



### ENRICHMENT AND FOCUS

**Focus:** Emotions

**Language:** Monsters

**Letters:** E & I

**Numbers:** 2 & 3

**Shape:** Triangle

**Art:** Picasso – “Cubism/Movement in Art”

**Music:** African Beats/Drums

**Culture:** African Countries

### CURRICULUM NEEDS

COTTON BALLS

SAFETY GOGGLES OR GLASSES

SMALL HAMMERS

LARGE NAILS

YARN

STYROFOAM PIECES

PAPER PLATES

MEASURING CUPS AND SPOONS

DRIED BEANS AND PEAS

BALLOONS

LARGE RIGATONI NOODLES

BABY-WIPE CONTAINERS

WIGGLY EYES

EYE DROPPERS

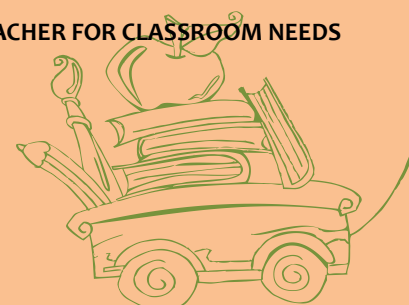
FELT

WINE CORKS

CANS (COFFEE, OATMEAL, PRINGLES) FOOD COLORING

THICK RUBBER BANDS

PLEASE SEE YOUR TEACHER FOR CLASSROOM NEEDS



*Ms. Debra and Reilly enjoying the sunshine*

### DIRECTOR'S CORNER

October is one of my favorite curriculum months. We will be learning about emotions and talking about feelings.

Our language activities and books are all about monsters, starting with the classic, Where the Wild Things Are.

We will continue our vowel sounds with E and I and practice writing and counting with the numbers 2 and 3.

Our classrooms will transform into African jungles and savannahs as we learn about the Countries in Africa.

In honor of Picasso's birthday month we will focus on some fun cubism-style art projects.

October is going to be a busy month!

- Ms. Elle



## Halloween Costume Parade Details

Halloween Day

Tuesday October 31

8:30-9:30am

Please bring your child dressed in their costume. Have a gallon sized zipper bag labeled with your child's name and extra clothes for them to change into after the parade. The costume will be placed in the labeled bag for safe keeping.

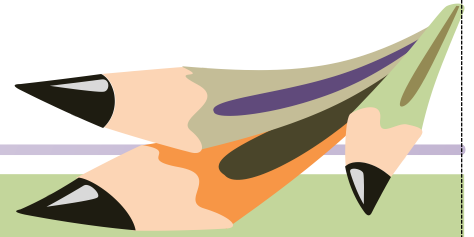
After breakfast, we will parade with each class to special "trick or treat" stops around the school.

During the month every class will be making bags to collect their goodies.

If you want to help we need Halloween Stickers, Toys, and Candy

If you or a family member would like to come for the parade,

Please let us know ahead of time.



*Marley is busy working during small group time*

## Reminders

The germs are out there...

Please practice handwashing and germ prevention at home and we will continue to double up on our sanitizing efforts!

As the weather starts to shift, make sure jackets are labeled and coming to school daily.

Every child needs Extra Clothes.

If you have any that you would like to donate to the classroom boxes please see your teacher.

