26th of October: Halloween / last school day before the fall holidays

- On Friday, 26th of October all students can wear Halloween costumes to school.
- Please do not bring any weapons, weapon dummies or similar items.
- Sport lessons will not be held on that day. All lessons will be held by the class teacher.
- Lessons will end at 11:30am (Last school day before the fall holidays; there will be no lunch offered on that day.)
- Students may stay at school until 2pm. Please contact Ms. Erath (erath.s@dr-wiesent.de) if you want to take advantage of this offer.

Afternoon care and courses will take place as usual.

School parents‘ speakers

We congratulate our new parents’ speakers:

First parents’ speaker is Mrs. Bocklisch (1st grade),
second parents’ speaker is Mrs. Spörl (3rd grade).

We look forward to continuing our good cooperation.
13th of November: LBV lecture on bird of the year for 2nd and 3rd grade

On 13th of November Mrs. Bischof will visit the grades 2 and 3 and give a lecture on behalf of the LBV about the starling – a dazzling songbird with amazing abilities.

15th of November: Tutorial „Plastic Detectives – On the trail of plastic“ with the 4th grade

Through a research-discovering approach, the students gain an overview of the current ecological problems of microplastics in aquatic ecosystems, as well as information about solutions that any citizen can do. The curriculum-compliant learning program is offered by the University of Bayreuth in cooperation with the Water School of Upper Franconia for our 4th grade.

21st of November: Day of Repentance and Prayer

On this day the schools in Bavaria remain closed.

Again this year, we offer a child care from 7:30am to 2pm. All participating children have to pay a fee of 5€ for care and snacks. For those children, who regularly participate in afternoon care on Wednesdays, these fees do not apply. There will be no afternoon care offered after 2pm on this day. Please register your child via e-mail under the following address: erath.s@dr-wiesent.de. Beginning of November, you will then receive an e-mail with further information.

23rd of November: Ice skating with the 3rd und 4th

- Due to safety reasons, gloves and a hat are mandatory.
- Admission 1 € and maybe money for the bus
- Ice skate rental fee 3 € per student

Please note the date, more information will follow.
24th of November: Open Day

On the 24th of November, from 10am to 3pm we open our doors to the public.

Of course, we would be happy, if you were to stop by our school on this day, together with your children.

We will offer sausages and beverages. In order to be able to offer our guests a small buffet, we would be grateful, if you supported us with some salads and some cakes.

There will be a doodle list from the parents’ council. Please sign up to this list. Thank you for your support.

One-time afternoon care in case of emergency or before events

We are happy to take care of your children for whom regular afternoon care has not been booked, e.g. if you need it in case of an emergency or between morning school and afternoon events. Please understand that from now on, we will be charging an amount of 5€ per day for this service.

Intern

From 11/28/18 – 12/19/2018, Ms. Tanja Seiler, an intern from the Academy of Social Education will be visiting us. She will accompany and support our teachers in their lessons. We are looking forward to her visit.

New registrations at our school

Fortunately, we have already a large number of new registrations for the coming school years. However, we would like to make sure that the siblings of our students are also considered, therefore we ask you to hand in the registration forms for the siblings early (also for the school years after the upcoming and further in the future). That way, we can guarantee that the siblings will also receive a place at our school. We would also be pleased if you passed on the advice of early registration to interested parents.
Theater visit - Studiobühne

Also this year, our students will take a trip to the theater Studiobühne to watch the play “Du spinnst wohl (“Are you crazy?!), a Christmas story written by Kai Pannen.

- The third and fourth grade will visit the theater on Friday, 30th of November 2018.
- The first and second grade will visit the theater on Wednesday, 19th of December 2018.

Our class teachers will collect 8,00 € from each student starting on 5th of November. Please give your child the appropriate amount.

Toys for the children in the afternoon care

Soon the cold season begins again. For our children in the afternoon care, we would therefore like to expand the range of indoor games and ask for your donations of toys. Our students would be very happy about Lego, Playmobil or other toys with which one can build or construct. Perhaps you also have a board game for the children that you no longer need? Please contact Mrs. Erath about this. Thank you in advance.

The support association asks for your support

Once again we would like to thank the support association for their active support and the generous donations for the projects at our school. In the last school year, for example, it supported the black light theater, the manners course, the school garden, the AVALON project for the 4th grade, and the farewell gifts for the 4th grade. In order to make these projects possible in the future, the association depends on members and donations. For this reason, the board of the support association would like to ask you to consider becoming a member of the support association, so that it can continue supporting these projects.

Advent calendar in the classroom

In recent years, more and more children have brought an Advent calendar for the whole class. Unfortunately each and every calendar could not be appreciated properly, because there were too many in the class.

Please arrange in advance together with your child’s class teacher, whether an Advent calendar is still needed for the class.

Thank you.
Advance notice: “Christmas for those in need“ by the Radio Mainwelle

Also this year, we would like to support children in need at Christmas time and would like to take part in the Radio Mainwelle event „Wir schenken Weihnachten“ („Christmas for those in need“). More information will follow.

29th of October – 04th of November: Fall holidays

The day of school after the holidays is on the 5th of November.

We wish all families a nice November!

Your team of the Private Elementary School Thiergarten Palace