# PRESCHOOL PRESS

# ANOKA-HENNEPIN SCHOOLS **PRESCHOOL**

<u>Preschool Site/Date</u>: SEC Room 209 / November <u>Classroom phone</u>: 763-433-4850 <u>Teachers Names:</u> Amber Reisetter & Jami Fenton

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Nov. 4: Begin Community Helpers Study Nov. 5: NO SCHOOL Staff Development Nov. 11: Homework Sent Home Nov. 21: Community Helpers Guest Speaker Nov. 25: Homework Sent Home Nov. 27-28: NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Break

OCTOBER STUDY Nov. 4-21: Community Helpers Study

## OCTOBER HOMEWORK

<u>Nov. 11:</u> Cutting Shapes (7a. Uses fingers and hands.) <u>Nov. 25:</u> Retell a Story (18a. Interacts during reading experiences, book conversations, and text reflections)

#### <u>REMINDERS</u>

- Check out our classroom website for updates on what is happening at school! Go to: <u>https://www.ahschools.us/site/Default.</u> <u>aspx?PageID=41400</u>
- Help us keep sickness from spreading in our classroom! If your child is sick, please have them stay home and rest.
- There will be NO SCHOOL on November 27th and 28th for Thanksgiving Break.

#### CREATIVE CURRICULUM FOCUS

<u>Social – Emotional Development</u>: Participates cooperatively and constructively in group situations

Solves social problems

4 – year – olds: "I can find a way to solve my problems."

Using our 2<sup>nd</sup> Step Curriculum, children are given opportunities to:

- Learn about and discuss fair ways to play
- Have fun with friends
- Say what the problem is
- Think of solutions
- Speak up assertively

#### THINGS TO DO AT HOME

- Give your child time to solve problems before you offer your help
- Model problem solving when you are trying to figure out what to do, talk through it so they hear how you make decisions
- Play games that involve turn taking
- Encourage your child to use their words when they are upset

We are enjoying your children, thank you so much for sharing them with us!