



Kindergarten eLc Newsletter



December 6, 2019

This Week in ELA:

We focused on letters Oo and Rr. Our "Bob the Fox" sound card and "Rosie the Robot" sound card will help us remember the sounds these letters make. We added *on* and *him* to the word wall. We read and illustrated *Little Miss Muffet*. In writing workshop, we focused on picture details this week. We talked about how to draw people in a more detailed way. We can even make people look like they are in motion! Drawing realistic pictures is an important step of the writing process.

This Week in Math:

We continued our conversation on measurement. We compared lengths of objects AND focused on heaviness and lightness of objects. Encourage your child to do some weight comparisons at home. Have him/her hold a toothbrush in one hand and a toothpaste tube in the other; a bath toy and a bar of soap; a stuffed animal and a book.

This Week in Social Studies:

We continued studying *then and now*, paying close attention to how space study has changed over time. People didn't always travel to space. We used to not have any technology to help us learn about it! Thanks to modern rocketry, satellites, space probes, and rovers, we can learn so much about outer space.

We have also enjoyed sharing our projects! It's not too late to send one in if your child would like to participate. 😊



December 10 Katie Wise
December 12 Mauricio Ravenell
December 21 Journee Alford
December 28 Penn Rabin

Important Dates:

- 12/18 Class Winter Celebration
- 12/19 Early Dismissal
- 12/20-1/3 Winter Break



Reminders/Announcements:

- Please return library books by Tuesday.
- Please sign and return Impact Aid Forms
- See the blog to learn more about RNE's HOPE 365 canned food drive. Bring in cans by THURSDAY!
- We have had some COLD weather lately. Just a reminder that we do go out for a morning recess. Please make sure your child brings a warm coat for this time of day. Sometimes it is around 40 degrees when we play!



Home Talk:

Write some words with a missing *a*, *i*, or *o*. Have your child complete the word.

Examples:

m__p (tell your child you want it to say "mop")

b__g (tell your child you want it to say "big")

s__t (tell your child you want it to say "sat")

For an extension activity, have your child put the word into a sentence orally or written.



This week's Bucket Fillers are...

Brody Nail and Elizabeth Ninancuro-Thornton

