Subject: October Newsletter

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Welcome to the second month of school. The first month has flown by and was a great month of learning! Students are starting to remember and follow classroom routines and expectations. They have learned the names of fellow classmates and teachers and have been involved in lots of classroom learning. I am pleased with the progress I have seen already!

This month we will move into a unit where we will look at the changes that come with Fall. We will kick off this unit by learning about the tools we have been given for discovering the things in the world around us – namely our senses. We will then look at the changes we see in plants, animals and in people. Through this unit we will use the Creation Enjoying through-line to guide and discover how God is faithful in ruling our world through each season. We will finish the month by looking at both primary and secondary colours. For each colour day your child is encouraged to wear that specific colour. Don't go out and buy clothes! Even if they have a little bit of that colour on, that would be great.

In other areas... In physical education we have been enjoying learning some cooperative games as well as different ways to move in the space we are in. In Language Arts students are continuing to expand their knowledge of letters and their unique sounds. This month students will begin exploring numbers in math. They will compare numbers, write them and play lots of games to help develop their number sense, working with numbers 1-5 specifically.

Please have your child dressed for the weather. The wind keeps it pretty cold out on the playground, so as the temperatures begin to drop, I encourage you to send toques with your child. This will enable us to be outside as much as we can without your child getting too cold.

On October 5th we will be walking over to Ebenezer Christian Reformed Church and hanging out with the seniors there. We will sing, play games and read together. This will be our first time going but my hope is to connect our two groups together more often during this year. *There is a permission form up on Power School, please sign that as soon as possible.*

Special Days in September/October:

September 29-Orange Shirt Day (students can wear an orange shirt to school)

October 9-Thanksgiving No School

October 12-Individual and class pictures

October 19/20- Christian Teachers Convention-No School

<u>Special Helper Days</u>: on your child' special helper days you are invited to come into our class from 8:30 to 10:40. If you cannot make it please send me an email to let me know. On this day your child can bring in 1 special item for show and tell.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any concerns

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
	3-Conrad Changes in Fall Letter: h Math: numbers 1-5		5-Audrey Visit Seniors Letter: i Math: numbers 1-5	No School	6
	10 PD No School		12-Larkyn Picture Day Colours: Red	No School	13

	Letter: j Math: numbers 1-5	
17-Olivia Colours: Yellow Letter: review Math: numbers 1-5	No School Christian Teachers Convention	No School Christian Teachers Convention
24-Faith Colours: Blue Letter: k Math: numbers 1-5	26-Joash Colours: Green Letter:I Math: numbers 1-5	No School
31-Emilia Colours: Orange (Carve pumpkins) Letter: m Math: numbers 1-5	2-Jehiel Colours: Purple Letter: n Math: numbers 1-10	Colours: Rainbow Letter: o Math: numbers 1-10

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