

Kindergarten News

Ms. Bell's Class
October 2022

This is what we've learned so far.

- **All About School** – We learned about all the different things we do at school. We created our class rules together.
- **Manners** – We learned how manners can make things go a little easier. We learned about specific manner words and how using manners is showing respect.
- **Nursery Rhymes** – We reviewed many familiar nursery rhymes and looked for rhyming words. We practiced matching and finding rhyming words in other activities, as well.
- **Kevin Henkes/Friends** - We read many books written and illustrated by Kevin Henkes. Most of his books are about friendship and getting along. We discussed all the ways to be a friend, even when it is hard.
- **Character Traits** – We learned about following rules, honesty, helpfulness, responsibility, and fairness.
- **Constitution and Patriot Day** – We learned about our country's Constitution, how it helps our country, and what it means to us. We also learned a little about September 11, 2001 and why it's important to remember.
- **Apples** – We read many books about apples, how they grow, and how we use apples. We also learned the difference between nonfiction and fiction books.
- **Sight Words** introduced so far: a, I, can. New words to come: see, we, my, the, to, do.
- **Reading skills** – We are learning and practicing beginning reading skills. We

are learning to tell the difference between letters and words. We are learning to point to words instead of sliding our finger under the words. We are also learning to look at pictures and beginning sounds as clues to help us figure out new words. We will be learning to monitor our reading using the sight words we are learning.

- **Writing skills** – We will be learning how to show our stories in pictures, words, and labels. We will continue to learn how to write our names and new sight words.
- **Math** – We are learning about numbers and quantities and counting. We will also learn how to count in different ways. We will learn about sorting in different ways. We are participating in daily calendar activities, such as, month, day, shapes, counting, and weather.



This is what we will be learning.

- Fire Safety and General Safety
- Christopher Columbus
- Weather and Seasons
- Fall
- Eric Carle
- America
- Continue Beginning Sounds
- Continue Counting, Matching, Writing numbers 0-20

Birthdays

October 8 – Eli M.

Specials

Please make sure your child wears appropriate clothes and shoes on gym days.

Monday.....Gym
Tuesday.....Library
Wednesday.....Music
Thursday.....Art
Friday.....Music/Library

Other Notes/Dates

★ **If you send money in with your child, it must be in an envelope or baggie with their name, my name and what it is for.**

- ★ October 11 – PTA meeting – 7:00 p.m.
 - ★ October 28 – End of 1st Quarter
 - ★ November 3 – Picture Retakes
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A few parents still have not connected to Seesaw. Please do this soon. You may be missing announcements.
