

KINDERGARTEN NEWS



OCTOBER



FROM THE TEACHER

The first month of school focused on rules and routines, developing focus and listening skills, and working on friendship skills. We will continue to work on these skills throughout the year.

As October begins, we will dive deeper into academic skills: blending sounds and writing words, as well as counting and solving math problems.

Some skills to practice at home include: tying shoes and zipping coats, reviewing letter sounds, and sight words, listening to stories, and counting and writing numbers.

WE ARE LEARNING

Math: We will continue to practice counting, identifying numbers, comparing sets using the words more and less, developing number sense with combinations that make 5 and 10, and building 2-D shapes.

Reading: We will learn about characters, practice describing characters, and compare and contrast characters in stories. We are also learning about letters, letter sounds, and sight words.

Writing: We are developing our drawing skills and beginning to label our pictures with letter sounds.

Science: We will learn about trees and the weather.

REMINDERS

- ★ **Please remember to help your child empty their backpack each night after school!**
- ★ Please call the office at (612)-668-5011 by 11:30 am for any changes to your child's transportation.

IMPORTANT DATES

- ★ October 3rd - No School (Holiday - Rosh Hashanah)
- ★ Parent-Teacher Conferences:
Oct. 15th 3pm-7pm
Oct. 16th 7am-3pm
- ★ No School Oct. 16-18th (MEA Break)