

### "Let our hearts be full of thanks and giving"- unknown

Dear Tiny Thinkers Families,

As the crisp autumn air rolls in and the leaves paint our days in shades of gold and orange, we're reminded of how *thankful* we are for each and every one of you our amazing Tiny Thinkers community! November is the season of gratitude, kindness, and giving, and we can't wait to celebrate it together. This month will be filled with learning, laughter, and meaningful moments as we explore themes of sharing, compassion, and thankfulness.

# November Referral Bonus – Earn \$500 Cash!

We're excited to announce a special promotion this month our way of saying thank you for helping our community grow!

**Earn** \$500 CASH! When you refer to a new family to enroll at our school, you'll receive a \$500 cash bonus once their child has been with us for 60 days.

Special Offer for New Families: We'll waive the Material (\$120) and Registration (\$150) fees a total savings of \$270!

It's Easy to Participate:

- 1 Refer a new family to enroll at any of our schools North Hills, Canoga Park, or Santa Clarita.
- 2 Once their child completes 60 days of attendance, you'll receive your \$500 cash bonus!

It's that simple share the love and get rewarded!

Promotion valid through November 30th

#### **Contact Our Schools:**

North Hills info.nh@tinythinkers.com (818) 892-2655

Canoga Park 🔯 info.cp@tinythinkers.com 📞 (818) 346-3035

Santa Clarita info.sc@tinythinkers.com (661) 296-0175

Here's a peek at what's happening this month at Tiny Thinkers!

## Food Drive Week: November 3rd – 7th, 2025

- It's that special time of year again our Annual Tiny Thinkers Food Drive! This is a wonderful opportunity for our children to learn the joy of giving and helping others.
- This year, our Santa Clarita location will be supporting the SCV Food Pantry and Tiny Thinkers NH will be supporting Valley Park Baptist Church. Together, we can make a difference!

#### We're collecting:

- Canned goods (vegetables, fruits, tuna, soups, etc.)
- 100% juice, dried fruit, cereal
- Bread, rice, pasta, and beans

To make things extra fun, each classroom will compete to see who collects the most items. The winning class will enjoy a special ice cream party! Let's show our Tiny Thinkers spirit and help fight hunger together!

## Thanksgiving Feast: November 26th, 2025

One of our favorite traditions is the Tiny Thinkers Thanksgiving Feast! We'll be sharing a cozy potluck-style meal before the holiday break. A potluck sign-up sheet will be available for each classroom check with your child's teacher to sign up for a dish to bring.

- We are a NUT-FREE facility.
- All foods must be sealed and labeled with your child's classroom.
- Please include serving utensils (like ladles or tongs) for your dish.

## School Closed- Thanksgiving Break- Thursday 10/27<sup>th</sup>- 10/28<sup>th</sup>

• Tiny Thinkers Preschool will be closed on Thursday and Friday. We hope you enjoy this special time with your loved ones and take a moment to reflect on all that we're thankful for.

## Daylight Saving Time Ends – Sunday, November 2nd, 2025

• Don't forget to "fall back"! Set your clocks back one hour before bed on Saturday night so you're right on time Sunday morning.

## Bundle Up, Tiny Thinkers!

• Fall weather is here, and that means chilly mornings and cozy sweaters! Please make sure your child has appropriate weather clothes each day. Take a moment to check your child's cubby and replace any summer clothes with warm layers. We want everyone to stay comfy and cozy while learning and playing!

#### Flu Season Reminder

• As we head into flu season, we encourage all families to consider getting a flu shot. If your child isn't feeling well, please keep them home and consult your physician before returning to school it helps keep our entire Tiny Thinkers community healthy!

#### Reminders:

As we move into a busy and exciting month, here are a few friendly reminders to help keep everything running smoothly for our students, families, and teachers:

#### **Payments**

- Please remember that cash payments must be exact change.
- Payments must be made on time to avoid a \$35 late fee. Thank you for helping us stay on schedule!

#### Weather & Clothing

• The weather is changing, please make sure your child comes dressed in weather-appropriate clothing each day. Each child should have at least two extra sets of seasonal clothes in their cubby. Don't forget to label all belongings with your child's first and last name to help keep items from getting lost.

## Safety First

• If your family is trick-or-treating, please stay safe and be aware of your surroundings. We hope everyone has a fun and safe Halloween celebration!

#### **School Hours**

- Regular Hours: Monday–Friday, 7:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m.
- Extended Care:
  - o Morning: 6:30 a.m. 7:30 a.m.
  - o Evening: 5:30 p.m. − 6:00 p.m.

#### Pick-Up Procedures

• Only people listed on your child's emergency contact card may pick up your child. All individuals must present a valid photo ID and be 18 years or older. Please make sure your child is signed in and out daily on both the classroom clipboard and the CCRC/DCFS documents.

Please make a note! The school is unable to allow make-up or substitute days for times that a child is absent. There will be NO refund given for days not attended. We DO NOT pro-rate tuition for vacation, sick, holidays or school closures. If you have any questions or concerns, please email or call.

### Resources:

- P Near Canoga Park- Día de los Muertos Family Festival Main Street Canoga Park
  - Date & Time: Sunday, November 2, 2025, 10:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m.
  - Location: On Sherman Way between Canoga Avenue & Topanga Canyon Blvd, Canoga Park
- P Near North Hills- Valley Relics Museum Van Nuys (close by)
  - Location: 7900 Balboa Blvd., Van Nuys (in the San Fernando Valley) not a one-day special event
- P Near Santa Clarita- Light Up Main Street Old Town Newhall
  - Date & Time: Saturday, November 15, 2025 (event listing shows Nov 15) starting around 4:00 p.m.
  - Location: Main Street in Old Town Newhall, Santa Clarita

# Teachers Corner

This month our focus topic will be:

Theme: Forest Animals, Five Senses, Human Body, Thanksgiving

<u>Letter:</u> Cc, Oo, Oo, Pp <u>Number:</u> 11, 12, 13, 14

<u>Color:</u> Black, Light Green, Light Green, Red Shape: Trapezoid, Star, Star, Rectangle

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

Science: Dancing Worm Experiment, Popcorn Senses Experiment, Fizzing Turkey

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

<u>Spanish Vocabulario:</u> Oso, Zorro & Lobo Luz, Sombra, Autobús, Estrella; <u>Gracias</u>,

Familia, Agradecido, Pavo

Canción en español: SoLas Calaberas Salen de Su Tumba, Los Cinco Sentidos, Si

tú tienes Muchas Ganas de Aplaudir

Songs: Zombie Finger Family, The Five Senses, we are Thankful

Sensory: Soap Bin, Sand Bin, Farm Animal Bin

<u>Outdoor Gross Motor Skills:</u> Hopscotch, Parachute, Carry the Ball your Partner <u>Recyclable Project:</u> Cardboard Characters MASK, Plastic Bottle LUNGS, Toilet

paper roll TURKEY

Montessori Practical Life Skill: Water Pouring

Happy Birthday to everyone

born in this month of **NOVEMBER** 



Mon. November 3<sup>rd</sup> – Friday November 7<sup>th</sup> Food Drive Mon. November 11<sup>th</sup> Veteran's Day School Closed

Wed. November 26<sup>th</sup> Thanksgiving Feast Thurs. November 27<sup>th</sup> – Fri. November 28<sup>th</sup> Thanksgiving Day School Closed







