



"Let our hearts♥ be full of thanks and GIVING"- Unknown

Dear Tiny Thinkers Families,

As we enter the season of gratitude, we're reminded of the wonderful community we share at Tiny Thinkers Preschool. November is a special time to reflect on the things we're thankful for. This month, we will focus on kindness, sharing, and the importance of giving. We look forward to a month filled with fun, learning, and exciting holiday activities!

Here are some exciting events we have planned:

Upcoming Events:

Food Drive Week (11/4/2024 – 11/15/2024):

Our annual Food Drive is here, and we're excited to get our children and families involved in helping to end hunger.

Tiny Thinkers CP will be donating to Christy's Foundation in Northridge, and Tiny Thinkers NH will be donating to Valley Park Baptist Church.

We encourage all parents to help those in need by making food donations. Suggested items include canned vegetables, fruits, tuna, soup, 100% juice, dried fruit, cereal, bread, rice, pasta, beans, and other non-perishable food items. Christy's Foundation will also host a Turkey Drive on November 21st for those who wish to donate.

To make things fun, the classrooms will compete to collect the most food items, with the winning class enjoying an ice cream party!

Thanksgiving Feast (11/27/2024):

We'll be hosting a Thanksgiving Feast! A potluck sign-up sheet will be available with your child's teacher. Please remember that we are a NUT-FREE facility, and all food should be sealed. Be sure to label your food items with the classroom name and bring serving utensils (e.g., ladles).

Daylight Saving Time Ends (11/3/2024):

Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour as Daylight Saving Time ends at 2 a.m. on Sunday, November 3rd

Recyclable Materials Donation:

Parents, if you have any of the following recyclable materials, please bring them to your child's classroom for some amazing upcoming projects:

- Cardboard boxes (e.g., cereal boxes, recycle boxes)
- Toilet paper rolls
- Empty plastic water bottles

Every two weeks, we focus on a theme, and each child will create a recyclable project related to that theme. Feel free to bring in as much recyclable material as you'd like!

Weather-Appropriate Clothing:

With the changing weather, please ensure your child is dressed in warm, weather-

appropriate clothing. We encourage you to bring a sweater for your child and to check their cubby for summer clothes that may need to be replaced with winter clothing.

Flu Season Reminder:

We encourage all families to get their flu shots. If your child is feeling unwell, please keep them at home and consult a physician before returning to school.

We're excited for a wonderful November and appreciate your continued support!

Resources:

Healthy Eating Habits:

Establishing healthy eating habits is essential for your child's growth, development, and overall well-being. Since children are forming lifelong habits, it's important to provide them with a balanced diet rich in fruits, vegetables, whole grains, and lean proteins. Proper nutrition not only supports physical health, helping them grow strong and maintain a healthy weight, but it also enhances cognitive development. By modeling healthy choices at home, you set your child up for success both now and in the future. Below are some resources for parents to learn more about promoting healthy eating habits.

English:

- <https://www.myplate.gov/life-stages/preschoolers>
- What Should My Preschooler Be Eating? - Cleveland Clinic
- <https://calfreshhealthyliving.cdph.ca.gov/en/tips/Pages/Make-Healthy-Eating-a-Habit.aspx>

Spanish:

- <https://www.niddk.nih.gov/health-information/informacion-de-la-salud/control-de-peso/alimentacion-saludable-actividad-fisica-vida/ayudar-ninos>
- <https://kidshealth.org/es/parents/habits.html>
- <https://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/es/nutricion/articulo/fomento-de-habitos-alimenticios-saludables>

Reminders:

- **Cash Payments:** Payments made in cash must be the exact amount.
- **Weather-Appropriate Clothing:** With the changing weather, please ensure your child is dressed appropriately.
- **Extra Clothing:** Please provide at least two sets of weather-appropriate extra clothes for your child to keep in their cubby.
- **Labeling Belongings:** Ensure that all of your child's belongings are clearly labeled with their first and last name to prevent misplacement.
- **Trick-or-Treat Safety:** Please stay safe while trick-or-treating and be aware of your surroundings.
- **School Hours:** Tiny Thinkers operates Monday through Friday, from 7:30 am to 5:30 pm. We also offer extended care from 6:30 am to 7:30 am and 5:30 pm to 6:00 pm.
- **Payment Deadline:** Please make timely payments to avoid the \$35 late fee.
- **Pickup Protocol:** Ensure that all individuals listed on your child's contact card bring a valid picture ID and are at least 18 years old when picking up your child from the center.

- **Sign-In/Out Procedures:** Please remember to sign your child in at drop-off and out at pick-up every day, on both the corresponding clipboard and CCRC/DCFS documents.
- **Doorbell Reminder:** We kindly ask all parents to ring the doorbell when arriving to pick up your child, even if another parent has already rung it.
- **Stay Connected:** Follow us on Facebook and Instagram to stay updated on the latest news and events.
- **Contact Us:** If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to reach out to your child's school.

