

Kindergarten News

The LC Football team came to our room to read with us on September 15th. We made them posters (Go Grizzlies) to hang in their locker room. Also, we did a cheer to get them fired up for the football game. The students had a great time listening to the big kids read!

We were busy in the month of September. We finished our first two chapters in Math. Now, we should all be able to recognize, write, count, and compare numbers 0-5. In Reading the class has been working hard on letter recognition, sounds, and writing. The letters we have already covered are Mm, Nn, Ff, Vv, and Pp. Another skill we have been focusing on is writing our first name. I do see great progress in how our name looks now compared to earlier in the school year. We have enjoyed learning about our classmates, with our getting to know you star student activities. Our apple theme covered a lot of different subjects like Reading, Science, Social Studies, and Art. Last week we watched the video of Johnny Appleseed and had applesauce for our snack time to finish the unit.

The October topics will be Grandparent's Day, fire safety, pumpkins, fall changes, skeletons - Health, and Red Ribbon activities for drug awareness. In Math, we are learning about numbers 6-10 in chapter three. For Reading, letters and sounds will still be a priority along with some literature. Sight words will be a main focus starting this month too. We will be introduced to developmental writing to express ideas at our grade level.

The boys will need to bring a healthy snack for the whole class (26 students) sometime this month. Thanks for all the donated items so far.

A note will come out later about our basket for the November Chili Supper. The PreK and Kindergarten classes will do a "Family Fun Night" theme basket this year.

The children are excited about our Harvest Fest that is coming up on Friday, October 27th. We will have activities at our school that morning for the K-2 classes.

I am sending out the Parent/Teacher Conference notes today. Please read, fill out, and send back to school by the due date. I am offering other days and times to meet with parents, since I have 26 students this year. We have a lot to talk about, so we will probably be running behind schedule. I can meet in the morning before school, after school, or on my afternoon break from 12:25-12:55. If this will work better for you, please make a note of it on the conference paper. I will give you a call to set up a day and time. Thank you!

The Halloween party is being planned for Tuesday, October 31st at 2:30 p.m. Tamara Blood is the room mother this year with some help from Brittnay Kastler. One of them will be organizing and calling parents that signed up for this party to send or drop off items at the school. The class will have a fun time to celebrate the fall season with their teacher and classmates. *There will be one parade this year. It is going to be starting at the school at 1:45 p.m. and heading downtown for family and community members to watch. The children will bring a costume with them to school to change into or to put over their clothes. The staff may help them if needed. They will need good walking shoes for being outside. Please remember no play weapons at school as part of their costume.