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Country Day School of Arlington - Montessori
WHOLE LANGUAGE CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER

Geography: 3 necessary elements for life: air, land, and water; Map of the World
History: Who We Are; Families, Communities
Science: Introduction to Botany Cabinet, kinds of leaves
Art: Apple month
Music: Continents, Continent song
Kindness: RESPECT

OCTOBER

Geography: International, United Nations, Australia
History: Columbus Day
Science: Life cycle of pumpkin
Art: Leaf rubbing, leaf collecting
Music: Seasonal, finger plays
Kindness: LOVE

NOVEMBER

Geography: North America
History: Native Americans, Pilgrims, Mayflower...
Science: Changes of Nature, Seasons
Art: Thanksgiving, Grandparents Day art
Music: Songs of the season
Kindness: THANKFULNESS AND SHARING

DECEMBER

Geography: Antarctica, Flags of the Countries
History: Winter Holidays of the different cultures
Science: Solids, liquids and gases
Art: Crafts related to holidays around the world
Music: Holiday songs
Kindness: FRIENDSHIP

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JANUARY

Geography: Africa
History: Dr. Martin Luther King
Science: Magnetic, non-magnetic
Art: Snowman, snowflakes
Music: Winter songs
Kindness: CONFLICT RESOLUTION

FEBRUARY

Geography: Asia
History: Chinese New Year, Presidents of USA
Science: Vertebrates, non-vertebrates
Art: Valentine art, Mardi Gras
Music: Loving, friendship songs
Kindness: EMPATHY

MARCH

Geography: Europe
History: Ireland
Science: Sink or float
Art: color mixing, castles, crowns...
Music: Irish songs
Kindness: SELF CONTROL

APRIL

Geography: South America
History: People of South America
Science: Solar system, recycling
Art: Art appreciation, crafts, Spring art
Music: Songs of Spring
Kindness: THOUGHTFULNESS

MAY

Geography: Mexico
History: Cinco de Mayo/Texas history
Science: Gardening, seed planting, germinating, plant Bluebonnets
Art: Mother's Day art craft, May Day basket, flowers
Music: Fun songs
Kindness: TAKING CARE OF EACH OTHER