

## NEWSLETTER



## Schedule of Events

- Tuesday, November 5<sup>th</sup> Election Day/School Closed
- Monday, November 11<sup>th</sup>
  Veteran's Day/School Closed
- Thursday, November 14<sup>th</sup>
  Parent Teacher Conferences. Early
  Dismissal at 11:40 AM.
- Wednesday, November 27<sup>th</sup> P.S. 84 Thanksgiving Celebration
- ™ Thursday & Friday Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> 29<sup>th</sup> School Closed Happy Thanksgiving



## Friendly Reminders

Morning drop-off is at 8:20 AM (please exit the building by 8:25AM) and afternoon pick-up is at 2:20 PM. Please be on time.

Please send a signed and dated absence note when your child is absent.

Bring in labeled clothing the next day when soiled clothing is sent home. Please make sure your child has weather appropriate change of clothes in their cubby.

Wow, November is here! It has been two delightful months of working together and building a sense of community within our classroom and school. Students have been learning about togetherness and teamwork through socialization with peers and teachers. Last month we had an in-depth exploration of our five senses! The children engaged in many activities from going on sight walks, engaging in taste test to exploring pumpkins. This month we will continue to learn about the world around us and ourselves through our "All About Us" unit. This unit will support the children in developing a strong self-concept and awareness of themselves as unique individuals. The children will also engage in activities that help them think and express their ideas about who they are and learn more about their peers. Through this unit we will embrace and celebrate each member of our class and school community by focusing on the Essential Question: Who am I and who are the people in my life? Each week, we will dive into these focus components:



- What makes me important and unique?
- What feelings do I have and why?
- What makes my class important and unique?
- What makes my family important and unique?

## **Family Engagement**

- 1. Share a favorite story from the past. This could be a story about the first time your child did something new, a funny story about an experience or a time when your child did something that made the family proud. Show pictures if possible.
- Draw a picture together and write a special message to your child. This picture/message can be brought to school so that your child can share it with their peers and/or place in their cubby.
- 3. Take pictures of different emotions together. Engage in conversations about a time when you or your child may have experienced the different emotions.