



WELCOME!

I am excited to start the new school year and get to know my **All-star Students!**

Most of our time will be devoted to getting acclimated to our classroom, rules and routine. This newsletter keeps you informed on the topics we are covering, new concepts being introduced and reminds you of any special events taking place in our classroom.

Expressive Vocabulary:

Accurate: *being correct*

Bashful: *embarrassed or shy around people*

Manners: "Please" and "Thank you"

Featured Story: "The Kissing Hand"

Bit Cards: Musical Instruments

A little "bit" of information will be introduced about different instruments.

Reminders

- Labor Day-center closed.
- Don't forget to sign up to receive important information regarding our center on the REMIND App.
- Have you returned the forms that you received in your information folder?

Happy Birthday!

Joey Craven 8/20



Craft an Writing

Legible penmanship is our goal for the year. Reinforcing the proper way to hold a pencil and form each letter will strengthen this skill. This week we will concentrate on the letters Aa and Bb, plus every day through the year we will practice printing our names.

Math, Science & Social Studies

We will review the numbers 1-10, introduce color words Red and Blue, and review basic shapes. The children will also learn about and work with "sets." A "set" is a group of items or objects which belong together. Primary and secondary colors will be discussed in science. To help the children learn about this science concept I will read the book "Mouse Paint" and the children will then mix primary colors to make a new color.

Language Arts/Phonics

The children will review the letters Aa and Bb and their phonetic sounds. They will learn that the letter Aa is a vowel and it makes a long and short vowel sound. To help the children review the letter sounds, they will match pictures to the correct letters. We will read "David Goes to School" by David Shannon and "Chrysanthemum" by Ken Henkes throughout the week.

