



November 2018

# November with Springboard!

Welcome to November and Springboard!

### Did you know...

November is National Novel Writing Month, aka NaNoWriMo! Participants throughout the world attempt to write a 50,000-word novel in 30 days. NaNoWriMo is a registered non-profit that runs many other programs, including the Young Writers Program for NaNoWriMo participants under age 17. Learn more at [nanowrimo.org](http://nanowrimo.org)!

### At Springboard this month...

We will work on Character Building!

### We'll also explore and discuss:

- National Native American Heritage Month
- Veterans Day
- Thanksgiving Day

As always, we'll work on reading and teamwork.

## Just for Fun!

### Writing with Your Child

Here are some ways you can help build your child's creative writing skills at home!

- While reading a favorite book, ask your child questions about the story. What happens in the story? Who are the characters? Where does it take place? How does the beginning of the story connect to its ending?
- Ask your child to write about something that interests them. For example, maybe they think a book should have ended differently; suggest that they write their own ending!
- Have your child draw or find pictures to go with the story for additional inspiration.

From <http://www.readwritethink.org/parent-afterschool-resources/tips-howtos/help-child-write-story-a-30593.html>



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## Program Information

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Pick-up/drop-off is behind Door 4, around the left side of the building at Door 5. Ring the bell for entry.

Please complete and turn in 2018-2019 enrollment packets to Ms. Joy.

Enroll for Optional Days through Parent Portal

Full Day Program: 11/6, 11/8 & 11/9  
Early Dismissal: 11/21  
Springboard Closed: 11/22 & 11/23

## Birthday Corner

Valentina V	11/05
Amaya A	11/05
Aidan B	11/15
Mya I	11/22