

Children follow where we lead rather than where we point.

~Author Unknown

The Kindergarten News

for the week of 11/ 6 / 23

- **Theme** — Native Americans
- **Introduce** — Sight Words: come, up, on, & look / Uu & Vv
- **Expressive Vocabulary** — weary — very tired, physically and mentally
x-ray — to examine, photograph, or treat with x-rays
- **Proverb** — Look before you leap

Language Arts

As the end of our first review of the alphabet draws near, our concentration this week will be on the letters Uu and Vv. The boys and girls will also begin a new three-week unit of study on Native Americans. We will learn that Native Americans were the first to inhabit our country. This week, we will discuss that they lived together in groups called tribes or Nations and could be found in all parts of the country. Their way of living was primarily determined by the climate and natural resources of the area where they resided. We will be sure to talk about what types of homes they lived in, their clothing style, and the kind of food each tribe ate.

Math / Science

The children will continue to practice counting by ones, fives, and tens to one hundred. A new concept job called the geometric cards will be added to our math shelf. These cards, depicting various solid shapes, can be matched or seriated. We will also begin learning number bonds. We use number bonds for addition and subtraction to help them join and split apart numbers in ways that are easy to recall. We'll end our week by playing a mental math game called "How Many?"

Student of the week

November 6th – Tony K.

Important Dates

November 10th – Disguise the Turkey Project due

November 23rd & 24th – Happy Thanksgiving! (No School)

Please check your child's green folder daily, and homework is due by Friday.

Thank you
Ms. Elizabeth