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TRINITY GIFT GIVING

Each year we are granted the opportunity to make a foster child's holiday a little happier. Your family can help by choosing a child's name and providing them with a gift. This is an opportunity for your child to experience the Spirit of Giving. If you choose to participate, we strongly encourage you to involve your child in the process by discussing the reasons you are helping, as well as allowing them to choose the gift (depending on age). If you are interested in sponsoring a child, we will have several nametags with a child's name, age and desired gift printed on them in the hallway near the front door. Let us know which one you would like, and we will document it for our records.

We would like all contributions to be turned in by Wednesday, December 13th by 6pm.

Please do not wrap items, simply attach the child's name tag to the gift. – (gift bags and cards are okay) All gifts and donations received will benefit children placed in foster care. The children are placed in foster homes located in Los Angeles County and neighboring cities in Orange County.

This donation is tax deductible - Tax ID #95-2480624

Thank you for your support!



FUNDRAISERS AND DONATIONS

Thank you to all the families who were able to participate in the Cherrydale fundraiser. We raised \$1,515 for our school! Thank you all for the constant love and support!





CURRICULUM

The following areas of focus are common topics that may emerge this month: "Harvest Time," "What is a fruit? What is a Vegetable?," "Leaves," "Family," and "We are Thankful."

HOLIDAY PLANS

Please, let us know if you will be out of the center during any of the upcoming holidays, particularly November 20th, 21st, and 22nd, as well as December 18th – 22nd and Tuesday, January 2, 2024. Knowing how many children will be absent allows us to plan accordingly and staff may be able to get some vacation time as well.

DATES TO REMEMBER Spirit Day!

This month we will be having **Red** Day! This month's spirit day will be Thursday, November **9**th! on Children are invited to wear any red apparel!

School Closing Early

School will be closing at 4:00pm on Tuesday, November 14th for staff development. Please allow ample time prior to 4:00pm for parking and to take care of your and your child's personal needs, gathering of personal items, etc.

Scholastic Book Orders

Scholastic book orders are available by the entrance door and are due back on Friday, November 17th. Orders can be submitted online: www.scholastic.com/bookclubs

Online activation code is: GZX8D

Friendship Feast

The children will be enjoying a special lunch on Friday, November 17th. Each class will prepare a special dish for the feast. Sign-up sheets will be posted on your child's attendance binder. This event is for children only; however, children who are not enrolled on Fridays may attend the feast, if accompanied by an adult chaperone (immunizations required). Please let the teachers know if you plan to bring your child. No siblings please.



DAYS WE WILL BE CLOSED

- November Friday, 10th Veteran's Day
- Thursday, November 23rd Friday, November 24th Thanksgiving Holiday



LOOKING AHEAD

*Thursday, December 14th: School Closes at 4pm

*Thursday, December 14th: Book Exchange

*Friday, December 15th: Kids' Night Out!

*Monday, December 25th through Monday, January 1st: School Closed for Winter Break: We will re-open on Tuesday, January 2, 2024!