

FALL 2019

The Academy at Westwood



Happy Fall Academy Families! We are so excited to kick off the 2019-2020 school year with all of you. This summer was SO busy with children changing classrooms and wonderful new teachers joining our team! We also had several stupendous water days and so much other summer fun. Now let's keep the energy going into the school year...Read ahead for more news about our school:

Soccer Shots: Our Fall season kicks off on Friday, **September 6!** The session is 12 weeks ending on Friday, November 22. Soccer Shots is a great way to introduce a team sport to your child and build on their social skills! For more information, grab a flier from our information board near the front desk.

Tot Pot: Farm-fresh, all natural ingredients, and delicious food—delivered right to the school! Order your child a hot lunch through Tot Pot. No commitment is required, you can order for the whole month or just a couple of days. Head to the front desk for more information about this incredible lunch program!

Parent-Teacher Night: We are inviting all parents/guardians to a parent-teacher night on Monday, **September 30**, from 5:30-6:15pm. This is a great opportunity for you to get to know your child's teachers and the classroom routines that will go on every day!

Picture Days: Lifetouch Preschool Portraits will be here on **October 17 & 18** for school pictures. More details will follow as the dates get closer.

Developmental Assessments: Our teachers will be working on each child's developmental assessment this fall. This is just the initial assessment to gauge where each child is at and we will do secondary evaluations, along with parent-teacher conferences, in the Spring! Fall assessments will be given to families right before the Thanksgiving break.

Fall Family Carnival: Woohoo! It's our annual Fall Family Carnival on Thursday, **October 24!** The event will be held in our parking lot from 6:00-7:00pm. We will have games, a photo booth, face painting and balloon animals! There will be a pot-luck too; the sign up will be located at the front desk closer to the date. We hope to see all our families there!

Fish Feeder: Each day we will randomly select a child from the school to help us feed the fish that day! We promise that every child will get a turn, and the selection process will be completely random! We will talk about what the fish eat, and they will get a first hand look inside our fish tank.

Classroom Information: Find out about all the events going on in your classroom using the parent boards! Located in every classroom near the cubbies or sign-in sheets. You can also look online at brighthorizons.com/academy-westwood.

Signing In & Out: Any parent or guardian that picks up or drops off their child **MUST SIGN IN/OUT!**

Families at The Academy, thank you for everything you do to help this school be the happy, safe, fun, nurturing place that we all love! Please don't ever hesitate to reach out to us with any questions, suggestions, comments or concerns. And we hope you all have a wonderful year ahead!

IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

- *Our school is NUT FREE!
- *Please wash hands upon entering your classroom each day
- *Tuition is due on the 1st of each month
- *September 2- SCHOOL CLOSED
- *November 11- SCHOOL CLOSED
- *November 27-29- SCHOOL CLOSED
- *December 20-January 3- SCHOOL CLOSED

Parent/Toddler Class: 10 week session for 16-24 month olds, Tuesdays OR Wednesdays, 9:00-10:30
Fall 2019 September 17 - November 20
Winter 2020 January 13 - March 20

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