



Lil' Saints Letter

Queen of All Saints School
October 31, 2024



Curriculum Focus

- Current Project:
Social Emotional Learning:
Body awareness
- Focus Concepts:
Letter E
Number 4

Upcoming Dates

11/1 No School, All Saints Day/Dia De Los Muertos
11/8 No school, Teacher-In-Service Day
11/11 No school, Veterans Day
11/13 Make-up Picture Day
11/14 [Drawing God Day](#) 11/17 Family Mass
11/18 Mia's B-day 11/20 Amara's B-day
11/19-24 Double Good Popcorn Fundraiser
11/22 Evac Drill: 12pm Dismissal (No ECP)
11/25-29 Break 11/28-29 Bianca/Via Bday



Curriculum Implementation



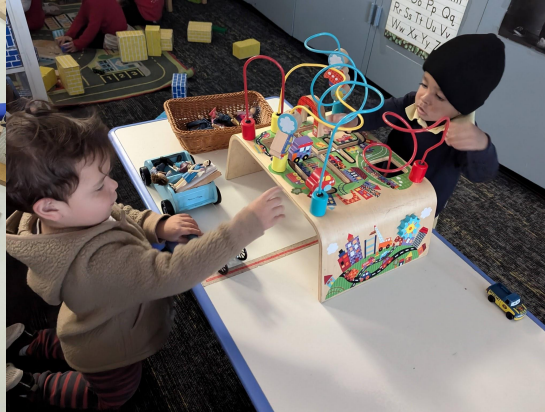
Dear Little Saints, This week socio-emotional learning was at the center of our learning. The song ["Stop and Think"](#) was introduced. This song emphasized the importance of pause in order to take notice and become aware of self as alternative to acting on impulse. In order to make this lesson developmentally appropriate we began with quiet signals of stopping with our hands and freezing our bodies to take a deep breath in and out. For the thinking portion of this practice, we placed a thinking finger (index) on our temple and tapped it, another we tapped on our chins. The main focus is to interrupt the impulse to use physical means to communicate by pausing to breathe coupled with a movement of tapping. In the weeks ahead we will dive deeper on how to use our words to let others know what we need followed by what we can do at school when others do not listen to our message.

The Caterpillars concluded their month of small group lessons, learning about the color red and all of the wonderful parts of a fire truck. In celebration of Halloween, we traced pumpkins. Pumpkins are round, like circles. We did one final scavenger hunt across campus exploring various circles (some big and some small). We also worked on our language development by identifying halloween costumes that our friends were wearing, along with lots of fun games. We are excited to have a new color focus for November. -Ms. Kilpatrick















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