Mrs. Roehrs’ Classroom News

Monday, September 25, 2017

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* In math this week, we will work on Numbers to 10. Touching and counting objects in groups provides a concrete introduction to the counting process. It also helps develop other number sense concepts, such as one-to-one correspondence.
* The skills we are practicing are:
* Count 0-9 objects by using one-to-one correspondence.
* Compare two sets of objects, or a set of objects and a numeral, to determine if there is a difference of one more, one less, or the same number of objects.
* Please help your child work on counting numbers, recognizing numbers, sorting objects in different ways, talking about things that are the same and not the same, and finding things that match.
* Help your child count and write their numbers to 20.
* You will notice that some of your child’s numbers may be written backwards. This is normal for this age. We continue to work hard on writing them correctly.

***Reading & Writing***

* ***In Reading***, we will be working on the letters Nn, Oo, Pp, Qq, Rr.
* We will continue to talk about words that rhyme. We will also begin working on listening for single sounds in words. Ex. The “d” sound in *dog.* The sound of a letter is represented in between /d/ marks.
* ***Comprehension:*** We will work on reading and listening to stories. We will talk about main ideas and how to summarize the story.
* ***Fluency:*** We will talk about how good readers read with expression. Be sure to model this when reading with your child.
* ***In Writing Workshop***, we will continue to work on adding details to their picture so that it tells their story. Also, I will continue to encourage them to try to write the words to their story. Helping your child learn the letter sounds and the letters that belong to that sound is a very important skill for writing success.

***Math***

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**HOMEWORK**

Occasionally, your child will have “homework” in their folder. Please complete this at home and send in the next day. Try to let your child do all of the work and only assist when they are stuck. Be supportive but set a good habit of encouraging them to do the work themselves.

Popcorn will be sold every Friday for 50 cents.

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1. Thank you to all parents for filling out and returning paperwork so quickly!
2. **REMINDER:** Book orders due to me or online by October 14th.
3. Please wear tennis shoes or send some in on P.E. days.
4. Accidents: please send in an extra pair of clothes, including underwear, just in case your child has an accident. I do have extra clothes in my room, but most of the children enjoy wearing their own clothes. ☺ If your child has an accident, please try to send a replacement set of clothing as soon as possible.
5. Write me a note in your child’s agenda if their routine for going home changes.
6. FRIDAY, OCT. 13th: Picture Make Ups
7. Library books will be due on Thursdays.

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Monday – Music and P.E.

Tuesday –Library

Wednesday – P.E. and Music

Thursday – Computers

Friday –Music and P.E.

**OFFICE SIGN IN….**

When coming inside the school, you **MUST sign in at the office**. If you plan to stay or go to your child’s classroom, you **MUST have your DRIVER’S LICENSE with you**!!

Thank you very much for helping keep our children safe!

PTO News

Vowles Extreme Challenge

Information went home about the challenge this week.

It will be held on September 29th from 1:15-2:00

Classes will compete against each other in a fun obstacle course. Please return any donations collected prior to the event.

The goal is for each student to raise $40.00 to assist with field trips, supplies, and more.

THANK YOU for your support!!!

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**What to Do When Your Child Is Sick or**

 **Has a Fever**

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School policy is that if your child is sick in the evening and/or has a fever over 99 degrees, they MUST remain home for 24 hours before they can return to school. This is for the health of ALL of the students in school. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

**Late Arrivals and Early Pick Ups**

All students who arrive after 8:30 must be brought into the school by an adult and signed in at the office. After 8:30, students are marked tardy. Lunch counts are turned in by 9:00 every day. If you know your child will be late, please call the office to order their lunch. Students being checked out prior to the end of the day will be marked as an “early out tardy.”