



Week 5:
September 11-15,
2023

Mrs. Lauren

Kindergarten Newsletter

Theme- Pets

Expressive Vocabulary-

Inevitable- not able to be avoided

Jovial- full of fun; merry; jolly

Proverb- Do unto others as you would have them do unto you

Manners: Talk with an empty mouth & eat with a fork and spoon

Student of the Week: Caleb (taken home on Friday, and returned to school on Monday)

Introductions: Letters: li and Jj Bit Cards:
Vincent van Gogh Author Study: Eric Carle

KINDERGARTEN SPELLING TEST ON FRIDAY,
9/15

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Language Arts:

We will begin to work on the basic sight word list level 1, and add them to our new interactive wall. Please see all of the information to come home in your child's green folder this week. We'll continue to work on word families dealing with -ap and -ed. Our class will be working on rhyming words, patterning, and graphing through fun learning activities. New manners will be introduced and we will discuss everyday situations when we need to remember to use our manners. The boys and girls will continue their writing practice to strengthen their fine motor skills and proper letter formation. We'll enjoy music on Friday!

Math:

The children are doing a great job counting to 100. We will continue to count by 1's, 2's, 5's, and 10's with fun learning songs. This week, we will complete number activities where they hold number cards and place themselves in a line to show correct number sequence. We'll also practice matching numeral cards to written numerals. (1 goes with one) A fun geo board activity will help the students understand rows, columns, and ordinal numbers.

Social Studies: We'll enjoy learning about our great state of Illinois. We will learn about our state flower and bird, along with finding Illinois on a map.

Concept: For the next weeks, we'll be discussing the season change, and look for signs outdoors. (Changing leaves, little pumpkins, acorns, pinecones, etc.)

PRE-K STUDENTS: The children will enjoy discussing pets. Identifying animals that can be pets, and others that cannot. The children will also get to share if they have a pet, or if they'd like to have a pet.

Notes to Parents:

- Welcome back! We are looking forward to a great 2023-24 school year!
- Please return your signed emergency information sheets, tuition policies, and any other remaining forms needed to complete your child's file.
- Preschool Parents...Please remember the first monthly preschool tuition payment was due on August 1, and the second was due on September 1.
- Please send in a picture of your child for the classroom, if you haven't already done so.
- Fire Drills on Wednesday and Thursday, September 20 and 21.
- The first day of fall is on Friday, September 22.
- Happy Birthday Johnny Appleseed... Tuesday, September 26
- We will be closed on Monday, October 9 for a staff inservice training day.
- Have you enrolled for Tuition Express online payments? Many have found this convenient, but we still of course, accept check and cash payments.
- Have you enrolled for Remind Messaging? Text the message @homergle to the number 81010
- Please bring a water bottle to school.
- Feel free to bring a sweatshirt or sweater to keep at school, our classroom can get chilly!