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# Teddy Bear Preschool LLC

GAZETTE

September / October 2018

## AUTUMN ARRIVING

Hello Teddy Bear families! It's been an awesome summer here at the preschool. Our graduates have moved on to kindergarten and we wish them all the best in their new school environments. A few have already come back to visit and shared their impressions of elementary school. We love seeing them and truly enjoy their visits!



Our garden is flourishing! The sunflowers are tall and bright. Our tomatoes are coming along, almost ripe, and will be ready to pick soon. We kept the pumpkin plants, which have flowered, and we should see tiny green pumpkins sprouting any day now!





## PUMPKIN PATCH PARTY

We provide a truly fun day on Halloween, as that's the day our Pumpkin Patch Party takes place! It's from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. on October 31, and all Teddy Bear students are invited. We have cookie decorating, mask making, games, and a pumpkin patch! Each child gets to choose a pumpkin of their very own. It's a volunteer opportunity for parents, so watch for the notice and volunteer sign-up on the entry counter in October. Our Pumpkin Patch Party is always a hit!

## SCHOOL PICTURE DAYS

We will be taking school photos on Tuesday and Wednesday, September 11 and 12. The photographer will be here from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. both days. If you would like a school photo, please bring your child in during those times. You will receive proofs a week or two later and can decide then whether to purchase the photos.

## HALLOWEEN

Halloween is an exciting holiday which can also be scary for small children. We will have fun art activities at school and plenty of opportunities to talk about children's favorite costumes. However, *please do not bring or wear any costumes to school.* Also, remember school policy of no candy packed in lunches. Thanks for your cooperation!





## SCHOOL LUNCH IDEAS

Do you stare into your fridge each morning? Do you look longingly into your cupboard, hoping to find something your child will eat? Do you wonder if your child's choices are nutritionally balanced? Help is here! The University of California Cooperative Extension, San Luis Obispo, provides some great information and sample lunch menus for parents of preschoolers in "The Lunch Box." Here's the link:

[cesanluisobispo.ucanr.edu/files/61331.pdf](https://cesanluisobispo.ucanr.edu/files/61331.pdf)

### MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

School will be closed for the following holidays:

Columbus Day - October 8

Veterans Day - November 12

Thanksgiving - November 22 and 23

Winter Break - December 24, 2018  
through January 1, 2019



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