



Ms. Karla's Younger Class  
Classroom Newsletter  
Precious Pals Preschool  
Hagerstown, IN  
October 2021

### A SUPER Start to the Year!

This first month has been amazing! I have enjoyed getting to know each one of my friends! They have amazed me, how they are adjusting to being in preschool. The kids are being taught and are showing many great skills thus far, such as: name recognition, scissor & glue skills, following school procedures, colors, counting, shapes, independent skills, sharing, singing, and playing with friends. We will continue honing in on these skills. Take time to notice their growth & reinforce skills!

THANK YOU

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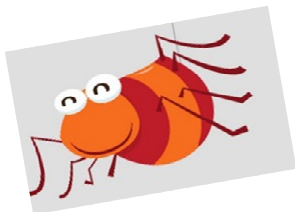
PLEASE

EXCUSE ME

We have been working hard on using our manners. Learning manners is a lifelong process, it doesn't happen overnight. Behaving politely is a way of life, and acquiring good manners takes lots of practice. So we will continue reinforcing and encouraging good manners and behaviors. Thank you for letting us partner with you in the education of your 'whole' child! ☺

### Objectives to learn in October are:

- Fire Safety
- Season of Fall
- Apples
- Pumpkins
- Itsy Bitsy Spider



### Happy Halloween

Review these rules to keep ghouls ☺ and boys safe

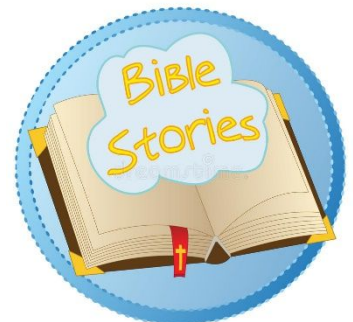
- Stay on the sidewalks.
- Don't eat any candy before it is inspected by an adult.
- Don't eat any unwrapped candy.
- Stay with your group.
- Wear a reflecting item on your clothing so cars can see you.
- Observe the trick or treating hours.
- Have a hauntingly good time!



### Bible Time

October and fall are here, and it's my favorite time of year! It's a wonderful time to see how God can use the changes in this world to show His glory. This month in Bible, we will be learning all about Joseph and Moses. I'll be reading and teaching your littles about these men's obedience to God even when they didn't know how things were going to work out. We will talk about ways we can be obedient and make good choices just like Joseph and Moses.

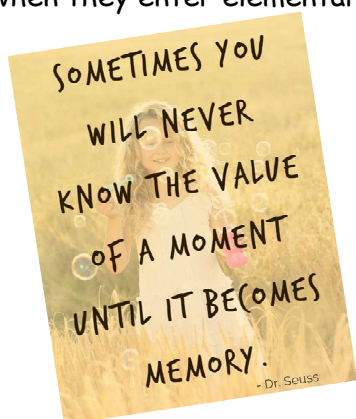
-Ms. Danielle



### Helpful Tidbits

When student gets home find time to sit with them and look over papers that they have brought home. Most kids' voice their excitement about taking home their work to show mom/dad what they have done! They are excited to share or at least hear you say you are proud of them!

Please know, an empty backpack is easier to load for my friends so please don't forget to clean out the backpacks nightly. We work on independent skills a lot at preschool so please work with you student on unzipping their backpack, allowing them to empty out necessary work/notes. This would get them in a good habit when they enter elementary school.



### Firefighter Field Trip

Our firefighter field trip will be done at preschool. I have invited firefighters from Hagerstown Fire Department to come visit us. They will talk with the kids about some basic fire safety topics, dress in their turnout gear, and look at a firetruck (hear the sirens/see the lights) and spray some water from the hose!

### October Highlights

No School

Monday/Thursday, Oct. 4<sup>th</sup> or 7<sup>th</sup>

Fall Break

Attached to this newsletter you will find more information such as: Oct. calendar, song list, student /parent names/phone numbers of friends in your child's class, this allows you to set up playdates with classmates.

### More News!

1. **Preschool T-shirts** were sent home. Your child can wear it anytime, but we especially want them worn on field trip days. Thank you, parents, for helping with this messy project!

2. **Fire Prevention Week** is Oct 3-9<sup>th</sup>

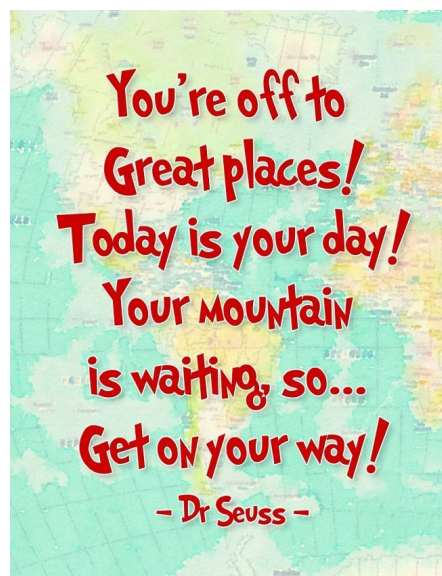
Please test your smoke alarms

every month. Make a fire escape plan with your family.

And if you would like more fun games/information for you or your kid(s), go to: [www.sparky.org](http://www.sparky.org) & [firefacts.org](http://firefacts.org)



3. We use an app called **ClassTag**, which allows me to stay in contact with you all as parents of students in my class. You can also use this app to contact me as well.



