

PEP SCHOOL NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER ~ 2026

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Themes: Fall/Thankful, Thanksgiving, Christmas

NO SCHOOL
November 11 ~ Veterans' Day Observance
November 23 - 27 ~ Thanksgiving Vacation

"Letter of the Week" (MWF class)

November 2: Letter D
November 9: Letter E
November 16: Letter F
November 30: Letter G

Each week we will introduce a new "Letter of the Week" in our MWF class. Letter Day will be on Monday each week. Please encourage your child to bring one item from home on letter day to share with the class. Example: Letter B, button, boy, box, bird, balloon, etc. This is a very important developmental exercise that will help in developing pre-reading skills for your child. We encourage you to post your letter sharing to our Facebook page. Please help your child remember: "*Letter Day is Monday.*"

Important Notice for Parents:

If your child is not signed in or out of PEP School, you will receive a phone call to return that day to do so. State licensing requires that all children be signed in and out on the day they attend, and we are subject to a fine for incomplete sign-in/sign-out sheets and we will have to pass that charge on to you. Thank you for your cooperation.

Clothing:

Please send your child to school in WASHABLE CLOTHING. Your child's work at school is "PLAY." There are many sensory experiences available to your child daily: painting—sand—flour—corn meal—goop—mud—glue—paste, etc. We want your child to feel at ease participating in all areas of preschool without the worry of "getting dirty." Although we provide paint smocks for children for some of our "messiest" projects, we cannot be sure that various art medium will not get on them! Please keep this in mind when dressing your child to come to PEP. Please remember to put names on coats, sweaters, jackets and backpacks or teachers may label them for you.

Folders:

Keep in mind that your child's PEP School folder is for the distribution of PEP School information, student's art, etc. Please do not distribute announcements, advertisements, etc. via these folders. Thank You!



Thanksgiving Feast Menu:
Chicken Nuggets
Mini Carrots & Ranch Dip
Milk

Feast days are Thursday, November 19 for the Tuesday/Thursday class and Friday, November 20 for the Monday/Wednesday/Friday class. The children will be making headbands to wear during their feast.

Snack:

Give Thanks
(sung to the tune of "Kum Ba Yah")
For our food, O Lord, we give thanks.
For our homes, O Lord, we give thanks.
For our families, we give thanks.
O, Lord, we give thanks.
For our friends, O Lord, we give thanks.
For our earth, O Lord, we give thaks.
For each night and day, we give thanks.
O, Lord, we give thanks.
-Marie Senften

This is the prayer that we sing with our PEP students at snack time. It takes them no time at all to learn it and hopefully you can share it with your family.

Only those children scheduled to bring snack will receive the snack calendar with their name highlighted.

Coming in December:

December 17 – T/Th class Christmas Program, 10:30 a.m. Please be aware that children will be dismissed to their parents about 10:45. No Lunch Bunch.
December 18 - MWF class Christmas Program, 10:30 a.m. Please be aware that children will be dismissed to their parents about 10:45. No Lunch Bunch
December 21 – Jan 1: Christmas break.

facebook and Instagram

PEP facebook page is under CPC PEP School current class 2026/2027. Please request to join this group. It is private for currently enrolled families only. It's another way we can communicate with you. PEP School also has an Instagram account which can be found at PEP School.

Community Presbyterian Church (CPC) News

We would like to invite you to join us for worship on Sunday mornings:
Our 10:00 service includes a children's message, after which the children go to Sunday School.

November at a Glance
Tu/Th Class

19: Thanksgiving Feast
23 - 27: No school - Thanksgiving break

November at a Glance
M/W/F Class

Every Monday is Letter Day

2: Letter D day
9: Letter E day
11: No school – Veteran's Day
16: Letter F day
20: Thanksgiving Feast
23 - 27: No school - Thanksgiving break
30: Letter G day