

The Kindergarten News
for Week 7 September 25th - September 29th , 2017

Theme- Safety-Stranger Danger

Expressive Vocabulary-

Multitude: a great number of people or things

Negotiate: to talk over and arrange terms

Bits of Intelligence- Birds

Student of the Week/Class Mascot- Laila Zayyad (taken home Friday, Sept. 29th and returned to school October 2nd)

Word Wall Words- I, see, jump, look, run

Introductions- Letters: Mm and Nn

Author Study- Laura Numeroff

Language Arts: Last week we learned about popcorn words which are words that we see often in everyday print. We will be reading stories that include some of our words. As a group, we will search a story for popcorn words. We will again “butter” those words with our yellow markers. The class will work on building sentences which will give the students practice reading and organizing words to make a sentence. We will spend the day on Tuesday, September 26th celebrating Johnny Appleseed’s Birthday! Our apples will be used for a fun graphing activity, estimating apple seeds and of course a delicious snack!

Math: We will be counting and tracing by 10’s up to 100! We will practice simple addition and complete the corresponding pages in our math workbooks. The children will be introduced to simple fractions. We will begin with the fraction 1/ 2.

Science: This week our science experiment uses magnets. The children will experiment with various items to see if they are magnetic or not. We will also discuss the importance of wheels, machines and tools as we have a discussion about simple machines. We will have lessons about stranger danger and the boys and girls will learn that a stranger is a person they do not know. Our class will make a list of safety rules for strangers and then the children will learn to yell, scream, and run to defend themselves from strangers.

Social Studies: We will discuss our upcoming holiday Columbus Day and the boys and girls will continue to practice our home addresses. We will also begin to learn our telephone numbers. Please help your child learn these concepts at home.

Art: Look for fall and Halloween craft to be displayed around our classroom!

NOTES TO PARENTS:

*TUESDAY, SEPT 26TH-HAPPY BIRTHDAY JOHNNY APPLESEED! REMEMBER TO BRING ONE APPLE TO SCHOOL ON THIS DAY

*REMINDER- NO SCHOOL ON COLUMBUS DAY, MONDAY, OCTOBER 9TH-TEACHER INSTITUTE DAY

* PRE-K AND KINDERGARTEN FIELD TRIP TO KONOW’S PUMPKIN FARM IS ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6TH. PLEASE BE SURE TO TURN IN YOUR SIGNED PERMISSON SLIP