

Kindergarten Weekly Newsletter

Week of November 30-December 4, 2020

Upcoming Events

12/1 : Kindergarten DIBELS Benchmark Test
12/16 Yearbook Payment Deadline
12/18: Half Day of School
12/18: End of 1st semester
12/21-1/4: Winter Break
1/5: 2nd semester begins

December Challenge:

Continue to ensure your child gets
10-12 hours of sleep, even
during the holidays.



Reading: Wonders Unit 4 Week 2

Phonological awareness skill: identifying the beginning sound in words

Phonics: identifying the letter Dd; producing and applying the /d/ sound

Sight words: had, do

Vocabulary Words: cultures, appreciate, proud, tradition, prefer

Comprehension: ask and answer questions; identifying story elements- character, setting, and events

Math

Rote Counting: 1-50

We will learn how to separate parts from a whole, take away from a whole, and compare two quantities to find how much more/less one quantity is than the other. We will express subtraction by using a minus sign.

The Leader in Me

Habit 1 - Be Proactive: This week we will be learning about the concept, “choose your weather.” This means that we may not be able to choose what happens but we can choose our response and moods. Ask you child, “What does it mean to choose your weather?”

Important Information

December is full of several assessments. We will be taking our DIBELS benchmark tests the first day of December. We will be taking the iReady Reading and iReady Math test during December. We will be completing Report Card assessments beginning December 7th. This is one reason why this month’s challenge is so important. The students’ behavior and focus is improved with a good night’s rest.