Please share with me any questions, concerns or just something precious your child has said or done!

We are looking forward to an exciting year!

Ms. Karla, Ms. Danielle,

Ms. Julie, Ms. Stacy

# October

## 2021 Ms. Karla's Younger Class

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1.	2.
3.	4. 	5.	6.	7.	8. 	9..
10.	11. Tuition Due 	12.	13.	14. Book Orders Due  Code: HQRZ2 ***** Pm: Scarlett b-day 10-17	15.	16.
17.	18. A visit from a Hagerstown fire fighter  ***** Let's get cooking	19.	20.	21.  Ms. Janelle from HPL	22.	23.
24.	25.	26.	27.	28.	29.	30.
31. 				***** Am: Katelyn b-day 10-28		





## October Song List 2021

Many songs from Sept. we will cont. singing

### Do You See?

(Tune: Muffin Man)

Do you see our friend \_\_\_\_\_, our  
friend \_\_\_\_\_, our friend \_\_\_\_\_?

Do you see our friend \_\_\_\_\_,  
somewhere in the room?



Yes, I see our friend \_\_\_\_\_, our friend  
\_\_\_\_\_, our friend \_\_\_\_\_.

Yes I see our friend \_\_\_\_\_,  
somewhere in our room.

### Color Song

(Tune to: If You're Happy and You Know It)

If your clothes have any red, any red

If your clothes have any red, any red

If your clothes have any red, put your  
finger on your head,

If your clothes have any red, any red



Additional verses:

Blue- finger on your shoe

Yellow- shake like jello

Brown- turn around

Black- pat yourself on the back

White- stomp your feet with all your might

Pink- give me a wink

### Stop, Drop, & Roll

(Tune to: Hot Cross Buns)



Stop, drop & roll.

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If you clothes ever catch on  
fire.

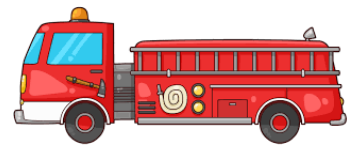
Stop, drop & roll!

### Fire Truck by Ivan Ulz

#### & Hurry, Hurry Drive the Firetruck-

from Barney's Favorites-  
look them up on YouTube  
as well as

"Here Comes the Fire  
Truck"



### Four Red Apples

(Tune: This Old Man)

Four red apples in the tree,

Two for you and two for me.

So, shake that tree and watch them  
fall.

One, two, three, four -  
that is all.



### The Apple Tree

Way up high

In the apple tree,

Two little apples

Smiled at me.

I shook that tree

As hard as I could,

Down came the apples,

And mmmmm they

were good!

### Fall

(Tune: Head, Shoulders, Knees & Toes")

Pumpkins, leaves, and apples, too.

It is fall!

It is fall!

What is there for you to do, in the  
fall?

We drink cider, and rake leaves.

Drink cider and rake leaves.

That is what we always do, in the fall!

### Apples

(Tune: Do Your Ears Hang Low?)

Are all the apples ready,  
to be picked from the tree?

They will be so sweet,  
and so good for me.

I'm going to pick some apples,  
and bake them in a pie.

I think I need a ladder,  
because they are really high.  
It's time to pick some apples.

Will you come with me,  
to the apple tree?

### Put Your Pumpkin in the Air

(Tune: Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star)

Put your apple in the air,  
Hold it high and leave it there.

Put your apple on your nose,

Now reach down and touch your toes.

Put your apple on your back,

Now please lay it on your lap.



### Autumn

(Rhyme)

Autumn winds begin to blow. (blow)  
Colored leaves fall fast and slow. (fall  
motion with fingers)

Twirling, whirling, all around, (turn  
self around)

Till at last, they touch the ground.  
(fall to the ground.)

### Scarecrow, Scarecrow

(Rhyme)

Scarecrow, Scarecrow, turn around,  
Scarecrow, Scarecrow, touch the  
ground.

Scarecrow, Scarecrow, reach up high.  
Scarecrow, Scarecrow, touch the sky.  
Scarecrow, Scarecrow, bend down low,  
Scarecrow, Scarecrow, touch your  
toes.



### The Itsy Bitsy Spider

The Itsy Bitsy Spider went up the  
water spout.

Down came the rain and washed  
the spider out.

Out came the sun and  
dried up all the rain.

And the Itsy Bitsy  
Spider went up the  
spout again.



### All the Leaves are Falling Down

(Tune: London Bridges Falling Down)

All the leaves are falling down, falling  
down, falling down

(Imitate leaves falling down)

All the leaves are falling down,  
it is fall.

Take the rake and rake them up, rake  
them up, rake them up

(Imitate raking leaves)

Take the rake and rake them up, it is  
fall.

Make a pile and jump right in, jump  
right in, jump right in,

(Children jump forward)

Make a pile and jump right in, it is fall.

### Saw a Leaf

(Tune: My Darling Clementine)

Saw a leaf,

Saw a leaf,

Saw a leaf falling down.

It was floating,

It was twirling,

As it spun and spun around.

Tried to catch it,

Tried to catch it

When it landed on the ground.

But it kept right on twirling

As it danced across the town.

