



# Kindergarten eLC Newsletter



## November 9, 2018

### This Week in ELA:

In independent reading, we learned two new powers: persistence power and pattern power. We know good readers never give up and they rely on patterns to read a book with success. In writing workshop, we kicked off our informational writing unit with "how to" books. Help your child brainstorm things he/she is an expert on and could teach others about! We focused on letters Nn and Ll this week. Our nurse and lion alphabet card will help us remember the sounds they make. Our sight words were **to** and **am**.

### This Week in Math:

We kicked off our study of shapes. We began by investigating shapes with and without curves. Then, we studied triangles, rectangles, circles, and hexagons. We even learned that a square is actually a type of rectangle because it has four sides, four corners, and the corners are shaped like the letter L.

### This Week in Social Studies:

We learned about two important days for our country: Election Day and Veterans Day. We know that people vote on leaders on Election Day and we honor those who have served our country on Veterans Day.



Caleb Eaddy 11/2  
Everett Clements 11/18  
Oren Marom 11/25

### Important Dates:

11/15 Boots and Bows  
11/21-11/23 Thanksgiving Break



### Reminders/Announcements:

- We will check out books again on Monday. Please send your child's library book back on this day.
- Shout out to all those who joined our school's Veterans Day parade today. Thank you for your service!
- I am accepting **copy paper donations!** We have lots of writers in our class who can really go through some paper! If you have any that you can send in, we sure would appreciate it. ☺



### Home Talk:

Talk about Veterans Day with your child. Ask your child what he/she learned about those in military service. Think of a way your family can honor a loved one, a neighbor, or anyone you know that has served or is currently serving our country!



Each week, teachers will pick a student who has done a great job being a "bucket filler," or a kind friend. This week, our bucket fillers are:

**Sara Saikaly and Silas Becraft**

