

NJJS ESL NEWSLETTER

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メイプル祭が近づいています。校内にも本番に向けて練習に励む声が響き、学校が活気にあふれています。本番をぜひ楽しみにしていただけたいと思います。今月の NJJS NEWSLETTER では、9月の学習状況と10月の学習内容についてお伝えします。

GRADES 1-3



Nancy

Welcome to fall! We are learning about fall and completing many activities related to the season. We have also been working hard learning the letters and their sounds. Your children are doing a wonderful job! Please take every opportunity to read in English to your child or look at letters on everyday items, such as mail, street signs, and cereal boxes. This will help them to learn the letter names and their sounds.

In September we:

- reviewed students' phone number and address.
- learned about apples.
- wrote a story about Johnny Appleseed.
- completed fall activities.
- played ABC Bingo.

In October we will:

- complete an activity related to Columbus Day.
- continue learning about fall.
- practice for the Maple Festival.
- learn about the farm.
- complete activities related to Halloween.
- carve pumpkins.



Sandra

What a great job the students are doing with their weekly spelling tests. I am so proud of how well they are staying organized and remembering to get tests signed and keeping up with weekly assignments. If there are any questions or concerns, or if there is something that your child does not understand, you can always send a note in your child's folder. Thanks again for all of your cooperation.

In September we:

- Continued with our weekly conversation practice
- Continued with our daily read aloud
- Introduced new fall words
- Continued with journal writing focusing on much more complex sentences, emphasizing the importance of punctuation and grammar
- Introduced many new songs
- Continued to create new words using our word wall

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learned new vocabulary associated with the farm, and some pumpkin carving terms • Continued to have Library day on Fridays <p>In October we will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continue with our weekly spelling tests and learn how to use new words in sentences • Continue with word wall and creating new words • Practice using new words in sentences • Continue to write in their journals • Practice conversation • Have daily read aloud and learn new songs • Practice writing fall words in sentences
<h2>Robin</h2>	<p>We had some great conversations and some laughs reading <i>Aliens for Breakfast</i>. The class did a great job reading the book and completing various assignments. We also learned a lot of new vocabulary with this book. The class enjoyed watching the video of <i>Aliens for Breakfast</i>. I am very happy with the daily completion of homework and reading this month. Keep up the great work!</p> <p>In September we:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • read the book <i>Aliens for Breakfast</i>. • completed journal entries, vocabulary, “wh” questions, and summaries relating to the book. • read poems about fall. • wrote poems about fall. • read and answered questions about Labor Day. • reviewed synonyms and antonyms. <p>In October we will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • read and compare two different fables. • review present tense. • read and write about Christopher Columbus. • carve pumpkins.

