



# Kindergarten eLc Newsletter



September 29, 2017

## This Week in ELA:

We learned about how the alphabet works! We know that letters make words and the order of the letters matters! We used the same letters to create different words, like *stop* and *pots*. We read, acted out, and illustrated *Humpty Dumpty*. Our sight words this week were *had* and *he*. We reviewed letters Aa and Ss. During independent reading, we had a blast reading our favorite storybooks! In writing workshop, we learned how to *ask questions* to make our writing better. We sometimes are tempted to write a story quickly and move on without thinking, "How could this be better? What is missing? What could I add?" We are continuing to stretch and write words that match our illustrations.

## This Week in Math:

We practiced counting quantities of 5, 6, and 7 in different arrangements. We looked at a set of objects in linear, circular, or scattered arrangements and then colored in only a certain amount. Sometimes we had to double check our counting! We also worked on forming our numerals correctly.

## This Week in Social Studies:

We talked about leadership and authority. We know that there are ways for us to be leaders, even in kindergarten! There are also community leaders. We learned about police officers, bus drivers, crossing guards, and firefighters. All of them help to keep us safe. We know it is important to listen to the leaders in our lives, like our parents, teachers, and other authority figures.



9/30 Garrett, Gabby, & Jackson Grassi

10/3 Catie Grondell                      10/19 Angel Ragin

10/11 Angelina Vu                      10/18 Sawyer Peebles

10/14 Mrs. McKenna

## Important Dates:

- 10/4 Fall Pictures
- 10/9 Book Fair (more info to come)
- 10/11 Charleston Wrap Pick Up 2:30-6:00
- 10/12 NASA Night
- 10/19 Grandparents' Day



## Reminders/Announcements:

- **Please send your child's library book in every Friday for book checkout!**
- **Coach Mills is in need of shoe boxes for a field day event (coming up in October). Please send in if you have any at home!**
- **Please send your yellow family folders back on Monday. Be sure to check the front/back pockets of both the daily and family folders.**



## Home Talk:

Ask your child which authority figures we learned about this week. Who are some other authority figures in your life? Why is it important to listen to those leaders?



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:

Porter Fleniken and Gabby Grassi

