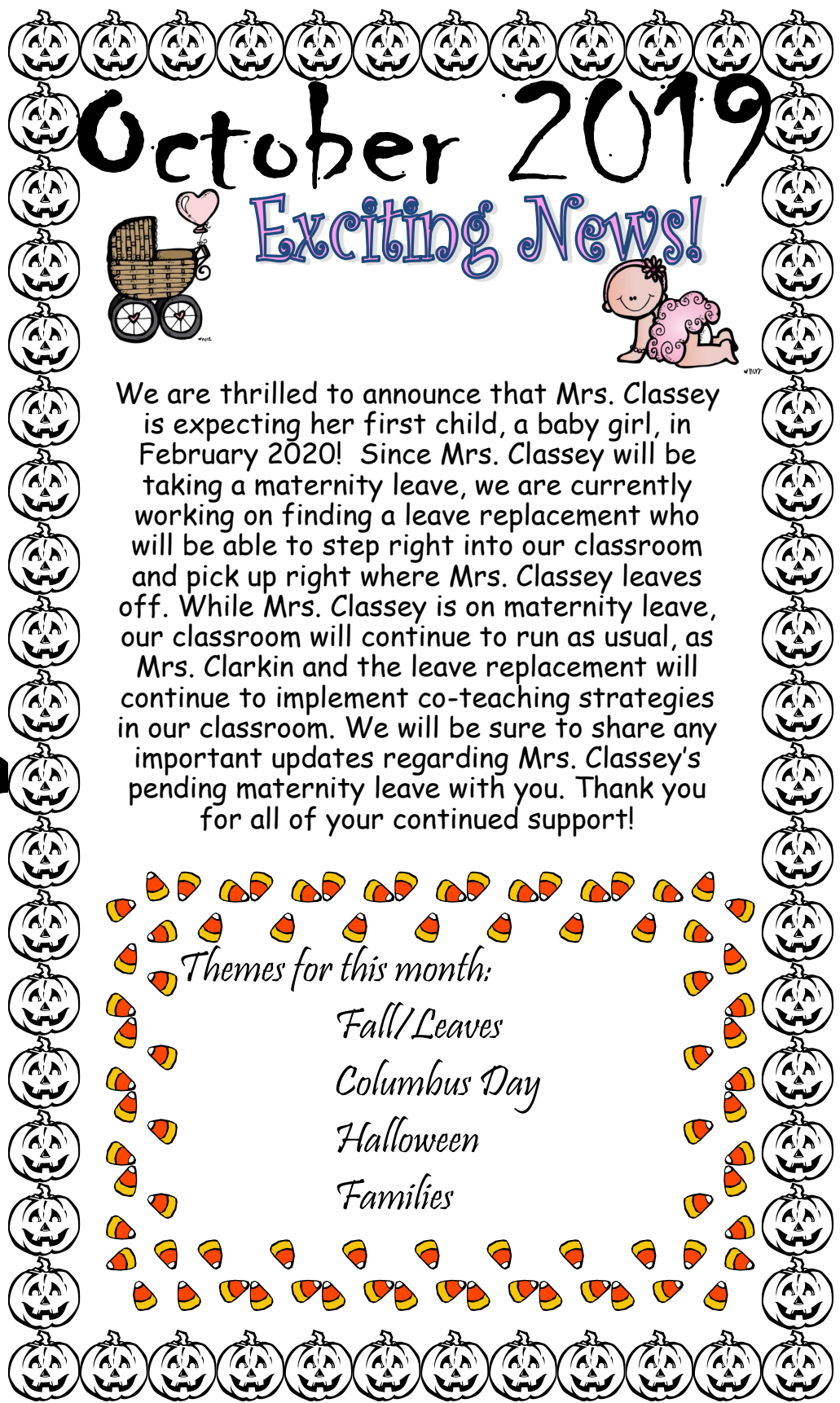


Monthly Memos



October 2019

Exciting News!



We are thrilled to announce that Mrs. Classey is expecting her first child, a baby girl, in February 2020! Since Mrs. Classey will be taking a maternity leave, we are currently working on finding a leave replacement who will be able to step right into our classroom and pick up right where Mrs. Classey leaves off. While Mrs. Classey is on maternity leave, our classroom will continue to run as usual, as Mrs. Clarkin and the leave replacement will continue to implement co-teaching strategies in our classroom. We will be sure to share any important updates regarding Mrs. Classey's pending maternity leave with you. Thank you for all of your continued support!

