

Leap'n Learners Preschool

Weekly Updates: Centerville (2025-26)

A Week

REMINDERS:

- Please encourage your children to use the bathroom before they come as often as possible. We are happy to get them to the bathroom as many times as they need, but starting with an empty bladder goes a long way!
- Book Orders must be submitted online by next Friday. You can view the online flyers [HERE](#) that are recommended for preschoolers, but ordering is open to all flyers! Please include student first AND last name so we know who to get it to if shipping to the school.
 - Web address: <https://orders.scholastic.com/L84DG>
 - Class Activation Code: L84DG
- Show and tell is the first day of the week, every week! Try to find something at home that starts with the letter A if possible! It must fit in their bag.
- If you took home an art project to help prep, please send it back this week. We appreciate your help prepping our fun crafts!
- If you signed up to send in donations in the signup genius [HERE](#) (THANK YOU!), please send those in this week!
- We are in need of CARDBOARD egg cartons! If you have any that you are throwing away over the new month, please send them in!

NEXT WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS:

This week we will jump right into our first letter: the letter A! On the first day we will learn about alligators and absorption. On the second day, we will learn about apples and be able to explore airports and arctic animals. On Friday we will learn about Johnny Appleseed and even make some applesauce (apples & water)! Friday students will bring home their first letter craft this week. We recommend you save them each week and by the end of the year you'll have an entire ABC book!

Our September focus: the color red, circles, and the nursery rhyme "Humpty Dumpty."

WORD OF THE WEEK!

This week's word is: author. *Someone who writes books.*

I was so excited to meet the author of my favorite book at the bookstore!

AT-HOME ACTIVITY:

Join us for a fun at home activity! This week's video focuses on making a paper airplane! Grab some paper and follow along with Ms. Jess [HERE](#).

SPOTLIGHT: (Please come into class the first five minutes for your child's spotlight! You can find info about spotlights [HERE](#).)

WEEK OF Sept 15-19th

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THURS Vivian H

WEEK OF Sept 22-26th

Wed Cameron J

We can't wait for another week!

CHICKA CHICKA BOOM BOOM WEEK

REMINDERS:

- We have posted some fun pictures from the first week of school! Make sure you join [THIS PRIVATE GROUP](#) so you can continue to see what's going on at preschool! If you can't find your class, be sure to check back soon!
- Thank you to everyone who signed up to donate items or who took home a craft to help prep. You can bring those to any teacher this week!
- We are in need of STYROFOAM egg cartons! If you have any that you are throwing away over the new month, please send them in!
- We appreciate everyone's patience during drop off and pick up, it gets smoother and quicker every day! As a reminder, pick up times are the last 10 minutes of your class time. Mon-Thurs classes are 3 hours long, so if your class starts at 9am, your pick up window is 11:50-12pm, etc. If you are early, please wait in a stall until your pick up window begins. Friday classes are 2.5 hours. Check your car visor for exact times!
- Book Orders must be submitted online by Friday, Sept 19th. You can view the online flyers [HERE](#) that are recommended for preschoolers, but ordering is open to all flyers! Please include student first AND last name so we know who to get it to if shipping to the school.
 - o Web address: <https://orders.scholastic.com/L84DG>
 - o Class Activation Code: L84DG
- We have already begun learning our Zoophonics animals and sounds. We would encourage you to practice with your student at home! You can follow along with Ms. Maddi here: <https://www.goleapnlearn.com/blog-1/zoo-phonics-is-fun>
- Monday & Tuesday: Students can bring a show and tell item that fits in their bag on Mon/Tues every week! We love it when it starts with the letter of the week!
- Use the bathroom before school and please send your child in shoes they can put on themselves. Both of these save us a lot of class time!

WHAT IS YOUR [PARENT PORTAL](#)?

This is your own online account you have access to from our website www.dancetoexpress.com. Use the email you provided to us when you registered and select "forgot my password" if you haven't logged in before. You can look up your class schedules, update contact and payment information, view past and future charges/payments, and enroll in new classes through the parent portal on our website.

FOR PARENTS OF PRESCHOOL DANCERS

Hello Preschool Dance Parents! This month our theme is "a need for speed." We are going to learn about all the different ways we can move. We encourage you to get involved and have them practice their skills at home! This month we are focusing on: walks, jumps- using levels, plie and releve, curtsy/bow, arm placement, and smiling.

PRESCHOOLERS- ADD A PERFORMANCE CLASS TO YOUR SCHEDULE!

Does your little dancer love to be onstage? Then our LEAP Program is perfect! This class is taken in addition to any Preschool Dance class or the Academic Preschool Program and is held once a week for an additional \$32/month.

