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**MONTHLY GUIDELINES FOR OCTOBER 2017**

**CLASS-PRE PRIMARY**



Dear Parent

October is a very exuberant month in India. The monsoon rains has eased in most places and the festive season is in full swing. The festivals in October are among the popularly awaited ones in the country. The season ushers festivities that are both religious and social in nature marked by fun, enthusiasm and celebrations. Here are some of the most auspicious festivals that are observed in the month of October.

**Gandhi Jayanti (2nd October, 2017)**- This is celebration of birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, Father of the Nation. Several cultural programs are held all over the country in remembrance of the great man who led India's struggle for freedom and popularized the concept of ahimsa or non violence.

**Karva Chauth (October 8, 2017)** - This is a festival of the married women in India especially in North India where this is fervently observed. It starts with a daylong fast that is observed by women who apart from offering prayers also pamper themselves with mehndi patterns and music.



**Diwali Festival (19 October 2017)** - Diwali or Deepavali is one of the most prominent and famous Hindu festivals of India which is celebrated with great gusto and fervor. In Sanskrit, word 'Deepavali' means "rows of lights" or "Festival of Lights". Diwali festival starts with Dhanteras, followed by main Diwali. People of all religions enjoy this festival by making vibrant rangolis, lighting lamps 'diyas', distributing sweets, exchanging gifts between friends and relatives and burning crackers. This festival of lights transcends religion and is unanimously celebrated by Indians worldwide.

**Halloween (31 October ,2017)** It is celebrated worldwide annually on October ,31. It is the day before "All Saints Day , costume parties are held and many children go trick or treating around this time of the year.

Amidst these celebrations, we take immense pleasure in bringing the planner for the month of October to update you about the academics & upcoming activities:

## **ENGLISH LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT**

**Reference book:** \**Reader*-Alpha fun  
\**Rhyme Book*-Lilting Lyrics (B)

### **PLANNED ACTIVITIES-**

- \*Auditory recognition of sight words.
- \*Phonic drill of 3 and 4 letter words.
- \*Fill in the missing letter and complete the word.

### **LISTENING**

- \*Sentence formation and phonic story narration.
- \* Rhyming words recognition.
- \* Phonic understanding of 3-4 letter words

tap		pan	
can		cat	
bag		fan	

- READING -**
- \*Reading of 'i' vowel words
  - \*Revision of 'a' vowel words & sentences
  - \* Picture composition in the park (Pg no 100- Reader)

- WRITTEN -**
- \*Introduction of vowel 'i' **sound** words (it, in, id, ig, ip etc)
  - \*Written Practice of sentences
  - \*Introduction of "This/That"
  - \*Introduction of "One and many"

**SPEAKING -**

- \***Rhymes-** An Elephant walk  
Donkey Donkey
- \***Story-** Three little Pigs (Pg No. 102 Reader)

**SPEAKING ACTIVITY - DIWALI**

- Diwali is the festival of lights
- On this day, Lord Rama came back to Ayodhya after 14 years of exile.
- People decorate their homes with lamps, candles and rangoli.
- In the evening we worship Goddess Laxmi and Lord Ganesha.
- People exchange sweets and gifts with their relatives and friends.
- I like Diwali festival very much

**Thank you have a nice day !**

**LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT**

- Excuse me Ma'am, please help me in my work
- Ma'am I have completed my work
- I have lost my pencil / eraser
- May I borrow a pencil/ erase/sharpener?

**HINDI LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT**

- पाठ्य पुस्तिका :**
- \* Reader - शब्द सुमन
  - \* Workbook- (Vitamine-B)
  - \*Rhyme Book- Liltng Lyrics (B)

- कविताएँ :**
- \* एक चिड़िया के बच्चे चार
  - \* चंदा मामा

**पठन :** दो अक्षर वाले शब्द एवं वाक्य पठन

**लिखित :** \* घ,ढ,छ,ल,ह,च,ज,झ,श व्यंजनों का परिचय

- \* दो अक्षर वाले शब्द एवं वाक्य रचना

बस पर मत चढ़।

लव घर चल।

नल पर जल भर।

- \* रिक्त स्थान भरो

- \* शब्द पढ़कर चित्र बनाओ

- \*चित्र देख कर शब्द लिखो



THANK YOU

I'M SORRY

PLEASE

EXCUSE ME

नल पर जल भर । रथ पर घर चल ।  
फल छत पर रख । अब नए आम वख ।  
एक गऊ आई । छम छम मत कर ।  
सब कब आए । डर मत घर चल ।  
पत्र पढ़ कर जप कर । झट पट उठ  
कर जल भर । टन टन मत कर ।  
वह घर पर गए । अब चल । जप कर  
नल पर जल भर कर घर चल ।

