

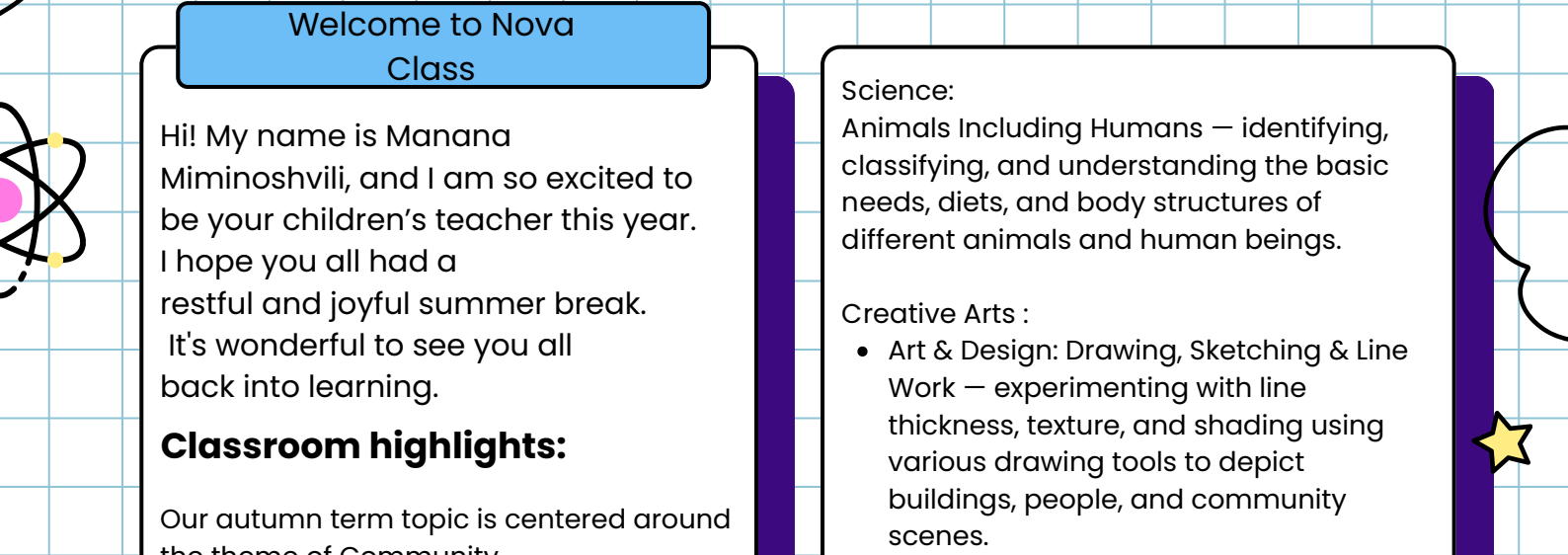


Back To School

NOVA CLASS NEWSLETTER

SEPTEMBER 2026

Welcome to Nova Class



Hi! My name is Manana Miminoshvili, and I am so excited to be your children's teacher this year. I hope you all had a restful and joyful summer break. It's wonderful to see you all back into learning.

Classroom highlights:

Our autumn term topic is centered around the theme of Community.

Mathematics:

- Place Value: Developing a strong understanding of numbers up to 10 and 20.
- Addition: Working with part-whole models and mastering key number bonds to 10 and 20.

English & Literacy:

- Core Text: Speak Up! by Nathan Bryon and Dapo Adeola — an inspiring story about Rocket, a young girl who finds her voice to save her local library.
- Writing Outcomes: Creating speech bubbles, persuasive posters, letters to local leaders, and character descriptions based on the text.

World Learning :

- Geography (Community Theme): Exploring what makes a community, how local spaces like libraries and parks bring people together, and how we can contribute to our own school and neighborhood communities

Science:

Animals Including Humans — identifying, classifying, and understanding the basic needs, diets, and body structures of different animals and human beings.

Creative Arts :

- Art & Design: Drawing, Sketching & Line Work — experimenting with line thickness, texture, and shading using various drawing tools to depict buildings, people, and community scenes.

R.E.:

Hinduism 1 — learning about Hindu traditions with a special focus on the festival of Diwali.

- P.S.H.E. (Health & Wellbeing): Understanding emotions and feelings in ourselves and others, knowing how to ask for help, and managing challenges.
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