



What Will Your Panda Explore This Month at our Enrichment Centers?

<u>Math:</u> The Panda's will practice one to one correspondence by using toy trains and cars. We'll also practice patterning, sorting, and grouping by posing questions such as ...

*What kinds of shapes and colors do you see?

*How many people can fit in a train?

*How many trains are there?

Science: We continue our Fall season with a ton of exploration! As long as the weather is on our side, we'll be exploring the outdoors and recording our findings. We will introduce different tools such as a thermometer gauge in order to determine changes in temperature. Our Panda's will be able to learn how weather affects farming life and all the different modes of transportation. We will enjoy using our five senses at the water table while participating in a MUD BATH! Our friends will use farm animals and engage in role playing.

<u>Literacy</u>: As we move on to the end of our fall themes and in to our winter ones, they get more exciting and challenging! With our younger Panda's we continue our focus on strengthening both upper and lower case alphabet letters. For our older friends, we are working on mastering alphabet sounds and utilizing new vocabulary in their everyday conversations.

<u>Art:</u> Our friends enjoy hands on activities. So for our upcoming themes they will be able to use a variety of textured materials to create with. Our "Turkeys" theme is a favorite because they practice their fine motor skills by using scissors, glue and other supplies!

Panda's Favorite Tunes



"Take me out to the Barnyard"- (To the tune of "Take Me Out To The Ball Game")

Take me out to the barnyard

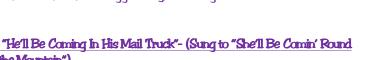
Take me out there right now

Show me the cows, pigs and horses too.

I hear an oink and a neigh and a moo.

There are chickens laying their eggs, if they don't lay it's a shame.

Oh, it's one, two, three eggs today, and I'm glad I came!



He'll be comin' in his mail truck when he comes, x2

He'll be coming in his mail truck, x2

He'll be comin' in his mail truck when he comes.

He'll be wearing his blue uniform

He'll be bringing a package for me

He'll bring mail for mom and dad

He'll pick up letters from our mailbox

What is My Job? - (Sung to "Are You sleeping?")

What is my job? X2
Can you guess? x2
I help people get well. X2
Who am I?
Who am I?



* Our loving family & friends!



- * Our caring teachers!
- * Our yummy food we eat every Day!





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To:

Teacher Pick's



Mrs. Wishy-Washy's

Farm

By: Joy Cowler "This is a fun story to read during circle time because the children enjoy taking part in mimicking all the different sounds of farm animals."



Miss Jen

The Little Engine

That Could

By: Watty Piper "I love this book because it sends such a positive message to the children of how through persistence you can accomplish your goals!"



Miss Maria

A Day With A

Doctor

By: Jan Kottke "I enjoy seeing the children's faces light up when they embrace the concept of staying healthy and lose their fear of doctors."



Miss Danitza



Panda Pose November 2011

Welcome back to our second issue of our Panda Newsletter! We hope you've enjoyed it as much as we have. November is full of excitement in light of all the center events. Throughout the month we have tons of things in store, from engaging in activities, to educational themes, and exciting holiday celebrations.

Upcoming Events:

- * 11/15- Annual Parent Meeting @ Center 1 at 5:30 pm (Childcare provided, sign up in lobby)
- * 11/17- Hooray for Holidays Show! @ 9:30
- * 11/17- Thanksqiving Luncheon 11:00 am (\$7.50 per adult, sign up in lobby)
- * 11/24& 11/25-Center closed for Holiday!