### PLANNED ACTIVITIES

- \*Drawing pictures related to vayanjans / words.
- \*Discriminating sounds, vocabulary of vyanjans.
- \*Matching /fill in the blanks/circling the correct word related to the picture.
- \*Two letter words & sentence making.

### NUMBER WORK

#### **Reference Book: Number Book**

**Oral-** \*Pre Number Concept- More & Less

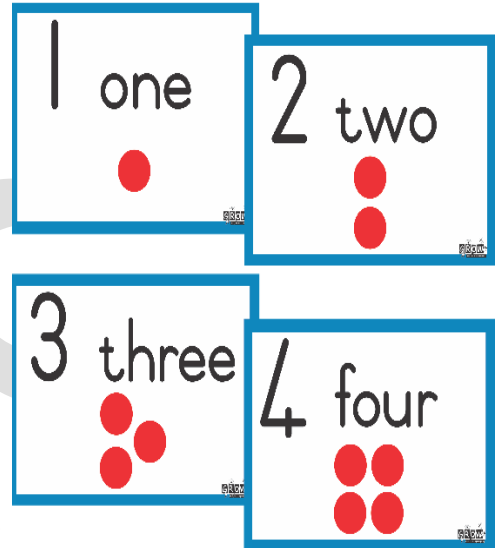
- \*Rote counting (1-80)
- \*Back Counting (40-1)
- \*Revision of After, Before, between numbers.

**Written:-** \*Forward counting 1-80

- \*Intro. of put the sign  $>$ ,  $<$ ,  $=$
- \*Intro. of number names 1, 2, 3.
- \*Revision of After, Before and Between Numbers (1-40)
- \* Backward Counting 40-1

### ACTIVITIES RELATED TO NUMERICAL CONCEPTS

- \*Counting with beads.
- \*Smartboard , modules ,Imagination, play related to Pre Number Concepts
- \*Enhancing numerical value with the help of concrete objects and ice cream sticks.



### ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

**Reference Book:** - Oxford World E.V.S.

**Concepts:-** \*Animals and Birds

**PLANNED ACTIVITIES:-** \* Discussion, colouring , matching,

- \* Drawing of Water, Land animals and Birds.
- \*Animal sticker pasting at the right habitat.

**KNOWLEDGE CORNER-** Experiment-Soluble & Insoluble

**PROJECT-** Diya Decoration



### Animals their homes , babies and food

ANIMALS	HOMES	BABIES	FOOD
Dog	Kennel	Puppy	Bone
Rabbit	Hutch	Bunny	Carrot
Elephant	Jungle	Calf	Sugarcane
Sheep	Barn	Lamb	Grass
Hen	Coop	Chick	Grass
Cat	Basket	Kitten	Milk



## GENERAL AWARENESS QUESTIONNAIRE

Q1. Which is the largest mammal of the world?

Ans. Whale is the largest mammal of the world

Q2. Which is the fastest land animal?

Ans. Cheetah is the fastest land animal.

Q3. Which was the first animal to go into space ?

Ans. Dog was the first animal to go into space.

Q4. Where do we find snow leopards found ?

Ans. Snow leopards are found in the himalays.

Q5. Which is the largest bird on Earth?

Ans. Ostrich is the largest bird on Earth.

Q6. Which is the smallest bird?

