ASASA Academy NE Calgary / Airdrie

NEWSLETTER

Ambition . Diligence . Knowledge

ECS (JUNIOR KINDERGARTEN / KINDERGARTEN)

November 2023







Theme of the month: Healthy me

We have all been enjoying the beautiful fall weather and seeing all of the seasonal changes. The children are getting along well with each other and friendships continue to grow. We have developed some good routine and the children are working well and learning some new skills. November brings new themes to look forward; we will be learning about Remembrance Day and practicing new songs. As part of our learning about different cultures, we will be having a Diwali celebration in November. This month are focus will be placed upon incorporating a healthy lifestyle within the flow of our daily routines. Children will explore healthy ways to care for their bodies-food and nutrition, sleep, daily exercise, personal hygiene practice, growth mindset techniques and intellectual pursuits.

What we are learning:

Literacy – Students will learn simple sight words – a, at, I, we, he/she and word families blends – like – at family – cat, bat, sat, mat. Our little Einsteins shall be partaking in word building, writing and finding activities.





https://littlelearningcorner.com/2020/10/all-about-word-families.html

Children will be encouraged to repeat simple nursery rhymes during circle time. Teachers will model picture walks with favorite classroom tales and children will tell their own stories from the illustrations in their favorite books. During classroom interactions with peers, our little learners will utilize imagination and creativity in stories using props – like puppets and role play various character roles and mimes.

Jolly phonics group 1- 2 letters/ sounds Cc, Kk, Ee, Hh, Rr, Mm & Dd. Students will be encouraged to relate these sounds/ letters with the theme of 'Healthy Me.'

Self-Expression: Story Retelling and Show and Tell.

Numeracy

Numbers 7-10 will be taught and reinforced. Our little number whizzes shall learn number rhymes to help them to remember the number writing sequence and they shall find numbers in their everyday healthy routine too. Students will learn how to show a number in different ways, such as using their fingers, through pictures, ordinal numbers, ten frames, and other manipulative.

Science

Students will investigate the beauty of nature – changes during the seasons and perform mini science experiments that shall challenge them to utilize their senses.

Social Studies

Students will be encouraged to help their growth mindsets shine by learning techniques to try new and challenging tasks. We shall use our manners with our classmates – practicing our 5 magic words – Thank you, I'm Sorry, You're Welcome, Excuse Me & Please.

In the classroom we are working on storytelling and Imaginative play, which is useful for the executive function and self-regulation skills of the children. See full resource https://harvardcenter.wpenginepowered.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/05/Executive-Function-Activities-for-3-to-5-year-olds.pdf

October Highlights:(Airdrie)











October Highlights:(NE Campus)








NEWSLETTER

Ambition . Diligence . Knowledge

October Highlights:(NE Campus)









Learn Today, Lead Tomorrow

October Highlights:(NE Campus)







NEWSLETTER

Ambition . Diligence . Knowledge

Save the date

Remembrance Day – No classes on Monday, November 13, 2023.
PD Day for Teachers – No classes on Friday, November 17, 2023.
Report Cards: Our first trimester reports will be sent home on December 6,2023.
Parent Teacher Interviews_: Thursday, December 7th, - 4pm-6pm, Fri, Dec 8th- 9am-4pm
No classes on Friday, December 8th–Please schedule an appointment with your child's teacher (Max 10mins). The doors will be promptly locked at end time or once scheduled meetings are complete.

Contacts

Gurbinder Kang
ECS Lead Teacher
Pinetown NE

Daljeet Saini
ECS Teacher
Pinetown NE Campus

Loveleen Kaur
ECS Teacher
Airdrie Campus

Irina Kashina
ECS Teacher
Westwinds NE Campus

Arpinder Kaur(Office)
Pinetown NE Campus
T (403)285 9277 F (403)4575289

Learn Today, Lead Tomorrow