



Les Petits Soleils^{Inc.} Preschool

October News – Année 2C

Happy Thanksgiving and Happy Halloween! We have had a fantastic first few weeks with your children and have really enjoyed getting to know all of them. They are quickly settling into routines and are learning lots and having great fun together.

Please note that calendars and newsletters are posted on our website (listed below), should you misplace/delete your own copy.

Un petit rappel / Gentle Reminders

1. Please remove everyone's outdoor shoes when entering the school to help keep École Campbelltown clean.
2. Please remember to sign your child in and out each class on the clipboard outside the classroom.
3. Please remember to wash your child's cup, spoon and bag after every class.
4. Please be sure to empty out your child's mailbox of crafts and notes at the end of each day.
5. Please only send ONE object with your child for Show and Tell.
6. If you are interested, please sign up to volunteer for a day in the class.

Ce qu'on apprend / What we're learning

This month, we are learning about Thanksgiving and Halloween. The colour of the month is orange. September was spent teaching the children about our different centres and encouraging kind playing and sharing. We have been completing a craft and a colour activity each day to reinforce our learning of the monthly themes. This month, we are adding our teaching time to the day, where the teacher and aides will be taking small groups of kids and playing games and doing learning activities that relate to the theme. Be sure to ask your child about the games or activities that they did that day. Below is some of the vocabulary that we will be learning throughout the month.

Le mois d'octobre (the month of October):

Le thème: L'Action de Grâce / L'Halloween (Thanksgiving / Halloween)

- La dinde (turkey)
- La citrouille (pumpkin)
- Le chat noir (black cat)
- La sorcière (witch)
- La chauve-souris (bat)
- Le fantôme (ghost)
- Le bonbon (candy)
- Le monstre (monster)
- La maison hantée (haunted house)
- J'ai peur (I'm scared)

La couleur: orange (orange)

- Colour a picture only using orange.
- Can you see anything outside that is orange?
- What is orange at your house?

L'alphabet: Oo, Qq, Gg, Ss

Are any of these letters in your name?

- Can you write these letters?
- Look for these letters when you're out with your family.

Le centre de l'alphabet / Alphabet Centre

We have started our alphabet time, where we focus on one letter of the alphabet each week. In Année 2, we focus on both upper and lowercase letters. For each letter, we read a story about the letter, have an opportunity to try writing the letter (with support, if necessary) and colour pictures that begin with the letter. At the end of the year, students will take home their dictionary, featuring the year's alphabet colouring and writing. Each week, we will make letter colouring pages available, posted on our bulletin board.

La fête de l'Halloween / Halloween party

For the last class of the month, we will be holding a Halloween party. We invite all of our students and volunteer parents to come to school in costume, although it is not mandatory. Please ensure that your child's costume does not include a weapon or violent toy. During the party, the children will rotate through various Halloween activities, each supervised by an adult. For the party, we will need five parent volunteers per class in order to run all the stations. Please email us if you are interested in joining in the fun. In the past, parents have asked if they can bring treats for the children. If you wish to, please send enough for 20 children, however please do not send more than 20 treats and ensure they are nut-free, store bought and pre-packaged. Please also remember that treats do not need to be food!

Feuilles attachées / Attached sheets

Please find attached the calendar for October. Please note your child's Show-and-Tell day as well as your snack day and the required food group. We will post November's volunteer sign-up during the second week of October.

La musique / Music

We have had a few parents request to know the words for the songs that we learn every month. Starting this month, we will include the words for the songs that we have just finished learning. Please find the words for our September songs at the end of this newsletter. These will help you support and understand your child if they are singing at home. Due to copyright laws, we are unfortunately unable to provide a copy of the music for you.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact us. Merci!

Madame Kathryn, Madame Jill et Madame Lisa

Songs we learned in September

NETTOYEZ (Clean up song)

Nettoyez, nettoyez, c'est le temps de ramasser
Nettoyez, nettoyez, les amis doivent tous aider







BONJOUR (Hello song)

Bonjour les amis bonjour
Bonjour les amis bonjour
Bonjour les amis, bonjour les amis, bonjour les amis
Bonjour, Bonjour



AU REVOIR (Good bye song)

Au revoir les amis au revoir
Au revoir les amis au revoir
Au revoir les amis, au revoir les amis, au revoir les amis
Au revoir, au revoir















ALLONS AUX TOILETTES (Bathroom song)

Allons aux toilettes  , allons aux toilettes 
Maintenant, Maintenant
Mettez-vous en ligne  , mettez-vous en ligne 
Silencieusement  , silencieusement 


BONNE FÊTE (Happy Birthday)

Bonne fête  à toi, Bonne fête  à toi
Bonne fête, Bonne fête, Bonne fête à toi

TÊTE, ÉPAULES, GENOUX, ORTEILS (Head, shoulders, knees and toes)

Tête , épaules , genoux , orteils ,
Genoux , orteils , genoux , orteils ,
Tête , épaules , genoux , orteils ,
J'ai deux yeux , deux oreilles 

Une bouche 

Et puis un nez 

Tête , épaules , genoux , orteils 

LAVE LES MAINS (Handwashing song)

Voici comment on lave  les mains, 

Lave les mains , lave les mains 

Voici comment on lave les mains ,

Pour les nettoyer.

L'ALPHABET

ABCDEFG,

HIJKLMN,

OPQRSTU,

WXYZ,

Maintenant je les connais

Toutes les lettres de l'alphabet

C'EST L'AUTOMNE (sung to « Frère Jacques »)

C'est l'automne x2

Il fait froid x2

Regardons les feuilles x2 

1) elles volent x2

4) elles dansent x2


2) elles sautent x2

5) elles tombent x2


3) elles tournent x2

ABCDEF (another Alphabet song)

C'est facile de réciter son ABC
Il faut d'abord le répéter et recommencer
ABCDEF
GHIJKL
MNOPQR
STUVW
XYZ, c'est complet
Je connais bien l'alphabet

- 1) Je peux le répéter avec les yeux fermés 
- 2) Je peux le répéter avec le nez pincé
- 3) Je peux le répéter sans jamais m'arrêter

FEUILLE, FEUILLE (Leaves)

Feuille  feuille , jolie feuille 
Feuille  feuille  feuille  vole
Feuille  feuille  feuille  tombe
Jolie feuille  c'est l'automne 
C'est l'automne , on frissonne

- 1) Avec nos amis, on joue on rit
- 2) Avec nos amis, on cueille des fruits 