

## KINDERGARTEN NEWS-10/5/18

\*Dd + #4 WEEK IS NEXT. PLEASE SEND A LETTER ITEM.

\*LIBRARY ON MON.: RETURN BOOKS FOR NEW ONES.

\*Bb WEEK ALPHABET EXPERT: ABBEY PLANT WAS OUR EXPERT AND SHE BROUGHT IN A VARIETY OF B ITEMS. SHE ALSO READ A BOOK WITH B IN THE TITLE TO THE CLASS EVERY DAY THAT WEEK. BEAUTIFUL READING, ABBEY!

CC WEEK ALPHABET EXPERT: CONNOR BEDFORD WAS OUR EXPERT. HIS DAD READ "THE VERY HUNGRY CATERPILLAR" TO THE CLASS. CONNOR SHOWED PICTURES OF ALL OF THE FUN HE HAD THIS SUMMER RAISING MONARCH BUTTERFLIES. HE HIGHLIGHTED THE LIFE CYCLE OF THE BUTTERFLY-EGG, CATERPILLAR, COCOON (CHRYSALIS), BUTTERFLY. HIS FAMILY PROVIDED A SNACK OF CELERY, PEANUT BUTTER + RAISINS (ANTS ON A LOG). COOL IDEAS, CONNOR!

\*A SNIPET OF OUR MATH- WE USED 9 PARTS OF A CATERPILLAR TO LEARN ABOUT ORDINAL NUMBERS (FIRST, SECOND, THIRD, FOURTH, ETC.). WE ALSO CHOSE 4 OF THE #1-9 CATERPILLAR PARTS AND PUT THEM IN NUMERICAL ORDER. FOR EX: IF THEY CHOSE 9, 7, 2, 4,

THEY NEEDED TO PUT THEM IN # ORDER 2, 4, 7, 9 ON THEIR WORK MAT. WE REPEATED THIS SEVERAL TIMES WITH DIFFERENT #'S. THEY DID QUITE WELL ON THIS!

\*WE USED CUBES ON A T CHART TO PRACTICE ADDITION FACTS: ONE AND 2 GREATER. \*CALENDAR: WE ARE

**LEARNING THE DAYS OF THE WEEK, MONTHS OF THE YEAR,  
HOW MANY DAYS IN EACH MONTH, HOLIDAYS, SEASONS, ETC.**

**\*#0-10 CUPCAKE MEMORY GAME**

**\*SPIRAL NOTEBOOKS CONTAIN THEIR FREE  
DRAWINGS/WRITINGS. THESE WILL BE SENT HOME WHEN  
THEY ARE FULL.**

**\*OBVIOUSLY, WE ARE DOING SO MUCH MORE THAN OUR  
FRIDAY FOLDERS SHOW! MATH INVOLVES A LOT OF GAMES  
AND MANIPULATIVES, AND LANGUAGE INCLUDES PROGRAMS  
WITH A LOT OF CONVERSATION. I AM SEEING LOTS OF  
GROWTH ALREADY IN ALL OF THE STUDENTS AND I HOPE  
THAT YOU ARE, TOO!**

**\*IT'S C-C-COLD BRRRR! I WISH I HAD SOME FUR!**

**\*I WOULD LIKE THE STUDENTS TO WEAR LONG SLEEVE  
SHIRTS IN THE CLASSROOM NOW THAT IT IS COLDER. ALSO,  
PLEASE HAVE THEM WEAR THEIR WARMER COATS FOR  
RECESS. THANKS FOR LEAVING A HAT AND MITTENS IN  
THEIR BAG! LOOKING AHEAD: THE THIN GLOVES DON'T  
WORK WELL WHEN THE SNOW FLIES. PLEASE PLAN ON  
SENDING YOUR CHILD WITH 2 PAIRS OF WATERPROOF  
MITTENS OR GLOVES ONCE IT SNOWS/GETS REALLY COLD  
SINCE THEY WILL NEED 2 PAIRS EVERY DAY (1 FOR EACH  
RECESS).**

**\*THANKS FOR ALL OF YOUR SUPPORT! CONNIE  
HAVE A GREAT WEEKEND!**