

Kindergarten

Weekly Newsletter

10-20-17

Important Information

- Remember homework will go home on Monday and need to be returned Friday.
- Our **Fall Festival** is **tonight** from **5-8pm**! We hope to see you there! ☺
- Our **disguise a turkey home project** is in your folder today. Due back Oct. 27th
- Our 50th day of school is October 25th! Please join us in dressing up in 50's attire for the day to help us celebrate.
- Remember October 23rd-27th is Red Ribbon Week (M-Camouflage Day, T-Wear/Bring a Key, W-Crazy Hair Day/50th Day, Th-Crazy Socks, F-Wear Red).

Reading/Language Arts

- ★ BIG Books
- ★ Shared Reading
- ★ Nursery Rhymes and Rhyming Poems
- ★ Letter Names and Sounds: t, n, g, i
- ★ High Frequency Words: a, and, are, can, for, he, I, in, it, like, of, on, she, to, the, that, was, you

Writing

✎ Letter formation and name practice. We will be working on writing our names beginning each tall letter at the top (sky) and going down (to the ground).

✎ Listening to stories and writing to tell about events.

Math

- ★ Counting and writing numbers from 0-20
- ★ Recognizing numbers 0-20
- ★ Representing numbers 0-20 through pictures, ten frames, etc.
- ★ Comparing and ordering numbers 1-20



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November 7th Inservice Day (No School for Students)
November 10th Veterans' Day Luncheon
November 16th Thanksgiving Luncheon & Santa/Christmas Pictures
November 20th-24th Thanksgiving Holidays
December 1st-7th BOGO Book Fair
December 22nd-January 5th Christmas Holiday Break





Tips

Car Ride Fun

- ☺ Please take advantage to the time you spend with your little ones in the car. ☺
- ✎ Generate rhyming words
- ✎ A-Z: Find signs for each letter in alphabetic order!
- ✎ Count the syllables in spoken and printed words
- ✎ Find 2D & 3D shapes on billboards
- ✎ Mental Math: think of a number...what's one more? One less?
- ✎ Make up addition and subtraction story problems
- ✎ Count backwards from 20, 7, 13, etc.



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Free Online Resources

Check out these reading activities!

- ✎ The link below has games, activities, reading practice links, etc.
- ✎ Starfall
- ✎ <http://www.starfall.com/>

Thinking Outside The Box

"Students who have strong oral language will have greater academic success. Build oral language by snagging time every day to have real conversations..."

- ✎ "Ask your child questions and help them to respond in complete sentences."
- ✎ "You can also play games such as 'I Spy' while on the go or preparing dinner: 'I spy something that starts with B' or 'I spy something that rhymes with star.'"

—Deedee Wills, kindergarten teacher



Activity To Try

Make Your Own Counting Books

- ✎ Make your own counting books by cutting paper sheets in half and attaching them together by using staples or a hole punch with yarn.
- ✎ Have your child write/trace the numeral and number word.
- ✎ To make it fun, your child can use stickers, stamps, magazine cut outs, etc. to show the quantity of the number.

