



Kindergarten Newsletter



News and events from rooms 1, 2, and 6

November 2nd-6th, 2009

This week is Black Week!

- Math:** Chapter 2: Patterns: We are finishing up patterns. We are also assessing for the November report card.
- Language Arts:** Theme 3: We Are Family. Focus on T, writing Tt and making the sound of T. Comprehension Skill: drawing conclusions. Strategy focus: summarize and evaluate. Phonemic Awareness: blending and beginning sounds. Daily message, interactive dialogue journals and shared writing.
- Tiggy Tiger Alpha Friend Song
(Tune: Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star)
- Tiggy Tiger can tickle his toes. Tiggy Tiger can tap his nose.
Tiggy Tiger can turn around. Tiggy Tiger can touch the ground.
Tiggy Tiger can tie his shoes. Tiggy Tiger can count by twos.
Themes: color of the week: black
- Letters:** Ss, Mm, Rr, Tt
- Science:** Unit 5- Exploring Matter* see below for details
- Art:** Black sheep Monart, coloring our families
- Sight Words:** brown, red, yellow, blue, green, orange, black, I, see, my

Important Notes

*Science: in this unit, students will describe matter by its physical properties, the materials it is made of, and its uses. We will be exploring with materials like metal, clay, cloth, and paper. Ordinary objects will be compared by their attraction to magnets.

*Please turn in your October Read Aloud sheet ASAP.

Important Dates

Thursday, November 5th: Have your child wear something **black**. Please do not go out and buy any new clothes. You can pin something black on your child's shirt that day!

Wednesday, November 11th: No school-Happy Veterans' Day!

Friday, November 13th: Minimum Day for Collegial Planning

ALL KINDERGARTEN CHILDREN ATTEND IN THE A.M. (7:55-11:20)