



**Miss Karen and Miss Anna**

It is hard to believe that we have already been at school for 5 weeks and October is here. Time flies when you are having fun and it has been a great start to our year in Room 1!

In September we were busy meeting new friends. We played name games to learn our friend's names and while we painted with marbles and at the easel we had to ask a friend to paint with us. This helped us learn to talk to someone new and how to cooperate with another person.

The month of October will be rich in science and math as we learn about trees, leaves apples and pumpkins. How they grow, and what their seeds look like.

We will:

color mix with red and yellow to make leaves for our hallway bulletin board.

Color and finger paint to make fall trees.

Measure pumpkins, weigh them and predict how many seeds inside before we open and scoop them out.

We will also learn about nocturnal animals.

### Literacy

Fall is Not Easy- Marty Kelly

Fall leaves flannel story

Pumpkin, Pumpkin-Jeanne Titherington

Big Pumpkin-Erica Silverman

Pumpkin Life Cycle

Pumpkin Jack-Will Hubbell

Five Little Pumpkins fingerplay

### Dates to Remember

Picture Day- Tuesday, Oct. 9<sup>th</sup>

Wednesday, Oct. 10<sup>th</sup>

Fall Fest- Log Cabin

M/W/F class- October 24<sup>th</sup>

T/TH class-October 25<sup>th</sup>

Details regarding log cabin will be sent home in a separate letter.

We have been working on recognizing our names in our class and talk about what letter our names start with. For show and share this month, can you please have your child find something at home that starts with the first letter of their name. They can bring this on October 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>

