

Kindergarten Connection

Northland Early Learning
Center

September 29, 2017



This Week

We learned about the letters Gg & Oo this week. "Magic letter C" helped us practice write G and O in our handwriting lessons. In addition, our sight words this week were you & and. The goal is that your child should be able to spell these words as well as read them. (Sight words so far: the, you, and)

We had quite a fun and creative experience this week! Each month we will be learning about a prominent artist, studying his/her work and then mimicking that style. This month the students learned about Jackson Pollock and made their own version of his work by splatter painting. We took this project outside to let the creativity fly. The children used different paint brushes to splatter paint onto a big canvas. We'll hang these works of art in the hallway next week. It was messy, creative fun!

Next week begins our new unit, Fall and Farm. We are very excited about this new unit. The Centers Room will be transformed into our farm. Your child will have lots of fun exploring and learning about animals, crops, and jobs on the farm for the next month. We will arrange dismissal from the Centers Room one day so they can show you around. Watch the message board.

Monday's Mission

Due Tuesday, October 3

1. Bring in one apple to school, any color and any size!
2. Apple Taste Test – Gather a variety of apples and conduct a taste test with your family's favorite apples. Your child can survey each family member by offering a taste of each variety. Then your child can record the results and announce the favorites. Help your child to decide HOW the results will be recorded as well. Will he/she draw each family member's favorite apple; have each family member write a sentence about why he/she likes that apple the best, take pictures of the favorite apple, or something else? Make it fun & be creative when deciding how to record the results.
We will be sharing the results in class on Tuesday.
3. Complete at least 2 of the Math homework pages sent home.
4. Poetry Folder – Read and Illustrate *Miss Mary Mack*

Lids, Lids, Lids – Reduce, Reuse, Recycle

To help take care of God's creation we will begin to collect plastic lids that are recycled through Preserve's Gimme 5 program.

www.preserveproducts.com/recycle/programs

The lid, when separated from the bottle, is not recycled.

Please begin collecting any lids from water bottles, juice bottles, milk jugs, baby food pouches, etc. and bring them to school.

Thank You!



Calendar

Oct. 17 Fall Break – No School
Oct. 25 – Family Night -6pm-7:30pm
Oct. 24-27 – Book Fair in the Lobby
Nov. 6 – Farm Field Trip (Info. Coming Soon)