

# Unity Christian Preschool & Child Care

## Weekly Note Home

### October 3 - 7, 2022



#### li - ice cream

##### **Preschool**

Letter: li - I will praise the Lord. Psalm 16:7

##### **Pre-K**

Letter: li - "In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth." Genesis 1:1

Site Word: blue

**Fundraiser:** UCPC has one fundraiser a year to help with the cost of new toys and learning centers for the preschool. This year we will be selling Rada Cutlery. We have sold Rada before and it is a high quality product. We will be selling from October 3 through October 21, 2022. You will receive a catalog in your child's backpack, please do not go door to door, but ask friends and family to support the fundraiser. Thank you all for your help.

**Field Trip:** We will have a field trip to the Fulton Fire Station on Friday, October 14. If your child does not normally attend on Friday they may come for the field trip at no extra charge. If your child comes only for preschool you will drop them off at the fire station at 8:30 that morning. I will bring the daycare kids to the fire station in the Unity Christian Van if they are at the center before 8:30, if they arrive after 8:30 please bring them to the fire station. The kids and teachers will ride the fire trucks back to the center when the field trip is over. We will need some parent volunteers, please let me know if you would like to help, the field trip will be from 8:30-10:00.

**Tuition Payment:** Preschool payments are due the first week of each month. Daycare payments are due weekly / bi-weekly. We accept cash or check, checks can be made out to UCPC.

**Extra Set of Clothes:** Please check your child's clothes box to make sure they have an extra set of clothes, with the weather changing you may need to change out summer clothes with fall clothes.

**Sick:** If your child is not feeling well please keep them home. They may not attend if they have a fever, diarrhea, or vomiting in the past 24 hours. They must be symptom free without medication for 24 hours before returning to school.

**Looking Ahead:**

- We will have Harvest Parties on October 18 & 19 for our preschool room and October 19 for our PreK room. (We do not celebrate Halloween, we will celebrate fall with Harvest Parties)
- We will have a Fall Break Oct. 24 - 28, we will not have preschool that week, daycare will be open.

**Website:** Our weekly note home and calendar are posted on Unity Christian School's website.

**Questions / Concerns:** If you ever have a question or concern please feel free to contact me or stop by the office. My office hours are typically 8:00-4:00 - Chris

## Teacher Highlights

**Miss Missy (Preschool Teacher) :** This week was terrific! We made the Chicka Chicka Boom Boom coconut tree, fashioned cool trees made of triangles, created fierce t-rexes, made a rainbow name train (a collaborative mural project) and made tacos (out of paper!). Now on to letter li - igloo, ice, ice cream, iguana. We have been discussing the seasons and how humans and animals prepare for changing weather. Preschool is a beginning step to independence and we encourage behaviors that will promote this process. We are working hard on listening skills, keeping hands out of mouths, proper use of kleenex, hand washing, being respectful/responsible and following directions. Thank you for helping reinforce these concepts at home! The kids have enjoyed being prayer leaders among other "jobs" at circle time. I also have added four challenge colors to our routine because they are so smart! Thanks for being awesome families and have a wonderful week! Also we got to experience an amazing process the last couple of weeks!!! Connor had brought in a monarch caterpillar in a jar so we could be captivated by his metamorphosis (your child learned this word - ask them about it)! Today the miracle happened, right before our eyes! We took a trip outside and watched him spread his wings and dry them in the sun. He was so beautiful and now he is free to fly and have a wonderful life. What a great day! Thanks again, Connor!

**Miss Vanessa (PreK Teacher) :** Marshmallow towers, writing names, matching tools, painting with trucks, making tracks, adding toppings to triangle pizzas, last week was so much fun! We can't forget our bible story last week was Noah's Ark. As a class we talked about what animals were on the ark, and the significance of rainbows. We even made rainbow necklaces to remind us of God's promise. The kids are doing great when it comes to memorizing our verse of the week. This week our letter of the week is "li". So we will be counting Ice cream scoops, and talking about different Insects. Maybe we'll sing the Itsy bitsy spider or end up stranded on an Island. Who knows the possibilities are endless with our Imagination.

