



K IS FOR KINDERGARTEN!

11-2-18

We had a blast at our Halloween Party this week! Thank you to Mrs. Summers and Mrs. Dybowski for planning it! The kiddos looked great in their costumes! ☺ How is it already November?!

In your child's Friday Folder, you will notice a special Turkey Trouble project. Please complete this project with your child and return the disguised turkey by next Friday, November 9th. Have fun!!

Things to Work on at Home

- Practice writing your name with an uppercase letter at the beginning
- Practice holding the pencil correctly
- Practice writing #s 1-10
- Read every night for 15 minutes!
- Think of words that begin with the letters C, A, D and G
- Continue practicing Zoo phonics letters/sounds

Upcoming Events and Reminders

- No school Monday, November 5th and Tuesday, November 6th.
- Field Trip to Premier Pets: Thursday, November 15th. Please return new permission slip sent home last week.
- Conferences: November 13th, November 15th, and November 19th.
- Volunteers begin next week.

This Week's Focus

Reader's Workshop:

This week in Reader's Workshop we...

- Learned that even long words just get one tap when reading!
- Worked on mini Halloween reader books.
- Learned that partners can help make our reading even stronger. We practiced reading with a partner while following along and pointing to words in the story. We doubled our *pointing power*!

Writer's Workshop:

This week in Writer's Workshop we...

- Had our first Author's Celebration. Look on our class website for pictures!
- Read our own writing and talked about what makes our writing easy to read/hard to read
- Worked really hard to hear sounds when stretching out words sloooowwly
- Practiced including detailed pictures to help remind us of our story

Word Work:

This week in Word Work we...

- Met Catina Cat (Cc), Allie Alligator (Aa), DeeDee Deer (Dd), & Gordo Gorilla (Gg)
- Practiced building and writing these letters
- Thought of words that begin with these sounds and added them to our ABC books

Math:

This week in Math we...

- Practiced sorting objects in different ways
- Learned all about circles! Circles are round, with no straight sides and no vertices
- Played a fun Halloween dice game

Theme:

This week in Science we...

- Shared our "Wonder" item with the class. They also drew and labeled what they saw on a recording sheet☺