



# The Montessori School of Washington

Curriculum Themes 2012-2013

## September 2012 ~ The Beginning

Focus: Numbers 1-3 (Toddlers), 1-10 (Pre-K)

Letters: Aa - Cc

- Classroom Rules and Routines, Getting to know each other.
- Giving a helping hand
- Primary colors / Secondary colors

## October 2012 ~ I Like Me!

Focus: Numbers: 4-6 (Toddlers), 11-15 (Pre-K)

Letters: Dd - Gg

- My Five Senses (Touch, Hearing, Taste, Sight, Smell)
- Basic Shapes / Geometric Shapes
- Self-Image / Body Parts
- Review
- \* October 8- No School
- \* Field Trip-Butlers orchard
- \* Halloween

## November 2012 ~ Yummy For My Tummy!

Focus: Numbers: 7-9 (Toddlers), 16-20 (Pre-K)

Letters: Hh - Kk

- Food Pyramid
- Vegetables/ Fruit
- What I am Thankful For/ Thanksgiving
- Review
- \* November 12- No School
- \* November 22&23- No School
- \* Field Trip- Grocery store
- \* Canned goods donation box

## December 2012 ~ Cultural Awareness

Focus: Numbers: 10-12 (Toddlers), 21-25 (Pre-K)

Letters: Ll- Nn

- Cultures around the World, (My Family, homes/houses)
- Holidays around the world
- Holiday crafts
- \* Parent Teacher Meeting
- \* Winter Break

### **January 2013~ Planes, Trains and Boats!**

Focus: Numbers: 13-15 (Toddlers), 26-30 (Pre-K)

Letters: Oo-Rr

- Air Transportation
- Land Transportation
- Water Transportation
- Review

\*January 21- No School

\* Field Trip - Air Sea and Space Museum

### **February 2013~ Animals: Where They Live**

Focus: Numbers: 16-20 (Toddlers), 31-40 (Pre-K)

Letters: Ss- Vv

- Land Animals
- Air Animals
- Water Life/Animals
- Dinosaurs

\*Valentine's Day

\*February 18 - No School

\*Petting Zoo

### **March 2013~ Staying Safe**

Focus: Numbers: 1-20 (Toddlers), 1-40 (Pre-K)

Letters: Ww- Zz

- Community Workers
- Traffic Safety
- Fire Safety
- Outdoor/Indoor Safety

\*Field Trip- Police Station

\*Parent Teacher Meeting

### **April 2013 ~ As the World Turns!**

- Solar system
- Spring break
- Earth's Layers
- Rocks and minerals
- Review

### **May2013 ~ Spring Is In The Air!**

- Insects
- Plants & Flowers
- Say Goodbye!