

School News



Dear Kindergarten Parents,

We are working on letters and letter sound recognition in language arts. The students are also working on some high frequency words (popcorn words), rhyming words, and syllables. In math we are developing an awareness of position words. Each day the class is working on a language enrichment computer program called Amira Learning.

Additional Language Art Activities:

- Practice printing name
- Name recognition of classmates and environmental print (desk, door, etc.)
- Practice printing letters
- Activities with Nursery Rhymes
- Recognizing rhyming words
- Blending and segmenting syllables in words
- Grammar focus: Nouns (person, place, animal, or thing)
- Vocabulary focus: family words, antonyms (opposites), and synonyms (words that mean the same)
- Oral communication - Show and Tell every Friday

Math Readiness:

- Recognize left and right; top, middle, and bottom, inside and outside
- Identify numerals 0 - 5
- Practice writing numerals 0-5
- Compare ways items are alike and different
- Recognize and identify shapes
- Count to 10
- Recognize patterns by (color, size, and shape)
- Sorting by shape and sizes
- Sequencing

Show and Tell Topic Schedule:

- September 5 Something from a summer outing. (It can be a picture or an object. All show and tells must fit into the book bag.)
- September 19 Favorite sign of fall (Ex. Acorns, colored leaves, etc.)
- September 27 Free Choice

Science / Social Studies:

- Study the life cycle of the Monarch Butterfly
- Sunflowers
- Apples
- Start a yearlong study of trees

Reminders for upcoming events:

September 1 No School - Labor Day
September 12 No School for students -ACT 80 Day

If you have not sent in an extra set of clothing, please do as soon as possible. The school nurse asks that you send in an extra set of clothing in case your child has a food or beverage spill or an accident at school. Please send your child's clothing in the labeled bag we provided. We will forward it to the nurse's office.

Please also consider donating tissues to our classroom. Thanks!

Sincerely,
Mrs. Cook
Mrs. Daniel