

November 2024 Edition

Bloomcast

Keeping you up to date with what's happening in the classroom.



Thankful Feast

We are EXCITED to share that our Thankful Feast from around the world is coming this month. This is our largest family event of the year! Parents, siblings, and grandparents are invited to join each student for a Thanksgiving lunch in Heritage Hall. We look forward to this event as it brings all of the families together to connect over a meal. The children will be working on the décor for the tables and walls. Our talented kitchen team will be incorporating a few new dishes to the menu this year. These dishes come from our recipes from families at Bloom. Mark your calendar for Wednesday, November 27th at 11:00. We will post a sign up on the parent desk shortly. We look forward to getting time to come together as one big Bloom family! Thank you for being a part of the community that makes Bloom so special!

Partnership with Wayzata School District

Bloom's model partners with pillars in our community to provide a collaborative and well rounded program for our kiddos, staff, and families. We are excited to share a few of the ways we are currently connecting with the Wayzata School District.

We are partnering with the Wayzata School District (WPS) Outreach Co-Teacher. The Early Learning Outreach Co-teacher brings early childhood practices from WPS to community partners. The Outreach Co-Teacher Megan Pennington will be joining us in partnership around initiatives that ensure we are providing the highest quality early learning education to our students. Megan will be bringing The Pyramid Model, The Classroom Engagement Model, Culturally Responsive Practices, Restorative Practices, Asset Framing, and other practices and strategies to our program. We are excited to welcome Megan and look forward to her being present in our program throughout the school year.

Bloom will also host Tori Lee, one of Wayzata's Early Childhood Screeners. She will facilitate Early Childhood Screenings for families with children over the age of three. Families can also make an appointment to complete the screening if they would like to be present for the process. Early childhood screenings are required for all children and are encouraged to happen at the age of three. This year's screening dates are November 14th and November 21st. The Preschool classroom will have a sign up soon. Once families sign up, the district will send over the required paperwork to complete this process.

Bloom Closed November 28th & 29th

Bloom will be closed Thursday, November 28th and Friday, November 29th for Thanksgiving Day and the day after Thanksgiving. We hope that you and your family can enjoy a long weekend together! Make sure your family stops at the Totes for Hope shelf to stock up for the long weekend's needs.

Conferences

The classrooms each have time in the month of November for parent teacher conferences. The Pre-k classrooms is at the beginning of December. This is a great opportunity to connect with the teaching staff on happenings throughout the day, and collaborate upcoming goals and skills that will be practiced by your little one. Classrooms have started the conference process by handing out the pre-conference questionnaire. Please make sure you fill out the preconference questionnaire for the teacher to prepare any items or tools asked for supports. This is also a great touch point to ensure that families are registered with the school district they live in, and our 3-5 year old's have completed their early childhood screening. Please keep an eye out for the pre-conference questionnaire, and the conference sign up sheets for your little one. If you have any questions about the conference process, please reach out to your child's classroom team. Thank you for partnering with us through your little ones early years. We value this opportunity to come together and build new goals.

Celebrating Birthdays & Anniversaries

Our Birthday celebration shoutouts go to Ms. Nishi, and Ms. Taylan! We wish you a day filled with joy, smiles, and well wishes!

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November 28th: Thanksgiving Day
November 29th: Day after Thanksgiving Day
Christmas Eve through New Year's Day
(December 24th-January 1st)

Bloom is always accepting donations of plastic bags. These bags are used daily. Please drop them in the office, or leave them with your child's teacher.



Have a wonderful day!

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