



Our Kindergarten Classroom News

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The News from Our Class

I hope everyone had a nice long weekend. It was great to see so many of you on Back to School Night. Now we are finally “in the swing of things” and we have lots of learning to do!

In Math, we will be learning about the concept of “one more”, continuing to work on counting, and learning all about ordinal numbers (1st, 2nd, 3rd, etc.) up to 10. In Language Arts, we will continue working on our phonemic awareness, phonics, sight words, comprehension, reading and writing our letters, and much more. We will also begin DIBELS testing this week. DIBELS tests help us determine a Language Arts benchmark for each student and helps to measure growth throughout the year.

In Social Studies, we are continuing to talk about citizenship through stories and group discussions. However, our biggest event will be in Science - this week we will officially get goldfish for our class aquarium! They will play a big part in our Science Curriculum as we observe animals, learn about habitats, compare and contrast animals, and more.

Home-School Connection

- Counting everyday objects and comparing quantities.
- Talking about different rules and why we follow them.
- Observing animals and where they live.
- Reading together and tracing letters.

Reminders

School Picture Day is on September 9th.

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If you are picking up your child right when school ends, the best place to meet us is right outside the building.

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Mrs. Valleie’s Office Hours are M/W 2:30pm-4pm & T/Th 6:45am-7:45am, please feel free to stop by!

