

Teachers Message

Hello kindergarteners and families! We miss you all so much! We hope everyone is doing well. Believe it or not, there are only 4 weeks left before summer break! We hope you are enjoying the in-home learning activities that are posted each week. Do not forget, we love to see your work. You can send us pictures or videos through email or ClassDojo.

Kindergarten Countdown! Hi Future Highlands Families!

We will be hosting a Virtual Kindergarten event on Thursday, May 28. There are two sessions for families to choose from. This is an opportunity for families with incoming kindergarteners to learn information about our school, the kindergarten experience, kindergarten readiness, and more. A Zoom link will be required for you to join the Virtual Kindergarten event. [Find out how to register here](#). Families, please reach out if you have any questions. Enjoy! 😊

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Each day we will be posting activities for literacy – but do not forget the most important thing! You should read and write EVERY DAY! Find a special spot, snuggle in, and have fun!

Tuesday

Reading: Read Aloud and retell

Today, Mrs. Krisel will read a book named “Knuffle Bunny” with you. After hearing the book, you will be able to retell the story by telling the beginning, middle and end.

Video: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/14RffzczFRpFQ8QrUZH3-sK8b9jWgBmu6/view?usp=sharing>

Math: Counting Collections

Today, you will learn about grouping by 10's while doing counting collections. Mrs. Yevenko will show you how you can organize your collection in an easy and efficient way!

Video: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/12ByunRFg37xIdfvmXZ9SqQ-5ZcB3NkWn/view>

Wednesday

Writing: Writers use mentor text to study

Today, Ms. Hensley is going to teach you how writers use mentor texts to study how other authors make stories exciting to read.

Video:
<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1wusxecLzPKnW0qy3Rst8Bz1PUQmOZtJG/view?usp=sharing>

Math: Story Problems

Today, Ms. Morgan will need your help to find out how many flowers will be left after she puts 10 flowers in the vase. Have fun!

Ms. Morgan got 14 flowers. She could put 10 in the vase. How many would be left over?

Video 1:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/18zlxswBsljnag9fCW8jd2Y7FpKn6yEPI/view?usp=sharing>

Challenge: Ms. Morgan got 22 flowers for her sister. If her sister had vases that could only hold 10 flowers, how many vases would she need? How many flowers would be left over?

Video 2:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Oa9WsuX2YiOUaYoTz3AHNKJpx0OPpMHH/view?usp=sharing>

Thursday

Phonics: Avid readers can work with parts of words

Today, Mrs. Yevenko will teach you to look at the smaller chunks in words to help you figure out words you do not know!

Video: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1dcsbQ1kQrtoiQjWzM3u8q9ESMLCI-DJ/view>

Math: One more, One less

Today, you will play a game called "One more, One less" with Ms. Hensley. Click on the link below and follow the directions on how to play. Have fun!

Video: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1jSAcK5PLCIRnaN-nhapp3-FuWt2BnRi/view?usp=sharing>

Link of game: <https://us-school.pearsoned.com/school/9331c47e-fa7b-4e8f-90b2-dfd862deaeef/D0680506/player.html>

Friday

Writing: Writers set the scene of their story

Today, Ms. Hensley will teach you how writers set the scene of their story by telling **When** and **Where** their story takes place.

Video: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1-QqFbJgTYr4zrjZCQQInwIXb5HqRNhgM/view?usp=sharing>

Math: Counting Free Choice Games

Today, you will choose any of the math games below. You can play by yourself or with a partner. Also practice some counting.

1. Count by 1's from 1 to 100 or higher.
2. Count by 10's to 100.
3. Count backwards from 20 to 1.

Math Games

- **Race to The Sun:**

<https://us-school.pearsoned.com/school/a5671e40-29d6-46bb-9534-8649260bab88/D0680560/player.html>

- **Toss the chips:**

<https://us-school.pearsoned.com/school/730bf94d-2974-4857-b2a3-0a2939eb7417/D0680518/player.html>

- **Math facts within 5:**

<https://youtu.be/REYspl7rfMs>

- **Shake and Spill**

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YxrMck_d9FI&feature=youtu.be

- **Bowl Game**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gmlTalWcUMI&list=PLK-djrB3ZYZqswspv35CVrrvBKLcLF-ww>

- **Breaking Trains**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lo7MqAmosVI&feature=youtu.be>