

# Kindergarten News

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October 28, 2013 - Pumpkins

## Our Weekly Studies

**Reading:** We have jumped right back into our routine. Students are reading very well for 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter, but I have decided to send home "Rainbow Words" for the students to practice at home. I will work on getting this copied and cut out this week and hopefully sent home by Friday. Directions will come home with them, but basically you start with "Red" and practice until your child has mastered the whole set before moving on to "Orange."

**Math:** We are working on patterns, counting and making sets and using Venn diagrams to sort data.

**Writing:** We are trying hard to create "more interesting" sentences...trying not to start each sentence with "I see" or "I like." We are also writing more non-fiction.

**Science and Social Studies:** We are learning about Fall and Pumpkins this week.

## Homework

Monday - No Homework  
Tuesday - No Homework (Science Fair)  
Wednesday - Math page 29  
Thursday - No Homework  
**Fronts only...you may choose to have your child complete both sides if extra practice is needed.**

Remember to read your baggie book and October calendar page as part of your homework routine.

Show and Tell theme: The 4 Seasons!

## Snack Helpers

October 28<sup>th</sup> - Meadow  
October 29<sup>th</sup> - Zoe  
October 30<sup>th</sup> - Ella  
October 31<sup>st</sup> - Sanjana  
November 1<sup>st</sup> - Luke  
November 4<sup>th</sup> - Onix

### This Week's Specials

Monday - Music  
Tuesday - Guidance  
Wednesday - Library  
Thursday - Art  
Friday - PE and Computer

### Wishing For...

## Be "Spotted" At Our Upcoming Events

October 31<sup>st</sup> - Kindergarten Hoe Down!

On Thursday, October 31<sup>st</sup>, the Kindergarten Teachers have planned a Kindergarten Hoe Down. Each class will travel to 6 classrooms throughout the day to participate in a Hoe Down related center. Mrs. Barber, Mrs. Esterline, Mrs. Greene, Mrs. Halle, Mrs. Millett, and Mrs. Smith have planned a great learning experience for all the students that correlate with our language-arts, math, and science curriculum. **Your child is invited to dress for the Hoe Down. Suggestions are: bandanas, cowboy hats, flannel, plaid, and jeans.**