Kindergarten News

Unit Theme:

Stories vs Informational Text: On the Farm

October 15-19, 2018



Language Arts/Reading

<u>Phonemic Awareness</u> — Students will continue to blend sounds together to make new words. We will also continue to segment sounds in words.

<u>Phonics</u> — Students will blend words with new letters v, z, p, and e . We will continue to focus on left and right tracking. We will learn new sight words it, is, and can.

<u>Literature</u> — Students will explore answering the question: What makes a good story? Students will determine the differences between informational text and stories. We will use stories and books that focus on farm animals to explore these topics. We will begin to focus on setting.

<u>Writing</u> — Students will practice using response journals to answer sentence prompts. We will focus on verbs and using a strategy for writing and speaking in a complete sentence, adding details to our writing.

Things to work on at home with your child:

- Write name (capital and lowercase) -Count to 20 by ones
- Read with your child every night
 Practice tying shoes
 Practice fastening and unfastening belts
- -Practice writing numbers 0-10 in increasing and decreasing order
- -Use the words RIGHT and LEFT as often as possible in daily communication. A green dot at the starting point for writing will be helpful for beginning writers!

Math

Students will explore 2D shapes and 3D forms, learning their attributes and sorting them accordingly.

Social Studies/Science

Students will focus on mapping skills and building a map in social studies. In science we will be discussing groups of animals and how they are the same and different. We will discuss what living things need to survive.

Arts Integration Night October 17 @ 6:00pm!

Reminders:

- Any money sent to school should be in an envelope labeled with your child's name and what it is for.
- Please put an extra set of clothes (shirt, socks, underwear and shorts) in your child's backpack in case of an accident. Place these items in a zip-lock bag and write your child's name on it.

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Important Dates to Remember:

- 15th Report Cards go Home
- 15th 1st 9 Weeks Box Tops for Education Contest Pizza Party!
- 16th Deadline to turn in Fall Fest T–Shirt Design Entry Forms
- 17th Work Packets & Data Binders go Home
- 17th PTO Meeting Topic: Fall Fest 5:00 pm (Amphitheater)
- 17th Arts Integration Night 6:00
- 18th #1 Fundraiser Packets Due
- 20th Mrs. Morrissey's Birthday
- 23rd Tasty Tuesday: Frozen Treat from the Ice Cream Freezer (\$2.00)

Sight Words	Letter Sounds
it	٧
i5	Z
can	Р
	е