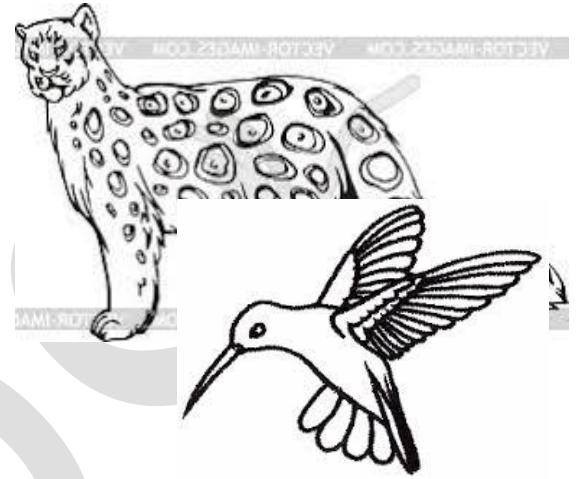
Ans. Humming Bird is the smallest bird.

Q7. Which bird can fly backwards?

Ans. Humming bird can fly backwards.

Q8. Which bird is called the lazy bird?

Ans. Cuckoo bird is called the lazy bird.



## CIRCLE TIME & GROUP DISCUSSION

**TOPICS:** \* Eco friendly Diwali  
\* Safety from crackers

**ACTIVITIES:** \* Discussion, Talk, Spcecial Assembly

## PRETEND PLAY

Pretend play is a fun way to learn about the world around us. This month children would love to learn about the place known as “ BANK”. The bank is a place where people come to either deposit or withdraw money from their account, get money transferred, keep jewelry safe in locker.

### Pre Learning Discussion

Q What is a Bank?

Q Have you ever seen a Bank?

Q Have you ever been to a Bank?

Q What do you know about a Bank?

## LEARNING OBJECTIVES UNDER INTEGRATED APPROACH:

### Language Skills Development

- Children will learn new vocabulary , their usage in communication & interaction

### Communication Skills Development

-Children will be able to learn to communicate their requirement, express, interact with new individuals without hesitation.

### Mathematical Skills Development

-Children will learn to count, add, subtract money while depositing, withdrawing from Bank/ ATM. . They will learn various denomination of the currency



## Social Skills Development

- Children will learn to socialize ,work with Bank personel's. Care and share, develop relationship and get along in a world of people.

## Creativity and imagination

- Children will express their creativity in communication , imagine the bank , people , working and attempt enactment & hands on activity.

## General Awareness

-Children will get to know that we keep our money and valuables safe at bank , can transfer money, get smart card , loan, etc.. from bank

## Planned Activities:

- \*PPT presentation / animation
- \* Discussion on topic
- \* Related Role play and activities
- \*Worksheet

## INTERNATIONALISM IN CURRICULUM

Internationalism has led to major changes in the field of education, benefitting both students & society. It promotes a trend of global brotherhood & peace. It is a comprehensive approach of education that prepares students for an international platform.

### **COUNTRY IN FOCUS: AUSTRALIA**

Australia is considered to be the largest island in the world. This month students will be exploring the country and its rich culture through various planned activities:

- Introduction through power point presentation
- Pasting of stars in the flag of Australia
- Worksheets National Symbols of Australia
- Kangaroo race
- Comparison of countries and their distinct features- India & Australia.
- Integrated Class activities for better understanding of the country through Observation, Discussion, Exploration, Music, Culture etc.



## QUESTIONNAIR FOR GENERAL AWARENESS

**Q1.** Which is the largest island in the world?

**Ans.** Australia is the largest island in the world.

**Q2.** Which is the National animal of Australia?

**Ans.** Kangaroo is the National animal of Australia.

**Q3.** What is the National sports of Australia?

**Ans.** Cricket is the National sports of Australia.

**Q4.** Which is the National bird of Australia?

**Ans.** Emu is the National bird of Australia.

**Q5.** Name the currency of Australia?

**Ans** Australian Dollar is the currency of Australia.

**Q6.** Name the National flower of Australia?

**Ans.** Golden Wattle is the National Flower of Australia.



## CREATIVE ACTIVITIES

**Reference Book:** - \* Art and Craft (B)

\*Sketch File

**Art Activities:** \*Coloring in Puppies, Colourful Home , Colourful Costumes.(Pgs 25, 27)

\*Free hand drawing of Diwali Scene

\* Toffee wrapper pasting in a jar (Pg. No. 20)

