The Kindergarten News for Week 2 August 21st- 25th, 2017

Theme- Five Senses Expressive Vocabulary-

Conspicuous: clearly in view, easy to be seen

Discard: to throw away

Bits of Intelligence: Musical Instruments

Bit cards are large flash cards with different pictures of instruments. As I am flipping through the cards we quickly say the name of the instrument. When that is mastered, I quickly add a fact as I flip through the cards.

Manners: "Try to share" and "Use words, no hitting."

Introductions- Letters: Cc and Dd

Geometric Shapes: Cube, cylinder, cone, and sphere

Numbers: 1-20

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I hope your child enjoyed their first week of school. We had a lot of fun and learned a lot too! They truly are a great group of children. Below is what we have planned for the week.

Language Arts: This week we will be talking about the letters Cc and Dd. Cc is one of our special letters that has a hard sound like in cat and soft sound like in celery. We will also continue practicing our reading skills with our Bold Beginning Stories. We will begin our Guided Reading Program in the next few weeks. Look for information to arrive home soon.

Math: We will continue to work on place value. On Friday we will be in school for ten days and we will take our ten single straws, put them in a bundle and move them to the tens column. We will also work on printing numbers 1-20.

<u>Science</u>: We will begin learning about solids and liquids this week. Our focus will also be on the sense of sight. We will learn about the parts of the eye and talk about what it means to be blind. <u>Social Studies:</u> We will discuss feelings and we will look at different ways people feel and why people might feel a certain way.

Art: Apple craft

NOTES TO PARENTS:

*REMINDER-SCHOOL CLOSED ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4th IN OBSERVANCE OF LABOR DAY

*THIS WEEK WE ARE STARTING TO LEARN OUR HOME ADDRESSES AND TELEPHONE NUMBER. PLEASE PRACTICE THIS INFORMATION AT HOME WITH YOUR CHILD.

*HOMEWORK: THIS WEEK GO ON A SCAVENGER HUNT AT HOME AND FIND ANY OF THE GEOMETRIC SHAPES WE ARE LEARNING ABOUT AROUND YOUR HOUSE AND BRING THEM TO SCHOOL FOR US TO SEE. WE WILL COMPARE THE DIFFERENT SHAPES ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 25TH AND ORDER THEM FROM SMALLEST TO LARGEST.