# Kindergarten News!!!




CHALLENGE CHARTER SCHOOL

**Week of Sept. 7-11**

## Core Virtues for September:

**Respect and Responsibility**



### Sayings

"Do unto others as you would have them do unto you".

"A place for everything and every-thing in its place".




### Important Dates:

Sept. 9th: Specials

Sept. 11: APEX Remix Event

Sept. 16-17: Parent/Teacher Conference (These days are half days, dismissal is at 11:30 am.)

Sept. 21:Specials

Sept. 22: First Day of Fall!

Oct. 2: Magic School Bus Night




Please see the back of this newsletter for more information

### What your Kindergartener is Learning:

#### Language Arts

**Domain:** We will finish our unit on the five senses. We will take the **tests on Thursday and Friday.**

**The study guide is attached to this weeks Homework Checklist.**

Our next Unit is all about different stories. We will work on learning different parts of a story.

**Skills:** We have started learning the sounds. In these lessons students will learn words that start with the sound, how to write the sound, and movements for the sounds.

This week we are working on the following sounds: "n" and "h"

#### Math

This week we will work on Lesson 5. This lesson is working on greater than and less than.

Vocabulary Words for this Lesson:

compare, more, less

## Kindergarten Reminders:




### Conferences are Coming!!!

**Sept. 16-17, both Days are early Dismissal, school is over at 11:30 am. There is no aftercare available on these days.**

**If you have not signed up please do so as soon as possible!**

**Upcoming Events:**

Keep an eye our for fall book report...information coming soon.

Also, our first parent volunteers dates

Save the Date for Oct. 2 our first school community event: Magic School Bus Night! You won't want to miss this!




This month the first 20 words need to be mastered. Keep working on these at home! Please make flash cards at home to help practice these. These words are words that can not be sounded out, so they just need to be memorized.

**the, of , I, and, or, a, at, to, do, in, on, is, it, had, can, not, but, so, no, go**

## Magic School Bus Wish List!

Below are items we are in need of to make Magic School Bus a Success!

White glue bottles
Wax paper
Sandpaper
Bags of beans
Poms poms or cotton balls
Dry noodles
Feathers



## ***Letter Sounds:***

Learning the letter sounds is a very important kindergarten skill. This sets up students for success in learning to read. We are also learning the skill of writing each sound.

Each night it is important to look through your child's folder to see which sound we learned. Many of the activities that will come home can be a great tool for practicing at home. Please save these items to use throughout the weeks of learning the sounds, if your child needs the extra practice.

Five Senses:

**Study Guide is attached to the Homework Check List!**

Things to remember:

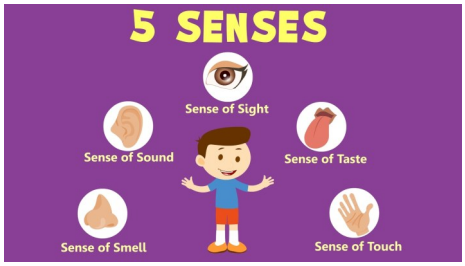
Parts of the Eye: Pupil and Iris

Sound Waves (Sense of Hearing)

Smell Receptors (Sense of Smell)

Taste Buds (Sense of Taste)

Nerves (Sense of Touch)




**Core Knowledge is #1! We get it done with fun!! Hands-on, Right on!**

**Integrated Science, Social Studies, Math and Language Arts!**