Themes for this month:

- Fall/Leaves*
- Columbus Day*
- Halloween*
- Families*





Phonics, Reading & Writing

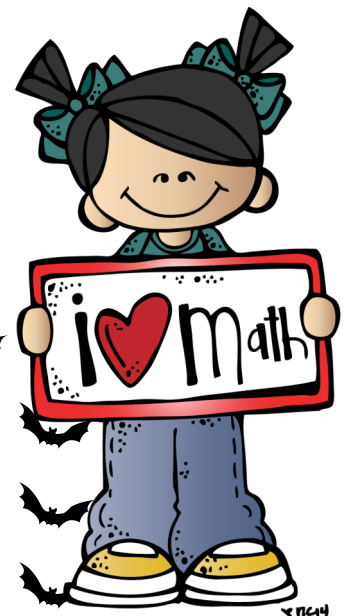
Remember to encourage your child to read and reread the books to you and other family members. Book Baggies go home with 3 reading books. Please remember to read & reread all books in the baggie EACH NIGHT! Book Baggies should be returned EACH DAY!

We are still working on handwriting and the corresponding phonics sounds. *Please refer to the Foundations packets and practice and review all the letters and sounds.*

We have also been working on sketching, matching our picture to our words and WOW pictures (color and details) in our journals. We will continue our first unit in Writing called “Small Moments” Students will be using “real life” experiences to create their own books.

The children have also enjoy reading and illustrating poems in our Poetry notebooks.

What's Happening in Math?



Addition and Subtraction Readiness- showing 4 through 10 in two parts. Different ways to make numbers.

Number Relationships- explore more and fewer, odd and even.

Some of these concepts may be review for your child. Remember that a review is important before new concepts are introduced. Please review all homework with your child.



Science Corner

We will then begin learning about animals and plants and how they survive.



The Parts of a Reader

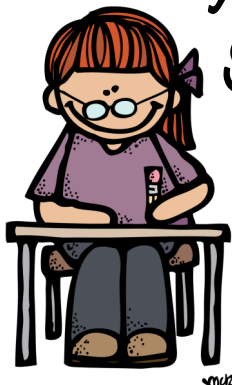
Read with your
child **EVERY**
night!

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** Remember to review
with your child their weekly
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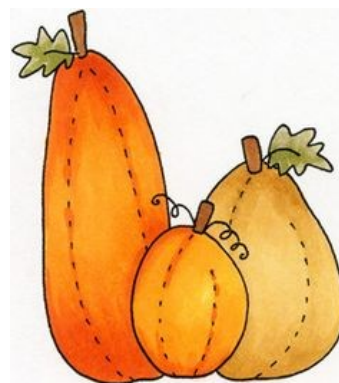
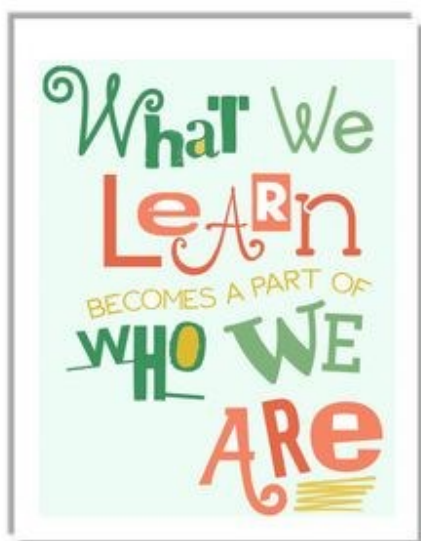
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reading
on RAZ KIDS? Sign
up and get reading!



Let's Learn about Social Studies!

This month in social studies we will be talking about Our Living Community. We will discuss the people and places that are part of a community. We'll also talk about goods and services and transportation.



Happy October! We are looking forward to a fun and exciting month of Fall fun! Remember we have Halloween at the end of this month. A notice will go home about our day very soon.

The children are growing each and every day with lots of knowledge! We are well into great routines and exciting lessons. Remember if you have any questions or concerns please don't hesitate to call or email us! We want to help make this a

great year for you and your child!

Have a safe and Happy Halloween!

Mrs. Clarkin and Mrs. Classey