Moab Montessori Center News November 2019



Building the Foundation for a Lifetime of Learning

Calendar Items:

- Primary Class "Show Me Night" – Wed. Nov 13th 4:30-5:30 drop in
- No School Nov. 25 29 for Thanksgiving Holiday
- No School Dec. 23 Jan 3 for Winter Break

Toddler Class

November is a good time to learn about clothing, since we are wearing so many items now that the weather is getting colder. We will be identifying different clothing items, what items are weather appropriate, and practicing how to get dressed independently. We will also be talking about Thanksgiving and what it means to be thankful.



"Children from birth to six years have a power that we no longer have, for they are at the age of creation"

~María Montessori

November Snack Menu

| | Morning Snack | After School Snack |
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| Monday | Yogurt, fresh fruit, rice | Cheese, crackers, |
| | Chex | hummus, fresh veggie |
| Tuesday | Tortilla chips, black | Mini bagels with |
| | bean salsa, string | cream cheese and fresh |
| | cheese | fruit |
| Wednesday | Peanut butter, | Turkey cheese rollups, |
| | pretzels, fresh fruit or | crackers, fresh fruit |
| | veggie | |
| Thursday | Cheese, crackers, | Chips, salsa, string |
| | hummus, fresh veggie | cheese, fresh fruit |
| Friday | Mini bagels with | Peanut butter, |
| | cream cheese and fresh | crackers, fresh fruit or |
| | fruit | veggie |

A Special Note... As the weather gets cooler, please help your child dress appropriately for time outside. Also, keep in mind that extra changes of clothes at school might need to be changed out for warmer items.

Primary Class

We are looking forward to lots of fun new lessons this month! In Science, we will continue our study of plants and animals. With plants, we will move our focus to roots as we learn what they are, where they are found, and how they help the plant. We will even be eating some roots! With animals, we will be studying fish and their parts and characteristics. Children will have the opportunity to diagram the parts of a fish and draw their own fish as well.

In Social Studies, we are excited to begin our continent studies, starting with North America. We'll learn about the plants and animals found on our home continent, as well as the flags that represent some of the major countries. We'll also learn about the people, food, schools, and buildings that are found in North America.

In Art, we will continue studying Pablo Picasso and his famous style called "cubism". We will have work available for the children to practice using this style. We will also continue with lessons in our Peace curriculum. We will learn and practice kind ways to solve problems that we might face with others as walk on the "road of peace and thoughtful action". We will also learn about gratitude, focusing on what it means and all that we have to be thankful for.