



Mrs. Tracy's Tidbits

October 2018

Your children are adjusting well to their new school, teachers, friends and routines. The children have been exploring our room and making friends. It can be challenging for children who have never been to school to adjust and socialize, so we have been trying to teach our friends how to ask for toys from each other.

Ask! Ask! Ask! Ask your child questions about the parts of their day or the activities they do while they are at school.

Our Halloween celebration will be on October 25th. The party will start at 10:30. Parents are encouraged to participate with your child in doing the activities at each station. Once you complete the stations you may sign your child out and you are free to leave. We are asking that no siblings join so that you can have special one on one time with your child. No costumes please.

Could you please help us by making sure your child's coat is out of the backpack and hang it on the hook? Please also make sure your child's backpack is unzipped. This helps us get their papers into their backpack. Please call us if your child is unable to attend. St. John Preschool phone number is (810)652-0304 ext. 277. If you need to contact me, my email address is tmoorhouse@stjohndavison.org

We have been working on prewriting and fine motor skills. I'm sending home a flyer with several ideas of fine motor activities to do at home. There are some great ideas to help get our pinching fingers strong for our tripod grasp for holding pencils.

October is Fire safety month and we have arranged for the Davison Fire Department to come to our school and talk to the classes about fire safety. Sometimes the children get frightened when firefighters get dressed in all their gear. I will be preparing the children for the upcoming visit, in hopes to calm any anxiety they may be feeling. This visit will take place on October 16th.

****If you could please send in a family picture for our family board.****

Dates to remember

October 17th Fire department visiting
October 25th Class party @10:30
October 27th Trick or Treat Festival 6-8
October 26th-November 2nd Intersession
November 7th -8th Parent –Teacher conferences
November 8th No School