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## 4-Year-Old Program

## **Greenwich Nursery School News**

Happy Fall everyone! We are happy to say that all the children are adjusting well and enjoying all aspects of school. This month we will discuss fire safety during Fire Prevention Week. We are working on a date to have the fire truck visit GNS. We will also talk about Community Helpers, Apples, Pumpkins and have some Halloween fun! Letters Ff, Ee, Hh and Tt will be introduced, as well as numbers 1 and 2. Our trip to the West Portal Pumpkin Patch will be on Wednesday, October 16th. Rain date is Wednesday, October 23rd. Halloween class parties and parade (weather permitting) will be on Wednesday, October 30th. After parents bring children to their classroom, they will meet in the ballfield next to the parking lot. The parade starts at 9:20am. Children come to school wearing their costumes. Parents can send in a bag with their child's name in case they would like to remove their costumes during class time. We are asking to be sure they are wearing or have other clothes to change into. Halloween Party sign-up will be posted on Friday, October 4th. There is no school Monday, October 14th in observance of Columbus Day.

## **Daily Reminders**

- Please have your child use the bathroom and wash their hands each day when you arrive at school.
- Bring a backpack and a change of clothes (including underwear, socks and shoes)
  in case of accidents or spills. This should remain in their backpack and be changed
  according to season.
- Birthdays are celebrated monthly. Cake, water and raisins will be provided for snack.

#### Snack

- Please remember to pack a small, healthy snack and drink for your child each day.
   Snack bags should be labeled.
- Snack will be provided on Birthday Day each month.
- Please be advised that we are a nut-free school, so we kindly ask that you do not pack any peanut or tree nut products. Thank you!

#### Large Motor Fun!

We will be going outside as much as possible. Please dress your child appropriately for outdoor play and indoor physical activity. Sneakers and closed-toe shoes are a must for safety. We also recommend sending your child with a jacket or sweatshirt. We try to go outside each day weather permitting.



4 Year Olds – Apples Mrs. Macor – Mrs. Hillier Mrs. Porter



<u>4 Year Olds – Frogs</u> Mrs. Rieger – Mrs. Mrotek