November

# Teddy Bears 2023 Newsletter



## **Early Learning Activities**

What are you thankful for?

Fine motor focus

Name recognition/writing

Let's vote!

Feather painting

Making cranberry/orange relish

### **Stories & Songs**

Thanks for Thanksgiving A Turkey for Thanksgiving If Animals Gave Thanks

#### I'm a Little Turkey (tune: "I'm a Little Teapot")

I'm a little turkey, my name is Ted Here are my feathers (point behind you) Here is my head (point to head) Gobble, gobble (tap underneath chin with back of hand) Is What I Say, QUICK....RUN....

It's Thanksgiving Day!!!

## **Important Dates**

Nov 1 **Tuition Due** 

Lauryn's Birthday Walk Nov 2

Nov 7 Voting Day

Nov 8 Book orders due

Nov 9 Original Works orders due

Hampden Fire Visits Highland

Nov 21 Naturescape Day

Nov 22-24 Thanksgiving Break-NO SCHOOL

# <u>Announcements</u>

As a special school-wide project we will be collecting non-perishable items for the local food cupboard starting November 6th. We'll have a "Giving Basket" out until November 21st. Children can place donations in the "Giving Basket". Thank you in advance for your generosity! The children have been busy creating artwork that you can have printed on dozens of items.

The company, Original Works, produces the creations. A portion of the proceeds will remain at the school to be used for educational tools. More information to come!

We are partnering with Help Me Grow Maine to complete developmental screenings this year. Please refer to the email sent to you on October 18th for more details. For those families choosing to participate, the ASQ-3 and ASQ:SE-2 questionnaires need to be completed by Wednesday, November 15th.