

**News Now…**

**Reading:**

This week the children started working on the last Daily 5 center…writing! They did very well focusing on the writing activity, working quietly and doing quality work. We also began rotating through the Daily 5 centers, so that each child gets to visit all 5 centers each day.

**Math:**

During math, the children worked with numerals 1-10. They practiced ordering the numbers from fewest to most and creating sets for each number. In doing this activity, the children discovered that when you count you are just adding 1 more.

**Letterland:**

We have revisited several Letterlanders. The children worked with Impy Ink, Mr. I the Ice Cream Man and Noisy Nick. They also practiced stretching words and using their “roller coasters”. Please ask your child to tell you about their work in Letterland.

**Rapid Reminders**

**October 31st- November 3rd:** Spirit Week (Monday: Costume Day, Tuesday: wear your favorite team, Wednesday: wear a wacky hat, Thursday: dress like a mad scientist, Friday: PJ day)

**November 3rd:** Math and Science Night- Kindergarten begins at 6:00..

**November 4th:** Boosterthon fun begins with a pep rally in the afternoon.

**November 8th:** 2 hour delay for election traffic

**November 11th:** No school in observance of Veteran’s Day

**What’s to Come…**

 **Spirit Week**

Next week is our annual Spirit Week! Please see the reminders below

 for the details about how we will show our spirit each day. I also

 wanted to let you know that we will follow our normal schedule next

 week as much as possible, which means that we will go outside each

 day. I know that many costumes can be somewhat fragile, so I

 wanted to make sure you knew our plan.

**Math & Science Night**

Next Thursday, November 3rd is our annual Math & Science Night! The kindergarten-second grade activities begin at 6:00 and are divided into 20 minute blocks. You will get more information early next week with a map so that you can plan where you would like to learn. As you and your child plan where you would like to work, it would be a great idea to have a couple of rooms in mind. It is a busy night and rooms fill up.

**Boosterthon**

Next Friday, November 4th is our Boosterthon Pep Rally! The children will be introduced to our Boosterthon team and learn about what we do during the next couple of weeks. This is our only fundraiser, so we will have lots of fun!

**Election Day**

Wake County Public Schools will be operating on a 2 hour delay on election day, Tuesday, November 8th.

**Volunteering**

You should have received a sign up to invite you to come in and volunteer.

 Please let me know if you have any questions.

**The Weekly Word**

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