Dancers will perform (about) monthly at local events and purchase one costume (\$95) for the entire year! No audition required. Performance classes just started! Register online or email the office for more information.

- Dancing Dolls Performance Group – ages 3-4.
Mondays 6:30-7:15pm @ Bntl
- Little Leapers Performance Group – ages 4-5.
Mondays 5:45-6:30pm @ Bntl
Mondays 6:30-7:15pm @ Ctlv
Fridays 11:30-12:15pm @ Bntl

NEXT WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS:

This week will be based around the book Chicka Chicka Boom Boom, a fun story about the letters! We will have an introduction to all the letters and sounds using bingo, games, matching upper and lower case letters, art projects, and more. We will use many types of manipulatives to practice ordering and identifying letters by name and sound. Students will get to play with letters and create letters. We're going to explore coconuts by cracking one open and tasting it too! On Friday we will make pina colodas! (Coconut cream, pineapple juice, ice). It will be an exciting week back!

WORD OF THE WEEK!

Palm tree: a tropical tree that grows in warm weather. It produces giant leaves and coconuts.
We sat on the beach under the palm tree and enjoyed the sound of the waves.

AT-HOME ACTIVITY:

Join us for a fun at home activity! This week's video focuses on building all the uppercase letters. Grab your cut out wooden pieces and follow along [HERE](#).

SPOTLIGHT: (Please come into class the first five minutes for your child's spotlight! You can find info about spotlights [HERE](#).)

WEEK OF Sept 8-12th

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WED Irene T, Tagg S

THURS Remi S

WEEK OF Sept 15-19th

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THURS Vivian H

We can't wait for another week!

FIRST WEEK OF SCHOOL!

Hello Preschool Families!

It was so great to meet so many of you at Meet Your Teacher last week. If you didn't make it, we'll have your items ready at drop off for the first day of school! If you haven't filled out the preschool packet yet, please do that now. We need this filled out before students can attend class.

REGISTRATION PACKET: [HERE](#)

If you missed orientation or need a refresher, read the notes and watch the replay [HERE](#).

REMINDERS:

- School starts on Wed, Sept 3rd and Thurs, Sept 4th.
 - The first day is a TUMBLE day for all classes.
- Be sure to send your child's bag to school every day! If you missed bag pick up, we will have it for you on the first day.
- Students can be dropped off no more than 5 minutes before their start time. Plan to drive around the building and teachers will meet you at the north end of the sidewalk to help unload your child.
- Pull through pick-up is the last 10 minutes of your class. If you need a reminder about pick up, watch the tutorial video below. Mon-Thurs classes are 3 hours long, so if your class starts at 9am, your pick-up window is 11:50-12pm. Please have your car nametag visible. If you are early, please wait in a stall in front of the building until your pick-up window begins. Be sure to bring your pick up tags each day. If you do not have your pick up tags, we will need to see ID.
 - [CENTERVILLE PICK UP VIDEO](#)
- Friday classes are 2.5 hours long. Please note your pick up time. They are also listed on your car visor tags!
 - Fri 8:50am classes should be picked up between 11:10-11:20am.
 - Fri 9am classes should be picked up between 11:20-11:30am.
 - Fri 12pm classes should be picked up between 2:20-2:30pm.
- Spotlights can be found on the calendar posted on the website. We will also include them for the next two weeks in the weekly update emails. Spotlights will be close to your child's birthday or half birthday for summer birthdays.

MOVEMENT CLASS & ATTIRE SCHEDULE

- Tumbling Day
 - Wed/Thurs at Centerville
 - Boys & girls should wear comfortable school clothes that are easy to move, bend, and stretch in. No skirts or dresses without leggings underneath.
- Dance Day
 - Mon/Tues at Centerville
 - Boys wear comfortable school clothes that are easy to move, bend and stretch in. Socks, black ballet shoes, or bare feet.
 - Girls wear any color leotard, pink tights and pink leather ballet shoes. Skirts are optional.
- Fridays
 - Wear comfortable school clothes

CODES TO SIGN UP FOR PRESCHOOL TEXTS

Did you receive a text reminder about the orientation? If you DIDN'T then you are NOT signed up! Please do this right now so you won't miss out on reminders about dress up days, field trips, due dates, etc.

- Centerville Mon/Wed classes text @ LLPcm25 to 81010
- Centerville Tues/Thurs classes text @ LLPct25 to 81010

ADD A PERFORMANCE CLASS

Our performing classes are taking enrollment! Tuition is only \$30 extra per month! This is an awesome opportunity for students to have more chances to be on stage! They will purchase one costume for the whole year (\$80 due with October tuition) and perform about monthly. Let us know if you need help registering!

