October Class: Preprimary

| Solar System & Space  |  |  |                           |   |
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| Dates   | Montessori   | Circle Time  | Art                       | Letter of the Week/ Share<br>Day Friday   |
| Week 1<br>10/1 -10/5  | *Practical Life: Spooning small objects *Sensorial: Cylinders - red *Language: Sandpaper "e" *Math: Number rods *Science/Cultural: Sensory Box             | *Theme: Planets *Discussion: How many planets are there? *Circle Routine *Book: Fletcher & The Falling Leaves      | *Art: Fall Art            | *Letter of the Week: "e"  *Share Day: Fall object to contribute to Fall Mystery Bag             |
| Week 2<br>10/8-10/12<br>* 10/8 Columbus<br>Day<br>*Fire Safety Week | *Practical Life: Tongs  *Sensorial: Cylinders - green  *Language: Sandpaper "f"  *Math: Number rods with numerals  *Science/Cultural: Magnifying glass     | *Theme: Earth *Discussion: Layers of the Earth *Circle Routine *Book: Fletcher & The Falling Leaves                | *Art: Fire<br>Safety Week | *Letter of the Week: "f"  *Share Day: Favorite Book   |
| Week 3<br>10/15 – 10/19   | *Practical Life: Tweezers *Sensorial: Broad stairs *Language: Sandpaper "g" *Math: Sandpaper numbers *Science/Cultural: Hot vs. Cold                       | *Theme: Sun & Moon *Discussion: The Sun is a star *Circle Routine *Book: Fletcher & The Falling Leaves             | *Art: Spiders             | *Letter of the Week: "g"  *Share Day: Something that is shinny                                  |
| Week 4<br>10/22 – 10/26   | *Practical Life: Clothespins *Sensorial: Pink tower *Language: Sandpaper "h" *Math: Spindle box *Science/Cultural: Lifecycle of an Apple                   | *Theme: Astronaut *Discussion: What do Astronauts do? *Circle Routine *Book: Fletcher & The Falling Leaves         | *Art: Bats                | *Letter of the Week: "h"  *Share Day: A photo from Halloween past                               |
| Week 5<br>10/29 – 11/2<br>*10/31<br>Halloween                       | *Practical Life: Fruit sorting cards *Sensorial: Sound cylinders *Language: Review "a-h" *Math: Large bead frame *Science/Cultural: Lifecycle of a Pumpkin | *Theme: Space Shuttle *Discussion: Parts of the Space Shuttle *Circle Routine *Book: Fletcher & The Falling Leaves | *Art:<br>Halloween        | *Letter of the Week: Review "a-<br>h"<br>*Share Day: Something that<br>begins with e, f, g or h |

<sup>\*</sup>Each child has an individualized lesson plan in alignment with the Montessori Curriculum. This calendar represents an overview of concept that will be introduced over the month and may not reflect exact lessons for your child.