

Unity Christian Preschool & Child Care
Weekly Note Home
October 25, 2021



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Parents of Preschoolers,

Letter/Bible Verse: Ff – Faith is being sure of what you hope for. Heb. 11:1 (3yr olds)
Ff –“For with God nothing shall be impossible.” Luke 1:37 (Pre-K)

Pre- K Site Word: “I”

Mask: Parents please be sure your child comes with a mask each day. This is required unless your child has a medical condition and in that case we would need a note from your Dr. I know this isn't always easy and we are not thrilled with it either however in order for us to stay open we need to follow the guidelines.

UCPC Fundraiser: You can order online just go to the following link;
<https://radafundraising.com/?rfsn=6127579.516836>. When ordering on line you will need to pay shipping and taxes on that order. When you turn in your order with us we pay 1 shipping fee on all the orders combined. We truly appreciate your support! All orders and money will need to be turned by Friday Oct 29th. Parents be sure your child's name is on the order form.

Chapel: The Preschoolers will be singing at chapel this Wednesday. Parents are welcome to join us and will get the privilege of hearing their children sing. If your child does not attend on Wednesdays parents are still welcome to bring them to sing with us. If the weather permits we will be walking over to Unity Christian School if not we will be taking a bus. We will leave our building at 9:00 a.m. walking and 9:10 if we are riding the bus.

Scholastic Book Orders: We have received an email that our book order will be delayed due to issues with trucking and employee shortages. Currently it looks like they will not be in till the middle of November but we will keep you updated as more information is relayed to us.

Cold/Flu Season: The cold and flu season is upon us so parents if your child has a cold or has a fever or has vomited they cannot come back to school until they have been fever free without Tylenol for 24 hours. If your child has vomited they can't come back for 48 hours from the last time they vomited. If your child has a cold or cough please use your good judgement before sending them to school. We want to keep everyone safe and healthy! Thanks for your cooperation!

Looking Ahead:

- Oct 27 Preschoolers sing at Chapel
- Oct 28 & 29 Harvest parties
- Nov 1 Food Drive Begins

Highlights

Miss Missy: Ee week was excellent! We made fried eggs and bacon in a skillet (out of paper!), fun Elmo letter E, painted eggplants, awesome painted elephants and beautiful bubble wrap painted planet earth. Now on to letter Ff - flower, frog, fly, flippers, flag, fawn, fish, five... We have been working hard on learning our songs to sing at chapel. It is fun to share our voices with other students at the "big school". I have also introduced scissors to the class. We discussed how to hold them and that we only cut paper with them. We will start building arm muscles strength by tearing paper first, then snipping and finally cutting. Please try to reinforce good scissor skills at home (thumb in the little hole, always pointing to the ceiling, other fingers in the big hole and arm by our side to prevent turning hand upside down). It is a lot to remember but critical to good cutting skills. Thank you in advance for helping with our Harvest Parties this Thursday and Friday! There will be games, prizes, a craft and of course a snack. We so much appreciate your donations and help!! Thank you for being great families and have a wonderful week!

Miss VonHolten: Pre-K enjoyed "Ee" week. We covered a range of topics including eating out, healthy eating, eggs, the earth, ears, eyes, elephants, and emergencies. Our games included sorting pictures on our alphabet calendar, hunting eggs on the playground, learning how to walk and balance eggs on wooden spoons, an "around the earth" passing relay, and an "elephant trunk" (pool noodle) challenge. The kids colored elephants and their Bible story page (and are excited to get to use their supplies in their pencil boxes sometimes), placed eye stickers on their "Ee" sheets, made their own earth, practiced writing "2" and "Ee," and made "Thank You" pictures to give to someone of their choice in decorated envelopes. Our Bible story was about "The Visitors" that came to Abraham and told him and Sarah that they would have a son. Sarah laughed when she heard this news, because of her old age and they had been waiting a long time, but we learned that with God all things are possible. Sure enough, about a year later Isaac was born as God had promised. In devotions, we discussed how God comforts us (as a loving Father), Jesus has no favorites (He loves everyone the same), we please God by obeying our parents, we should work hard to do our best, and being little is big.

This week is packed with lots of fun activities! We will learn about family, friends, faith, freedom, farms, fall, and "F" animals (fox, fish, and frogs). On Wednesday, the kids will be singing during chapel at Unity. The preschoolers are ready and excited to share their songs with the grade school kids (some are older siblings and many are former UCPC students). Thursday and Friday are our Harvest Parties where we will celebrate God's bountiful blessings. Thank you very much to those of you who have signed up to bring goodies. Have a fantastic week!

