



Pied Piper Monthly Notes Tax ID- 13-3066772

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Welcome Back

We hope you had a wonderful and relaxing summer! We enjoyed a sun filled summer at Piper with lots of outdoor activities, the play "Lion King", laughter, new friendships and lots of fun!! It is always sad to see the summer come to an end, but we are SO excited to be starting a new school year. There is just something wonderful about the smell of new crayons, the look of new sneakers and all the excitement of our students that make the fall complete!

Pied Piper School is starting our **45th** year educating area children! It is our pleasure to spend another year with your children. Arrivals and dismissals for the first two weeks of school, will occur in a staggered manner as described below. All arrivals occur at the front entrance main gate with the exception of daycare and extended care students, which occurs in the lobby of the building. Each month, the monthly notes are placed in your child's folder but can also be viewed on the website. To receive emails from the school, subscribe to the email list on our website. Be sure to indicate what group your child is in to receive weekly updates concerning upcoming events as well as weather related closings or delays.

We are looking forward to seeing you all very soon!

Kathy, Max, Molly & Katie

****For Your Calendar****



Tuesday, September 5th- School Begins!!

AM/Full Day Arrival: 8:50am(A-L) 9:00am(M-Z)

****By Last Name**** PM Arrival: All arrive at 12:15pm

Daycare/Extended Arrival: Drop off at your normal time

*Reminder: ALL NEW AM or Full Day STUDENTS ARRIVE AT 9:15 AM so we can give those students individual attention at arrival. If your child is new to school, or is working on separation from parents, please plan to arrive early for dismissal at 11:35 (am only) and 2:50 (full day or pm only) respectively as this helps reduce anxiety during the dismissal process when grownups begin to arrive. This helps ensure all students have a positive experience through the transition and acclimation process.

Thursday, September 14th & Friday, September 15th- Rosh Hashanah Celebration: We will celebrate with apples and honey.

Wednesday, September 20th & Thursday, September 21st- Pre-K Fall Walk, to celebrate the start of the Fall season!



Monday, September 25th-Yom Kippur NO SCHOOL!

Pre-K Trip to Petsmart Wednesday 9/27 : The Pre-K class will be heading to Petsmart in the Cortlandt Town Center at **10 AM** to talk about pets and the importance of taking care of them. If any dates or times change we will let you know! ****Carpool deadline: Please email Katie (piedpiperschoolyorktown@gmail.com) by Friday 9/22/23 if your child will require alternate transportation/carpool arrangements.**

Thursday, September 28th & Friday, September 29th - Pre-K Pet Day: Pre-K students are welcome to bring in a live pet in a cage or on a leash in our front yard. Students can bring in stuffed animal pets as well. This event is based on the book "Sesame Street Pet Show". Please let us know in advance who will be joining us on our Pet Show Adventures. Email Katie at PiedPiperSchoolYorktown@gmail.com by Monday 9/25/23 to sign up for a spot. Thank you!

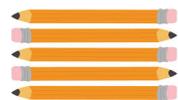
Supply Lists are uploaded to our website under the "Forms/Notes" sections and are also located in your WELCOME packet. If you have any questions about the supply lists please speak to Kathy or Max.

September Curriculum:

Pre-K's- school safety & school routine, names of family members, pet care, neighborhood, days of the week, upper-case letters a-z, numbers 1-10, reviewing colors & shapes, color of their family cars, changing seasons, Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur

Intermediates- School routine, primary colors, primary shapes, numbers 0-3, letters A, B, C, D, first names of classmates, family, fall harvest, Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur

Beginners- "my" name, "my" mommy, "my" daddy, "my" lunch box, "my" backpack, "my" teachers name, sharing & taking turns, numbers 1 & 2, color red, fall clothes



****There is a 'Show & Tell' opportunity each day in every group. Please be sure to write your child's name with a permanent marker on any toys brought in from home. Please note, not every child goes every day, but the option is available each day****

September Birthdays: Gabriella Colello 9/3, James Scarello 9/3, Wyatt Farrell 9/3, Kyle Collins 9/4, Dylan Clements 9/8, Joseph Lorenzo 9/11, Henry Curtis 9/14, Lily Moore 9/21, Nathan Silver 9/22, Sienna Olijarczyk 9/22, George Corti 9/26

September Songs: "I Go To Pied Piper and I'm Proud", "We're So Glad You're Here", "Everybody Goes To School", "Playmate Come Out & Play With Me", "Heads, Shoulders, Knees And Toes", "Let's Go Driving In The Car, Car", "Buckle Up For Safety", "Where Oh Where", "The More We Get Together", "Yonder Tree", "Wake Up Toes", "I Have A Little House", "We Are Family", "Apples & Honey", "If You're Happy & You Know It", "I Go To The Mountain", "Who You Gonna Call?", "How Much Is That Doggie?", "Together We Stand", "When You Ride In The Car", "Mommy's Come Back", "Kissing Hand"

****Our Fall Collection CD is available at the school with ALL the Pied Piper Fall songs you know and love! \$10 at the desk!****

Very Important: All current immunization and medical records must be handed in to Max prior to August 31st, 2023. This also includes the Day Care Enrollment (OCFS-0792) and Childcare Policy/Napping Agreement/Potassium Iodine Forms that were sent home in the Welcome packet. We are looking forward to a great 2023-2024 school year with both you and your children!!!



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