

Moab Montessori News

November 2025

Building the Foundation for a Lifetime of Learning



Calendar Items:

- Nov. 24th – 28th Thanksgiving Holiday – No School
- Dec. 22nd – Jan 2nd Winter Break – No School

Toddler Class

November will be a month for some of our cozier practical life themes. We will practice putting on and taking off our coats and shoes by using zipping, tying, and Velcro strap work lessons. We will practice putting mittens and beanies on, as well as sorting socks to follow our practical clothing for winter theme. We will then explore National Native American Heritage month by reading stories, poetry, and learning how to make fry bread! We will focus on the importance of family and learn different ways that we can care for one another as well as introduce manners and table politeness. The toddlers will also get to experience mortar and pestle grinding, pinecone painting, and shadow play!

November Snack Menu

	Morning Snack	After School Snack
Monday	Yogurt, granola, fresh berries	Cashews, pretzels, fresh fruit or veggie
Tuesday	Charcuterie board: cheese, olives, baby pickles, crackers, tomatoes, cucumbers	Hummus, crackers, string cheese, fresh veggies
Wednesday	Tortilla chips, salsa, black beans, guacamole	Bagel, cream cheese, fresh fruit
Thursday	Almond butter and jam on whole wheat, fresh fruit	Tortilla chips, salsa, pinto beans
Friday	Pizza! Sauce, cheese, black olives, peppers, pepperoni	Sun butter, graham crackers, fresh fruit

Primary Class

We are looking forward to lots of fun new lessons this month! In Science, we will continue our study of plants and animals. In Botany, we will turn our focus to roots as we learn what they are, where they are found, and how they help the plant. We will even be eating some roots! In Zoology, we will move on to studying vertebrates for the rest of the school year, starting with fish. We will learn about their parts and characteristics. Children will have the opportunity to diagram the parts of a fish and draw their own fish as well.

In Social Studies, we are excited to begin our continent studies, starting with North America. We'll learn about the plants and animals found on our home continent, as well as the flags that represent some of the major countries. We'll learn about the people, food, schools, and buildings that are found in North America. We will also be learning the cardinal directions and the concept of left and right.

In Art, we will begin studying Pablo Picasso and his famous style called "cubism". We will have work available for the children to practice using this interesting and abstract style. In Movement, we will learn how to slide and gallop as a precursor to upcoming lessons on how to skip. During our Peace lessons, we will learn and practice kind ways to solve problems that we might face with others as we walk on the "road of peace and thoughtful action". We will also learn about gratitude, focusing on what it means to be grateful and all that we have to be thankful for.

"Children from birth to six years have a power that we no longer have, for they are at the age of creation."

~Maria
Montessori