Referral Opportunity: Earn \$200 Credit!

Refer a family to one of our Tiny Thinkers locations and receive \$200 credit!

Current Availability:

- **Santa Clarita:** Openings for children aged 6 weeks to 5 years, plus an after-school program for kids up to 12 years old.
- **Canoga Park:** Openings for children aged 18 months to 6 years groups.
- **North Hills:** Availability in the infant program only.

Spots are limited and filled up on a first-come, first-served basis.

Upcoming Events:

- **Trunk or Treat & Pet Adoption Event**

Join us at Subaru of Valencia in Santa Clarita (24000 Creekside Road) for some Halloween fun! Pet adoption fees are waived. Check out the attached flyer for details.

- **Open House at Montessori of Santa Clarita**

Address: 27757 Bouquet Canyon Rd., Santa Clarita, CA 91350

On November 1st from 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM, we'll be hosting an open house at our new location. Enjoy face painting from 3:30 PM to 6:30 PM, a bounce house from 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM, and light snacks. Come meet our team and explore the new space!

Please note: The school cannot offer makeup or substitute days for any absences. No refunds will be provided for days missed. We also do not pro-rate tuition for vacations, illnesses, holidays, or school closures. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to email or call.

North Hills

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Telephone: 818-892-2655

Canoga Park

Email:

info.cp@tinythinkers.com

Telephone: 818-346-3035

Santa Clarita

Email: info.sc@tinythinkers.com

Telephone: 661-296-0175



Teachers Corner

This month our focus topic will be:

Theme: Forest Animals, Nursery Rhymes, Light & Shadow, Thanksgiving

Letter: (Ladybugs & Butterflies) Gg, Hh (BB1 & BB2) Kk, Ll, Mm, Nn,

Number: (Ladybugs & Butterflies) 6, 7(BB1 & BB2) 10, 11, 12, 13

Color: Orange, Red+Yellow=Orange, Light Green, Yellow+Green=Light Green

Shape: Trapezoid, Star, Rectangle

Cooking: Bear Paw Print Cookies, Pineapple Sun, Barn graham Cracker

Science: Dancing Worm Experiment, Humpty Dumpty Egg drop, Fizzing Turkey

Sign Language: Bear, Spider & Shadow, Thank you & Pig

Vocabulary: With & My, You & What, Are & Now

Spanish Vocabulario: Oso, Zorro & Lobo Luz, Sombra, Autobús, Estrella; Gracias, Familia, Agradecido, Pavo

Canción en Español: Soy Una Serpiente, Mary had a Little Lamb in Spanish, Si tú tienes Muchas Ganas de Aplaudir

Songs: Going on a Bear Hunt, Wheels on the Bus, We are Thankful-Tune

Character of Education: "Be Responsible for your Actions", "Patience is a Virtue", "Be inclusive", "Use Gentle words"

