



OCTOBER 2023

TOTALLY KIDS ACADEMY NEWSLETTER



Our **October Curriculum** themes are:

Community Helpers  
Halloween



### BIRTHDAYS

Kash turns 5 on October 6th



### IMPORTANT RECALL INFO

For update product recall information on toys, clothes, playpens, cribs and car seat. Please visit: [www.cspc.gov](http://www.cspc.gov)

### Upcoming Closures

October 13th - Closed

November 3rd - Closed

November 23rd - 24th

December 26th

January 2nd 2024

### IMPORTANT PUBLIC SCHOOL INFORMATION

PROFESSIONAL Development – No School – October 6

Fall Break - October 9-13- NO SCHOOL

Thanksgiving Break - No School – November 23-24

Holiday Break - No School - December 18 - January 1

PARENTS- We will be collecting Gatorade and Water for the Police and Fire Departments as we are studying our Community Helpers.

Be watching for lots of fun activities to come in the next few months. Such as Decorating a pumpkin for our pumpkin contest. Be watching for our sign up sheet for our Halloween party and lots more.

**REMINDERS:**

- ◆ Parents - You have one vacation week of no Pay. Please let me know your vacation plans early.
- ◆ I will do my best to give a minimum of two weeks notice on days off or vacation plans. I do my best to post this at least two months in advance but sometimes getting sick or emergencies arise.
- ◆ **Please drop off your child by 8:30 am.** Late drop offs disrupt the flow of our day. At 8:30 – we are in center play and at 9:00 am we are moving in gross motor activities, reading stories – talking about the weather for the day and much more. *Parents: If your child is going to be out or the child has a **doctor appointment** and will be in later, please **bring a note**.* At 11:00 is lunch, then down for a nap. We are up from nap around 1:00 pm.
- ◆ *Early pickup* – no problem but please wait till nap time is over.

~~~ Thank you in advance for your understanding.

**Weather ALERT**

◆ **KEEP AN EYE ON THE WEATHER - Make sure your Child or Children have appropriate clothing CLOTHES:**

◆ **UPDATE CLOTHES IN CUBBIES -pants and long sleeve shirts in cubbies**

**SICK POLICY:**

- ◆ ITS FLU and STREP SEASON APPROACHING BESIDES THE COVID
- ◆ Be aware that Strep, Flu and COVID-19 have many symptoms like the other - please use caution when assessing the health of your child this fall season, as we will be extra precautious about symptoms.
- ◆ Temperatures of 100 degrees or higher are to be sent home per licensing and your Child must be **FEVER FREE** for 24 hours!

Here at Totally Kids Academy - We want the kids Healthy and Happy. Mrs. Lisa is not a fan of getting sick either. I am doing my part by washing and Lysol-ing everything that I can. **We will continue to be watching for any signs of illness not just exclusively COVID symptoms please keep in mind it is still Flu & cold season! Best defense is to wash hands frequently!**

**ADDITIONAL REMINDERS**

- ◆ Due to the increase in late pick ups, I **MUST** take a moment to remind everyone that pickup is promptly by 6pm. All late pickups will be charged a late fee of \$1 per minute. While, an occasional accident is not something we can plan for, you can prearrange a late pickup, if you know you may need to work late. Please plan on paying late fees upon late pickup.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Lisa

# BOOKS TO READ





# OCTOBER KIDS' FUN PAGE

Name \_\_\_\_\_

## Spooky Friends Color by Number

Directions: Use the code to color the picture.

1 - green  
 2 - blue  
 3 - purple  
 4 - black  
 5 - orange  
 6 - yellow

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

## Painter Tracing

Trace the lines to help the painter paint the wall.

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

## Halloween Friends Dot to Dot

Directions: Draw a line from dot to dot in numerical order to finish the picture. Color the picture.

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

## Same OR Different

Directions: Color the items on each line that are the same.

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