

Kindergarten Newsletter



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This Week in ELA:

This week in reading, we practiced and recognizing, identifying sounds, and writing letters Aa-Dd. We read and illustrated the poem Humpty Dumpty and read many books about names. We also learned sight words I_{ℓ} a, and can. Additionally, we introduced our independent reading block, when we will practice reading by ourselves to become better readers. We learned that readers look at pictures and at words. We continued writing workshop, practicing thinking of a story from our lives and drawing a picture/writing words to tell about it. Our main focus is making a plan and adding more to make our stories better.

This Week in Math:

This week in math, we practiced classifying and sorting objects. We also are learning to use our "counting fingers" in a new way: our left pinky is 1, our left ring finger is 2, our left middle finger is 3, our left pointer is 4, and our left thumb is 5.



Phoese Pinner 8/5 J.W. Newman 8/12 Scarlett Philp 8/15 Paris Barksdale 8/22

Important Dates:

9/1- Curriculum Night 5:30-6:30 9/5 Labor Day- School Holiday 9/22 Half Day-Parent Teacher Conferences



Reminders:

- Please send your child in uniforms daily! @
- Students must go directly to the cafeteria in the mornings if they are eating breakfast at school.
- The school day starts promptly at 8:00.
- Please sign your child out no later than 2:15 if you are picking up early for any reason.

Home Talk:

Ask your child about "SOAR"ing at school. See if he/she can name our 4 rules (Safe, On Task, Always Respectful, and Responsible). Help your child think of ways that to "SOAR" both at school and at home! He/she may even draw a picture to show what "SOAR"ing looks like.



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 filler is: Paris Barksdale

