

Kindergarten Newsletter

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This month we...

Math: counted to 100 by 1s and 10s, and solved put together story word problems using drawings, and decomposed up to 6..

Social Studies/ Science: identified landforms and bodies of water in the environment. Created shelters with a roof designed to keep water out.

Writing: extended a story's ending, wrote our opinion about a character and compared two texts.

Reading: determined important information, identified text features and story elements.

Coming up next month...

Math: we will be describing, comparing, and composing shapes.

Social Studies/ Science: we will study a variety of jobs and identify workers as a human resource. We will explore different patterns of motion and investigate how pushes and pulls can make an object move faster or slower.

Writing: we will state and write an opinion, and identify and write a key detail from a text.

Reading: we will be identifying characters and events, identifying and using captions and illustrations, and making inferences.

Thinking and Academic Success Skills (TASS):

Synthesis

Putting parts together to build understanding of a whole concept or to form a new or unique whole.

Effort/Motivation/Persistence

Working diligently and applying effective strategies to achieve a goal or solve a problem; continuing in the face of obstacles and competing pressures.

Please Reinforce These Skills at Home:

Tying shoes and zipping coats independently.
Sight word recognition (see homework for the list of words we work on each week).
Arriving to school with necessary materials.
Counting to 100 by 10s, 5s, and 1s.
Writing numerals to 20.
Identifying characters, setting, problem, and solution in books.

Upcoming Dates & Reminders:

1/28-Third Marking Period Begins
2/4- PTA Meeting @ 7:15pm
2/4-Report Cards Distributed
2/14- Valentine's Day Party @ 2:30 pm
2/17-No School

