building to wear a face covering



Please do not send your child to school if they are experiencing the following symptoms:

- Cold or flu-like symptoms
- Fever
- Persistent cough/sore throat
- Body aches/headaches
- Shortness of breath or other respiratory problems
- Diarrhea
- Vomiting
- New rash or skin condition



Here's a fun snack that you and your child can create together! To Make these cute owl faces take a slice of apple, use your favorite spread, add bananas and blueberries for eyes, and cereal to decorate body!



We would like to congratulate **Ms. Ranita** for being awarded "Staff Member of the Month." Thank you, for your continued hard work and dedication! We are so lucky to have you as a part of our Team!!

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

September 6th Labor Day Write Start Learning Center Closed September 12th Grandparents Day September 22nd First Day of Fall