Talk Tips To Go
November 2020

We want to wish all of our clients, friends, and families a wonderful and bountiful Thanksgiving. We are thankful for each and every one of you!

The Columbus Speech & Hearing Center Speech Department

Friendly reminder the Columbus Speech & Hearing Center will be closed on Thursday, November 26th and Friday, November 27th so our staff can celebrate Thanksgiving with their families.

We hope you all have a wonderful Holiday weekend!

The center will be open as scheduled on Monday, November 30th. If you have any questions please call 614-263-5151.

Article of the Month
TALK TIPS TO GO
NOVEMBER 2020

EASY & FUN WAYS TO TARGET SPEECH & LANGUAGE AT HOME

FEATHER FUN!
Gather some feathers (real or store bought) and play!

Early Language:
- Adjectives: colors, big/small, fluffy, soft, smooth
- Prepositions: Put a feather on top of your head! Under the couch!
- Action words: tickle, hide, feel

Articulation:
- /f/ in “feather” and “fluffy”
- /s/ in “soft” and “smooth”

Play/social skills:
- Decorate something with feathers and talk about your creation!
- Pretend to be a bird!
- Go on a feather scavenger hunt!

FOOOOOOOD!
One of the highlights of the season!

Early Language:
- Adjectives: squishy/hard, yummy/yucky, sticky, shapes (e.g. round, rectangle)
- Action words: eat, bite, chew, lick, taste, touch

Articulation:
- How many foods can you name with your sound in it?

Play/social skills:
- Take turns asking questions like, “What’s your favorite food?”, “Would you rather eat ___ or ___?”

Check out CSHC's Autumn Activities Pinterest Page for more fall fun activities!!
Sign of the Month

The sign of the month for November is "Thank You".

1. ASL “Thank You”

2. ASL “Thank You”

Mark you Calendars....

Family Fun Around Town This Month
In Person Events

Wildlights at Columbus Zoo and Aquarium

- Friday, November 20th, 2020 thru Sunday, January 3rd, 2021
- "Visit the animals at the zoo while looking at millions of lights!"
- [click here to plan your visit]

Conservatory Aglow at Franklin Park Conservatory

- Saturday, November 14th, 2020 thru Sunday, January 10th, 2021
- "Lights, interactive art, gingerbread houses, and a model railway- fun for everyone!"
- [Click here to find out more!]

Virtual Events

Columbus Symphony Orchestra for kids

- "Kids can learn about reading music, virtually tour the Ohio Theater, and learn history about famous composers all in one place."
- [www.csokidskorner.com]

COSI Connects

- "Explore the world of science through online videos and activities!"
- [Click here to go to cosi.org]

WOSU Classroom

- "Visit this site for at-home learning ideas and activities!"
- [Click here to go to wosu.org]

News from Around the Center

A great big CONGRATULATIONS to Davy Weaver on her promotion to Director of Clinical Services for the Columbus Speech & Hearing Center! In her new role, Davy will provide leadership and operational oversight for both the Speech & Audiology departments.
National Stuttering Association Meeting

This month join the Columbus Chapter of NSA, Otterbein University, and CSHC for a free virtual showing of the documentary "My Beautiful Stutter" on Thursday, November 5th from 7-9 PM.

After the movie there will be a panel discussion.

Please see flyer below for additional details

meeting ID: 536 279 6204

Join Zoom Meeting
https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5362796204

Check out this flyer for more information about NSA.

Click here to check out FRIENDS website for additional upcoming events this month.
Screenings and Chatterboxes

Upcoming Chatterbox!!

Join Lora McConnell, Speech Language Pathologist and Chatterbox Program Coordinator on **Monday, November 2nd at 11 AM** at Grandview Library's virtual story time.

Lora will be available to answer questions and provide families with speech language and literacy ideas to incorporate into your every day routines.

[Click here to go to Grandview Library's website.](#)

If you are interested in talking with a license slp about your child's development as part of our Chatterbox Program please email Lora McConnell at lmcconnell@columbusspeech.org.
If you are interested in scheduling a speech and hearing screening please contact Janel Niekamp at jniekamp@columbusspeech.org.

Click here for more information on screenings.

Find out what is happening this month at Columbus Speech & Hearing Center by following us on Facebook.

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