\*Plastic Glass Octopus

**Craft Activities** \*Clay Moulding- Snail

\*Origami Fish

**Sketch File:** \* Pasting of Gandhi Jayanti newspaper clipping



## PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

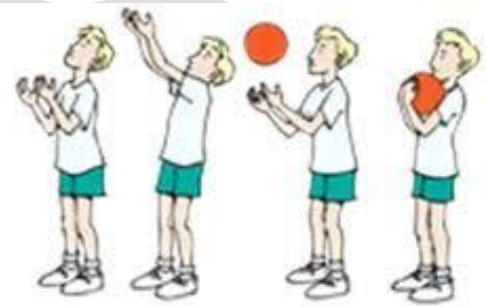
**PEC ACTIVITIES** - \* Rolling at large targets(Card 11)

\*Throwing and Catching (Card 12)

## COMPUTER

**Theory-** \*Keyboard and functioning of different Keys.

**Hands on work-** \* Able to draw shapes



## MUSIC

- All things bright and beautiful (English Song)

## DANCE

- Dance steps on Diwali Song.

## INTERLECTUAL DEVELOPMENT THROUGH COGNITIVE ACTIVITIES

\*Identify & discriminate shapes & colour

\* Identify voices of animals

\*Sorting/Sequencing

## VALUE EDUCATION

\*Celebrate Eco Friendly Diwali

\*Never hurt animals

## DEVELOPING GOOD HABITS

\* Wash hands before and after meals

\*Keep water bowls and grains for birds

## LEARNING LIFE SKILLS

\*Effective communication

\*Self-awareness

## SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

\*Help to clean and decorate your house

\*Wishing Happy Diwali to everyone.



## DIET CHART

Day	Menu
Monday	Moms choice
Tuesday	Paneer Dish
Wednesday	Brown Bread Day
Thursday	Green Vegetable Day
Friday	Kids Choice



**Request:** Parents are requested to follow the diet chart to ensure healthy growth of the child.

## IMPORTANT ACTIVITY DATES

DATE	ACTIVITY	BRIEF/ REQUIREMENTS
3.10.17	Activity on Gandhi Jayanti	Newspaper Activity in Sketch File
4.10.17	Origami Work	Paper Diya Craft Activity
6.10.17	Pretend Play	Topic of Discussion: Bank
9.10.17	Experimental Activity	Soluble and Insoluble objects. Practical Experience
11.10.17	Sports Club	Hopscotch
12.10.17	Craft Activity	Diwali Toran
13.10.17	Clay Moulding	Turtle
16.10.17	Intra Class G.K. Quiz	Teacher will divide her class into three teams and will ask G.K questions. Two best performers will represent Class on 25/10/17
17.10.17	Speaking Activity	Topic: Diwali *Student will be encouraged to speak on Diwali Festival (refer Pg 2)
23.10.17	Internationalism in Curriculum	Country Australia *Special Assembly and Craft Activity
24.10.17	Origami Competition	Clowns Cap, Bird & Paper Diya (any one)
25.10.17	Inter Class G.K.Quiz	*Two students per class will represent the class in the G.K I/C Quiz
30.10.17	Halloween Day Celebration	Students to come dressed in Halloween Fancy Dress and makeup for the celebration. Best entries will be rewarded.
31.10.17	Cuisine Special	Milkmaid Marie Ladoos Students will be informed prior to bring any one ingredient

### HOLIDAYS:

\*2<sup>nd</sup> October 2017 – Gandhi Jayanti

\* 5<sup>th</sup> October 2017- Valmiki Jayanti

\***Diwali break** is from 19<sup>th</sup> October to 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2017. School will reopen on 23/10/17.

Looking forward for your participation in making this month activities fun filled and successful.

Wish you and your family a very prosperous, enlightening and pollution free Deepawali.

Regards



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# ENGLISH LANGUAGE- READING SHEET

it	ip	ib	in	id	ig	all
pit	sip	bib	tin	hid	rig	bill
sit	zip	rib	bin	bid	fig	hill
nit	lip	nib	fin	lid	big	will
fit	tip		pin	kid	dig	fill
hit	hip		win	did	pig	mill
lit				mid	wig	kill
kit						pill
bit						

## SENTENCES

a big pit  
a pig and a wig  
a bib and a nib  
a fig and a lip  
a cat hit a lid

