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This Week in ELA:

This week in reading, we practiced recognizing, writing, and hearing letters Nn, Qq, and Rr. We read and illustrated the poem *Five Little Pumpkins*. Ask your child to recite it for you with our motions. We also learned sight words *am*, *at*, and *is*. We focused on identifying characters and setting in stories we read, and also discussed what happened in the beginning, middle and end of the story. In writing, we have continued to practice creating sentences to tell a story. This week, we even got new writing paper with lines for our sentences. We are becoming awesome authors!

This Week in Math:

We continued solidifying our instant recognition of numbers 0-10 when we see a dot arrangement. We have also been working on identifying which number or group of objects is more than, less than or equal to another group.

This Week in Science:

This week we began our unit on Fall. We created bubble maps to show what we already know, and we also spent time learning about what animals do in the fall. Ask your student what squirrels, geese, or bears do during this time of oyear!



Mrs. McKenna 10/14

Ging Mack 10/22

Important Dates:

10/21 **FULL DAY** 10/22 Student Holiday 10/23 Student Holiday 10/28 End of 1st 9 Weeks 10/29 Fall Pictures 10/30 Field Trip to Edventure



Reminders:

- Please send your child in uniforms daily! ③
- Starting next week, you do not need to worry about sending in a towel anymore in Mrs. McKenna's room. Thanks!
- Library Checkout Days: Frazier-Tuesday, McKenna-Wednesday
- Upcoming Activity Classes: Frazier-Science Explorations, McKenna- NASA Lab
 - Be sure to check the eLc Blog for updates!

Home Talk:

Spend time with your child making observations about fall. What changes can you see happening outside? Take a picture or have your child draw a picture of changes you observe and write a sentence to tell about it.

We are Bucket Fillers!



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:

Rose Grondell and Charlize Cavender

Congratulations, Bucket Fillers!