Sensory: Soap Bin, Sand Bin, Farm Animal Bin

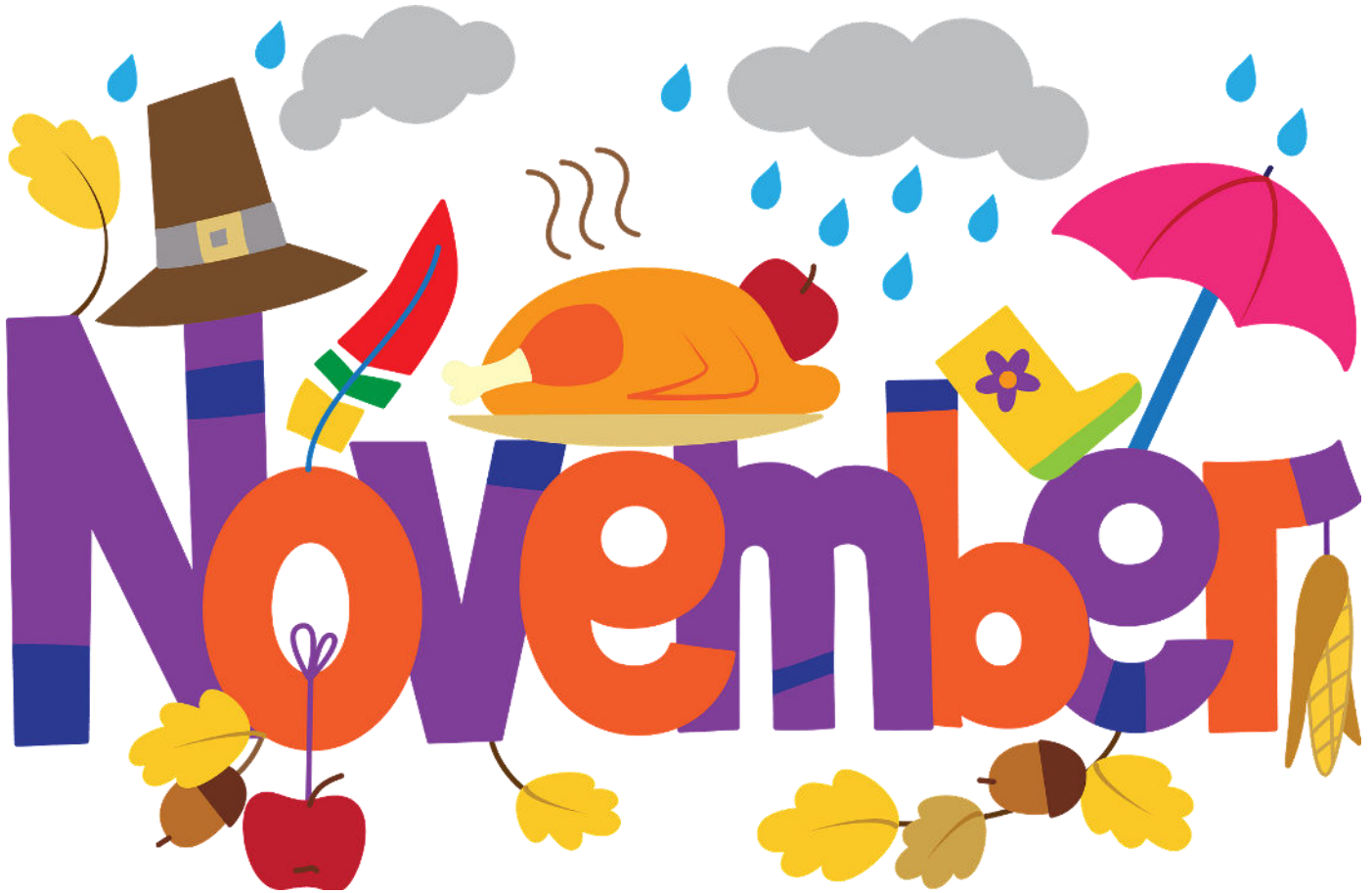
Outdoor Painting: Balloon Painting, Finger Painting with Easel, Painting with Nature Paint Brushes

Outdoor Gross Motor Skills: Hopscotch, Parachute, Carry the Ball your Partner

Recyclable Project: Cardboard Characters MASK, Toilet Paper Roll CANDLE, Water bottle FARM ANIMAL



**Happy Birthday to everyone
born in this month of November**



Mon. November 4th – Fri. November 15th Food Drive

Mon. November 11th – Veteran's Day School Closed

Wed. November 27th Thanksgiving Feast

Thu. November 28th and

Fri. November 29th Thanksgiving Day School Closed



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ADMISSION**



PET ADOPTION



TRUNK-OR-TREAT

Adoption Fees Waived! Spooky Family Fun!

October

27th

11AM - 3PM

 **Pet Adoption with
Castaic Animal Shelter**

 **Trunk or Treat with
SCV Local Business'**

 **Food Trucks, Music,
Costume Contest, & More!**



Hello Subaru of Valencia

24000 Creekside Rd, Santa Clarita

Montessori of Santa Clarita

OPEN HOUSE

Tour our facility, meet our dedicated and experienced teachers, and find out if our campus is the right fit for your family!

Friday, November 1, 2024

3:00 PM to 6:00 PM

**Bounce House starts at 3:00 PM – 6:00 PM
& Face Painting starts at 3:30 PM – 5:30 PM**

Stop by with your family for afternoon snacks.

**Offering Infant, Preschool,
& After School Care Programs
Pick up from Rosedell Elementary School**

Can't make it to the Open House? Call our campus any time to schedule a private tour

27757 Bouquet Canyon Road, Santa Clarita, CA 91350

Telephone: 661-296-0175

Email: info.sc@tinythinkers.com

Tuition – Full Day

Infant/Toddler 6 weeks to 2 yrs.

3 days - \$1300.00 monthly

4 days - \$1400.00 monthly

5 days - \$1500.00 monthly

Preschool - 2.0 yrs. - 3.5 yrs.

3 days - \$1100.00 monthly

4 days - \$1200.00 monthly

5 days - \$1300.00 monthly

Preschool - 3.5 yrs. – 5 yrs.

3 days - \$900.00 monthly

4 days - \$1000.00 monthly

5 days - \$1100.00 monthly

After School – 6 yrs. to 12 yrs.

3 days - AM & PM - \$650.00 monthly

4 days - AM & PM - \$750.00 monthly

5 days - AM & PM - \$850.00 monthly

3 days - PM only - \$450.00 monthly

4 days - PM only - \$550.00 monthly

5 days - PM only - \$650.00 monthly

Meals: We offer nutritious morning and afternoon snacks.

Hours: Monday to Friday, from 6:30 AM to 6:00 PM.

Sibling Discount: 10% off for the oldest sibling when two or more siblings are enrolled.

Special Discount: Military and emergency responder families receive a 10% discount.

We welcome: CCRC and DCFS families.