



# Kindergarten eLc Newsletter



## September 21, 2018

### This Week in ELA:

In independent reading, we practiced using the connecting words, "AND THEN" to connect information from page to page. We also practiced saying, "I THINK" to "sprinkle" our own thinking onto the pages we read. In writing workshop, we learned about labeling our detailed illustrations. We use an imaginary rubber band to slowly stretch our words. We also learned to say, "I think I can" when something feels tricky. We practiced recognizing and writing letters Oo-Vv. Our shared reading focus was *Baa, Baa Black Sheep*. Our sight words this week were: **no** and **yes**.

### This Week in Math:

Students practiced writing numerals 0-3. They also practiced counting a set of objects and writing the corresponding numeral as well as putting together simple number sentences (i.e.  $3 = 2 + 1$ ).

### This Week in Science:

We learned about our five senses. We did some experiments to test our senses, such as guessing a particular sound or smell. One of our favorites was a taste test where we compared salty, sweet, and sour tastes! We ate pretzels, rice crispy treats, and sour patch kids.

NASA word of the week: sun



Walker Kemp 8/13  
Katie Ridlehuber 8/21  
Tyler Mickens 8/24  
Saanvi Vattikuti 9/3  
Kaden Mascari 9/11  
Sara Saikal 9/13

### Important Dates:

- 9/25 FLE Chipotle Night 4:00-8:00
- 9/28 Half Day/Grandparents Day
- 10/2 Forest Lake Community Meeting  
(held at 6:00 in our school library to learn about upcoming bond referendum)
- 10/3 Picture Day



If interested in volunteering, please email Mrs. Scullion: [mscullio@richland2.org](mailto:mscullio@richland2.org).

### Reminders/Announcements:

- Mondays will be our class library book checkout day. Along with Family Folders, send in school library books and your child will take home a new one that afternoon to be enjoyed for the week.
- I would love any donations to our class "creation station". Some ideas include: crate paper, construction paper, copy paper, googly eyes, paper bags, pipe cleaners, etc. THANK YOU in advance if you can donate. Please don't feel obligated!



### Home Talk:

Take a "five senses walk" in the neighborhood. What can you see? Hear? Smell? Touch? What tasty treat could you eat upon returning home? Enjoy this time with your little scientist. ☺



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:

Moriah Dent and Luca Hinojosa

