

MRS. AKERS' CLASS NEWSLETTER

August 30– September 3, 2010

This week at school..

We have had a very busy and good week at school.

Our work in READING was continuing with nursery rhymes and fables. A few that I read this week were The Little Engine That Could, The Tortoise and the Hare, and The Enormous Turnip. Other stories that were read were Chicka, Chicka, Boom, Boom and Miss Bindergarten Gets Ready for Kindergarten. In group time we are practicing sight words. Keep practicing them at home as much as possible. Remember, these words need to be mastered by the end of first quarter.

I presented letters Cc and Dd for our PHONICS and HANDWRITING work this week. Along with letters Cc and Dd in PHONICS we have worked diligently on our daily PHONEMIC AWARENESS lessons. We continued to work on beginning sounds, ending sounds, compound words, syllable substitution and sentence repetition.

In MATH we continued with the chapter on “positional words.” We discussed concepts such as sorting with one attribute, sorting the same set of objects and work with logical reasoning. We will finish this chapter next week.

Our work in character education this week focused on “responsibility.” We have read and discussed stories that focus on being responsible. We have discussed what “being responsible” means in our class, other places in our school, at home and with friends. Next week, we will discuss honesty.

Other news...

Your child has homework this weekend. It is to practice letters Aa, Bb, Cc, Dd and practice writing their name. Homework should be completed and turned in to me on Tuesday September 7. Thank You!

KINDERGARTEN GRADES WILL START NEXT WEEK. We have discussed them in class. Please refer to the information given to you at the beginning of the year for further information, if needed.

It was so good to see so many parents at Open House last night. I enjoyed visiting with everyone and I hope you enjoyed seeing your child's room and school.

Thank you to Logan, Calvin and Alex for bringing snacks this week.

Next week I will send home my class schedule.

That is all the news for this week. Have a GREAT weekend.

Mrs. Akers