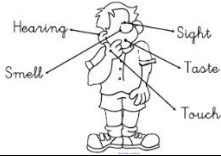


# Kindergarten News

<p><b>Unit Theme:</b></p> <p>Applying our Knowledge of our 5 Senses to our World</p>	<p>September 24-28, 2018</p> <p><u>THE 5 SENSES</u></p> 
<p><b>Language Arts/Reading</b></p> <p><u>Phonemic Awareness</u> – Students will continue to blend sounds together to make new words.</p> <p><u>Phonics</u> – Students will ID o, c, g, i by sound. We will continue to focus on left and right tracking. We will learn the sight words a, me and like this week, as well! All sight words and letter sounds will be practiced in reading, writing and spelling.</p> <p><u>Literature</u> – Students will explore answering the question: How do our senses help us learn? Students will look at pictures and use text clues to explore a fictional text. We will continue to answer prompts using text evidence to support answers.</p> <p><u>Writing</u> – Students will practice using response journals to answer sentence prompts. We will focus on adding a label to drawings, using text evidence.</p>	<p><b>Things to work on at home with your child:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Write name (capital and lowercase)</li> <li>-Count to 20 by ones</li> <li>- Read with your child every night</li> <li>- Practice tying shoes</li> <li>-Practice fastening and unfastening belts</li> <li>-Practice writing numbers 0-10</li> <li>-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!</li> </ul>
<p><b>Math</b></p> <p>Students will count groups to 10 in all configurations and discuss the idea of ONE MORE, experimenting with making groups bigger.</p>	<p><b>Please check websites for a link to parent/teacher conferences if you have not signed up already!</b></p>
<p><b>Social Studies/Science</b></p> <p>Students will focus on positional and directional words as a precursor to maps. We will discuss the water cycle in depth, learning about each stage and observing and tracking water as it moves through the water cycle.</p>	
<p><b>Reminders:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Any money sent to school should be in an envelope labeled with your child's name and what it is for.</li> <li>• <b>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.</b></li> </ul>	<p><b>Teacher Contacts:</b></p> <p>Mrs. Cutrer: ccutrer@ebrschools.org          Ms. Montero: hmontero@ebrschools.org          Mrs. Morrissey: mmorrissey@ebrschools.org          School Website: www.brcvpa.com          School Phone: (225)344-0084</p>
<p><b>Important Dates to Remember:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- September 25th - Tasty Tuesday: Frozen Treat from the Ice Cream Freezer (\$2.00) ONLY STUDENTS WITH GOOD BEHAVIOR MAY PARTICIPATE IN KINDERGARTEN. Check with your teacher if you're unsure if your child will participate.</li> <li>- September 27th - Manners of the Heart Positive Behavior Event - BREC on the GEaux</li> <li>- September 28th - Student of the Month Ice Cream Social 2:15-3:00</li> <li>- October 2nd - Tie-Dye Tuesday at TJ Ribs (4:00 - 6:00)</li> <li>- October 3rd - Work Packets &amp; Data Binders go Home</li> <li>- October 5th - Teacher PD Day - Thematic Planning (NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS)</li> <li>- October 8th - Fall break - NO SCHOOL</li> </ul>	<p><b>Sight Words:</b></p> <p>a like me</p> <p><b>Letters:</b></p> <p>o c g i</p>