

# OCTOBER 2024

Building the Foundation for Growth



### AUTUMN MAGIC: SPARKING CREATIVITY THROUGH FAIRY TALES

As autumn sweeps in with its pumpkin patches and spooky delights, the air crackles with a sense of wonder and enchantment. This season, brimming with festive charm and mysterious allure, is the perfect backdrop for exploring the magical world of fairy tales. For children in out-of-school care, fall presents an exciting opportunity to dive into storytelling.

### LANGUAGE AND LITERACY DEVELOPMENT

Fairy tales are a rich source of language development. The spellbinding narratives and captivating characters engage young minds, expanding their vocabulary and enhancing their storytelling abilities. From the first "Once upon a time" to the thrilling conclusion, children practice forming sentences, structuring stories, and connecting ideas. By retelling classic tales or crafting their own, they strengthen their language skills in an imaginative and fun way.

## IMAGINATION AND CREATIVITY UNLEASHED

Autumn, with its eerie pumpkin... patches and the thrill of Halloween, is a perfect time to let creativity flourish. Children can weave their own magical tales inspired by the season's spooky and whimsical elements. They might create stories of enchanted pumpkins, mystical creatures lurking in the shadows, or daring quests in...

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**IMPORTANT DATES** 

MONDAY OCTOBER 14th: Thanksgiving: Center closed

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24th: Pumpkin Patch Arrival Day

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25th: Pro - D day, OSC available. No preschool classes

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31st: Halloween Party

### PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

PUMPKINS FALL THANKSGIVING FAIRY TALES HALLOWEEN

### REMINDERS

• TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1st: Orange Week Dress Up Day

• MONDAY, OCTOBER 7th: Yellow Week Dress Up Day

• TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15th: Red Week Dress Up Day

• MONDAY, OCTOBER 21st: Brown Week Dress Up Day

• REMINDER: If children are not attending daycare on any given day, please notify staff so that we know not to expect them.

• Please note, we are Nut free and low sugar facility. Please do not pack any nut or high sugar snacks, lunch, or drinks.

• Please have children prepare for the rain season! Make sure to label all gears (hat, rain boots, rain jackets!) with children's name as we have many similar ones.

• The monthly themes are Fall, Thanksgiving, Halloween, Fairy Tales and Pumpkins!

• Scholastic flyers have been sent through Himama.

Our class code is RC149292.

### ACTIVITIES FOR HOME AND AT SCHOOL



THANKSGIVING: A DAY OF THANKFULNESS

As Thanksgiving approaches with its cozy gatherings and autumnal charm, it's the perfect time to reflect on the spirit of gratitude.



DISCOVER FALL FUN ACTIVITIES WITH OUR BITAA ACTIVITY BOOK

You and your little ones will have a lot of fun exploring our BITAA Activity Book online. Check out all the exciting October activities available now!

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HAVE A GREAT AUTUMN AND HAPPY HALLOWEEN!

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