



Smart Start Academy



NEWSLETTER

October | 2025

Monthly Focus

Theme: Falling into Autumn/Leaves and Trees/Around the Farm/All About Apples/Pumpkin Fest/Halloween!

Letters:

A (i/w), A&B (t), A-C Sounds (p/p)

A-E Sounds/Recognition (p4)

Rhyming: -ay (hay/day) (p4)

Numbers:

1 (i/w), 1&2 (t), 1-3 value (p/p), 1-5 value (p4)

Shapes:

Circle (i/w/t), Circle/Triangle (p/p/p4)

Fine/Gross Motor:

Hand/eye coordination (i/w)

Stacking/jumping/self spoon feeding (t)

Tracing/coloring/lacing (p/p/p4)

Sign Lang: More/All Done

Spanish: Autumn(Otoño)/Farm(Granja)

- i/w = infant/waddler
- t = toddler
- p/p = preschool/prek
- p4 = Prek 4

PICTURE DAY REMINDERS

We work with LifeTouch, who will provide printed proofs to be sent home. Please don't lose the proof, as it contains a unique code needed to order your child's pictures. Photos will be available online within 24-48 hours for ordering. Orders will be delivered to the school, and we'll notify you when they arrive.

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Our social media is a great way to keep informed! stay up to date with pictures, events, and other information daily.

Important Dates

- 7th | SSA Palisade Campuses Picture Day
- 10th | SSA Central Picture Day
- 13th | SSA Closed (Columbus Day)
- 15th | SSA Hoboken Picture Day
- 17th | SSA Jersey Picture Day
- 26th | November Tuition Due
- 28th | SSA Newark Ave Picture Day

HALLO-WEEK!

10/27: National Pumpkin Day
Wear Orange & Black!

10/28: T-Shirt Tuesday
Wear a Halloween themed shirt!

10/29: Witch/Wizard Wednesday
Wear a Witch or Wizard Hat!

10/30: Spooky Comfy Thursday
Wear spooky pajamas!

10/31: Happy Halloween!
Wear your Halloween costume!

Employee Acknowledgement

- Ms. Tina M. - Lumber House
- Ms. Belinda S. - Palisade Square
- Ms. Kiomara P. - Central Ave
- Ms. Emily C. - Hoboken
- Ms. Lauren P. - Express
- Ms. Asha S. - Newark Ave
- Ms. Yolanda F. - Jersey Ave

