

St. Aloysius Preschool September 2026

Curriculum & Themes:

*****Share:** If you or your child has any knowledge or materials on any of our themes throughout the school year please feel free to share.



All About Me

(8/31-9/4): The children will share

personal stories with the class. We will also explore the five senses. You can play games at home using only one sense at a time.



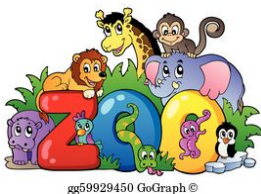
Families and Pets

(9/7-11): For this week we request

every child bring in 2-3 family pictures. They will be cropped and glued to be added to our family board. **Please have those in by 9/3.** If you happen to have pets at home feel free to add those in with your family pictures.



Apples & « A » (9/14-18): We will learn about the different types and parts of an apple. We will also learn the life cycle of apples.



Zoo & "Z" (9/21-25)

There are so many animals that live in the zoo. We will learn about some of these animals

and what makes them similar and different.

Other Information:



Read Every Day. Lead a Better Life. **Scholastic**

Book Orders: With your purchases the classroom receives points to obtain new books and supplies. The easiest option is to order online. The books can be sent to school or to your house. I will place the monthly order on the 15th of the month. Look for more information to go home in your child's folder.



Sneakers: It is very important for little feet to stay safe. Please

send your preschooler in sneakers every day.



Birthday Celebrations:

We will celebrate all of the preschoolers' birthdays in class. Information was given with your orientation packet. This is typically a good day for parent volunteers to visit the classroom. If this is appealing to you, please make sure you get yourself COR'ed. The meeting date is September 8th at 6:00pm.

Ways to Contact Mrs.



McNally: Email

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chool.com. Leave a message at the main office 477-1268 or place a note in your child's folder. I will make every effort to get back to you as soon as possible.

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Box Tops for Education: Box

Tops program has an app to scan your grocery receipts to receive money for our school. Please scan your receipt within 14 days of your purchase. If you are having trouble scanning your receipt you are welcome to send in your receipt to school for us to scan.



Seeds Magazines: Our Seeds

magazines will start going home the middle of September. These magazines are related to the Gospel you will hear on Sunday in church. Please take the time to review these gospel lessons as a family.



Can Tabs: We collect can tabs to benefit Ronald McDonald House. Please send those in your child's folder.

Home Suggestion:



Responsibility: Preschool is a great time to start teaching children how to do chores and be part of the family team.

Preschoolers are quite capable of helping with laundry, putting dishes away, feeding a family pet, helping collect the garbage, dusting, shoveling snow, raking leaves, picking up toys, making a bed, setting the table, and many other things. A really great way to accomplish this is to introduce one thing at a time and when they are in the habit, introduce another.



*God Bless,
Mrs. McNally,
Mrs. Zwirecki*

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Tops for Education

& **can tabs** for
Ronald McDonald
House



Important Dates:

8/27 – First day of School
9/2 – Happy Birthday Dean!
9/3 – Preschool Family Picture Due
9/4 – No School, Labor Day Weekend
9/7 – No School, Labor Day
9/8 – CORI Meeting 6:00pm
9/10 – Happy Birthday Syllas!
9/14 – PTO Meeting 5:30 (All Parents are welcome)
9/16 – School Pictures
9/18 – Happy Birthday Bailey!
9/26 – Happy Birthday Clara!
9/27 – Happy Birthday Eleanora!
9/28 – Pie Fundraiser Begins
Ongoing – Fall Bulb Fundraiser (Look for Flyer to go home)