



Wild about Kindergarten



News and Notes from Mrs. McCrickard & Mrs. Boggs

For the Week of: August 14, 2017



Here's what we are working on!

Reading: We are reading several books & poems talking about print concepts. We are working on understanding the front of a book, title page, one letter/word, two letters/words, where to begin reading, etc.

Letterland: This week we will be learning about Kicking King, Lucy Lamp Light, Munching Mike, Noisy Nick, Oscar Orange & Peter Puppy.

Writing: We are working on interviewing our classmates creating a friend book.

Math: We are working on counting & recognizing numbers 1-10.

Social Studies: This week we will finish learning about SPOT. We will be discussing "T" which stands for Teamwork.

Explorer of the Week

I will be choosing an *Explorer of the Week* (student of the week). There will be several half sheets coming home for your child to fill out. Feel free to write for your child (if you would like) & your child can draw the pictures. Your child will share about themselves & then we will display them on our *Explorer of the Week* bulletin board. You will be able to see when your child will be our *Explorer of the Week* on the monthly calendar that will be sent home. Please have your child bring in their sheets to share on the Monday that they are *Explorer of the Week*.

Dates to Remember

- ◆ August 18th: Early Release (1:20 pm)

Specials Schedule

Monday: Guidance
Tuesday: Art
Wednesday: Music
Thursday: P.E.
Friday: Technology



Teacher Note

I was planning on taking the children out to view the solar eclipse, but due to not being able to find the approved glasses we will not be able to. However, I will plan a few activities explaining the solar eclipse & show them some pictures.



Classroom Wish List

playdough, playdough accessories, magnetic letters, small cookie sheets, magic erasers, color copy paper, color card stock, white card stock, Ziploc bags (gallon, quart & snack), plastic spoons

Lunch/Snack

Snack is at 10:30 & lunch is from 1:00-1:30. Please pack your child's snack separately from their lunch. I strongly encourage the children to bring a water bottle labeled with your child's name each day. I will start having the children take their water bottles outside during recess.



Volunteers

I appreciate volunteers to help with activities & learning in the classroom. These times will be determined soon. Please register through the Wake County website to be a volunteer as soon as possible.

Transportation Changes & Absences

Please inform me in writing if your child's transportation routine will be changed in any way. I will always send them on their regular mode of transportation if I do not have a note. The safety of your child is my first priority.

If your child is absent from school, please send in a note **within 2 days** of returning to school explaining the reason for the absence. Please also include the date(s) when absent. Without a note, the absence will be counted as unexcused.



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