

#### Lockport Kindergarten Newsletter

Weeks 1 and 2: August 14—25, 2023

Getting to Know You!

INTRODUCING: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Aa, Bb, Cc, Dd, Ee, Ff, Gg, Hh, Ii, Jj, circle, square, triangle, rectangle

Site Words: a, and, are, at an

## LANGUAGE AND READING:

We will focus on the letters Aa through Jj. The children will learn the phonetic sound of each letter and words that begin with each letter. We are going to read Bold Beginning stories 1—6. The words are: go, and, run, see, me, I, am, do, you, look, my.

Many stories will be read and we will be getting to know one another! Chicka, Chicka, Boom, Boom and No David! are two of the books we will focus on.

## MATH AND SCIENCE:

The numbers 1—5 will be introduced this week. Not only will the children learn to identify the numbers, they will also learn the concept of how many. Every day we will discuss the calendar and learn about what day it is and the year. The children will learn patterning, place value, weather graphing and the seasons.

We will learn about primary and secondary colors. We will mix them together and see what happens! We will have a color mixing project that will come home at the end of the week.

# CRAFT AND WRITING:

Proper printing will be encouraged throughout the year as the children learn to print their letters and numbers. We also start each letter and number at the top. We will strengthen our fine motor skills by cutting and gluing art projects. Some of the art projects will relate to our books that we will read.

#### **PARENT NOTES:**

Welcome to the 2023-24 school year!

- 1. Please check your child's "RED" take home folder daily.
- 2. Remember to bring in a current picture of your child for the birthday board.
- 3. Never hesitate to call or drop me a note if you have any questions or concerns.
- 4. Please bring in a sweatshirt or sweater to leave at school in case they get cold and extra clothes in case of an accident.

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Looking forward to a great year!

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