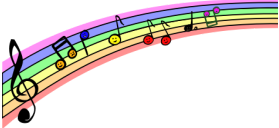




# November Specials Newsletter

## Educating the whole child through Music, Physical Education and Visual Arts

### What's Happening in....

Music	P.E.	Art
		
<p><b>Kindergarten-</b> We are learning to move to music, as well as basic instrument playing</p> <p><b>1st Grade-</b>We are learning quarter note, quarter rest, and eighth notes. We are also learning about the orchestra instruments through “Peter and the Wolf.”</p> <p><b>2nd Grade-</b>We are learning and exploring ostinato, which is a short repeating pattern.</p> <p><b>3rd Grade-</b>We are learning 16th notes, as well as playing with layering parts in music</p> <p><b>4th Grade–</b>We have been singing 3-part rounds</p> <p><b>5th Grade–</b>We have been playing various pieces of music with multiple layered parts.</p>	<p><b>K-2nd -</b> We are continuing to learn to move creatively through space. Now it is time to add more locomotor movements! This month we will also be learning how to strike with fun balloon activities.</p> <p><b>3-5th Grade -</b> We will be wrapping up our hockey unit and then heading into a striking unit in which we'll play the fun games Table Ball and Nitro Ball. Our older students will also be participating in fitness testing so that they can determine their current level of fitness and set personalized goals.</p>	<p><b>Kindergarten-</b> We are exploring the element of line and shape through a variety of mixed media activities.</p> <p><b>1st Grade-</b> We are exploring the Elements of Art through a fun monster unit and learning drawing techniques in a monster sketchbook.</p> <p><b>2nd Grade-</b> We are learning mirror image symmetry as we learn to draw a variety of insects.</p> <p><b>3rd Grade-</b> We are learning about radial symmetry as we design unique flowers.</p> <p><b>4th Grade-</b> We have been exploring drawing techniques using mythical creatures as our subject matter.</p> <p><b>5th Grade-</b> We are learning how to sew as we design and create fun monster dolls.</p>