- Dancers turning 5 this school year: Little Leapers
 - Bountiful: Monday 5:45-6:30pm
 - Centerville: Monday 6:30-7:15pm
 - Bountiful: Friday 11:30-12:15pm

- Dancers turning 4 this school year: Dancing Dolls
 - o Bountiful: Mondays 6:30-7:15pm

NEXT WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS:

Welcome to school! This week we will spend some time getting to know each other, making new friends, and learning about our teachers. Students will start to learn about the routines and how preschool works! We know that the first day of preschool can make students a little nervous and our goal is that everyone leaves with a smile, excited to come back soon! Students will have a great time making their preschool crowns! Our September focus: the color red, circles, and the nursery rhyme "Humpty Dumpty".

WORD OF THE WEEK

This week's word is: excited

The teachers were so excited to meet all their new students as they walked through the doors on the first day!

SPOTLIGHT: (Please come into class the first five minutes for your child's spotlight! You can find info about spotlights [HERE](#).)

WEEK OF Sept 3-5th

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WEEK OF Sept 8-12th

TUES Finn Z

WED Irene T, Oaklee A, Tagg S

THURS Remi S

We are excited to start this school year together with you and appreciate you for trusting us with your child's education!

BACK TO SCHOOL DETAILS

Hello Leap'n Learners Preschool Parents!

We hope you've been enjoying your summer! Please read over this important update with first-of-year information for preschool classes!

AUG 18-27 | ACADEMIC SUMMER CAMP

Ready to get started now? Our last academic summer camp starts next week at the Bountiful studio! A great class to prepare for starting preschool. Class itinerary is similar to our regular preschool program, focusing on all areas of learning while having fun building friendships and confidence. Students will get hands-on science, math, phonics, and literature, art, dance, tumbling, and more! Ages 3-5, must be potty trained. Tuition is \$155.

- Mon/Wed/Fri 9:30-12:30pm at Bountiful, Aug 18-27

Respond to this email to register!

AUG 25 | PARENT ORIENTATION FOR NEW FAMILIES

New preschool families, plan to join us for Preschool Orientation via Zoom. We'll go over everything you'll need to know to start preschool. We'll record the meeting and post it for anyone who has a conflict with orientation time.

- Bountiful Orientation: 6:30pm
 - Meeting ID: 820 2337 9886
 - Password: leapnlearn
- Centerville Orientation: 7:15pm
 - Meeting ID: 849 4908 7926
 - Password: leapnlearn

AUG 26 | MEET YOUR TEACHER & PACKET PICK UP

Come say hi to your teachers at preschool bag pick up to celebrate the beginning of school! You'll meet us at West Bountiful Park to pick up your packet to kick off the new year! Meet your teachers and your new friends, then you can stay and play at the park!

- Bntl Mon/Wed AM (2-3 year olds), 9-9:30am
- Bntl Mon/Wed AM (4-5 year olds), 9:30-10am
- Bntl Mon/Wed PM, 10-10:30am
- Bntl Tues/Thurs AM (3 year olds), 10:30-11am
- Bntl Tues/Thurs AM (4-5 year olds), 11-11:30am
- Bntl Tues/Thurs PM, 11:30-12pm
- Ctlv Mon/Wed AM, 12-12:30pm
- Ctlv Tues/Thurs AM, 12:30-1pm
- Ctlv Tues/Thurs PM, 1-1:30pm

REGISTRATION PACKET AND DONATION LIST

Please complete the [Parent Preschool Packet](#) before orientation. It must be submitted before your preschooler will be allowed to attend preschool.

DANCEWEAR FITTINGS

Our studio store is stocked up for the new season if you need to purchase any dance wear before classes start! Come by either studio to be fitted for shoes, leos, tights, and more.

- Bountiful Studio:
 - Tues, Aug 26 from 4-7pm
- Centerville studio:
 - Wed, Aug 27 from 9:30-11am or 4-7pm

SEPT 3 & 4 | FIRST DAY OF REGULAR CLASSES

Starting school is so exciting! Your preschooler does NOT need a backpack because we will be handing out special bags. (Returning students can keep using their bag from last year!) Please don't go out and buy a backpack, we will need them to use the bag we give them. Thanks!

A QUICK NOTE ABOUT EMAIL DELIVERY: Spam filters are getting more powerful, and we've noticed that sometimes our emails can accidentally land in your junk or spam folder. To help ensure you never miss important updates from us, we encourage you to reply to this email - even a simple "Hi" works! This helps train your email provider that we're a trusted sender and someone you want to hear from.

Make sure you're following Leap'n Learners Preschool on Facebook and Instagram! Plus we encourage you to join the [Expressions Dance Facebook Group](#) and [Leap'n Learners Preschool Family Facebook Group](#) and be part of our exclusive community! We can't wait to meet our preschool families!