

CANDIL JACARANDA NEWS

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Message From The Principal



Dear Parents,

November is a month where we take time to reflect on what we are thankful for. Candil Jacaranda teachers have discussions that are appropriate at their grade level. Kindergarten through grade five students write sentences, a paragraph or an essay explaining what they are thankful for. Each teacher selects an entry which will be read out loud by the student at an assembly.

As a school we are thankful for our great students, parents, teachers and staff. Together we are making a difference in these children's lives. This month we are especially thankful for the opening of our third Montessori Pre-Kinder classroom. Our new teacher, Martha Muñoz, has already started working with seven toddlers that have moved up. We look forward to filling the room with more students as the year progresses.

What are you thankful for? As the Thanksgiving Holiday is approaching, it is a great time to share with your children the virtue of being thankful. Have a great Thanksgiving!

In partnership,

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PTO NEWS

The PTO is supporting the Salvation Army Angel Tree once again. Please stop by the front office and adopt an angel. Your contribution will help a less fortunate child during the holiday season. Make sure to sign your angel out with Ms. Marilyn or Ms. Lynne. We ask that you have all your angel gifts back on or before December 4th. We would also like to extend a special thank you to Jennifer Torlone and Fine Art Lamps for adopting an additional 25 angels on behalf of Candil Jacaranda. The Holiday Bazaar is coming for your children's shopping pleasure! Remember, this is an opportunity for your children to learn about budgeting as well as the joy of giving. The shop will run from 12/8 - 12/10. Details and volunteer requests will be coming home soon.

The holidays are coming early to the classrooms at Candil. The PTO has just purchased brand new computers for all 11 classrooms. Your continued participation and support are what make all of this possible for our children and their school. Thank you and may your holiday season be blessed.



Candil Jacaranda PTO