



Ms. Graeve's  
Newsletter  
October 2, 2017

### Important Dates

- \*October 10<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>-  
Conferences
- \*October 13<sup>th</sup>- No  
School
- \*October 31<sup>st</sup>-  
Halloween Party at 9:15
- \*November 2<sup>nd</sup>- Picture  
Retake Day
- \*November 3<sup>rd</sup>- No  
School- Teacher  
Learning Day

\*Please make sure your child is wearing tennis shoes on the days that our class has gym. Our class has gym every Wednesday.



### Daily Schedule



- 9:00 Morning Routines
- 9:15 Literacy
- 11:00 Recess/Lunch
- 11:45 Math
- 12:30 Writing
- 1:15 Enrichment
- 2:00 Read Aloud
- 2:10 Science/Social Studies
- 2:40 Snack and Recess
- 2:55 Social/Emotional  
Development (S.E.D. Time)
- 3:25 Closing
- 3:35 Dismissal

\*Conferences are on October 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>. I sent home a reminder slip in your child's Everyday Folder. Please let me know if this time no longer works for you!

#### Contact Ms. Graeve

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## Everyday Folders

\*Please continue to make sure you are checking your child's Everyday Folder each night for any papers and to see how they did in class that day. Please initial that date on the enrichment calendar so that I know you have looked at it that day. I will also send home Friday Folder papers in your child's Everyday Folder each Friday. If the papers are in the keep side of the folder they do not need to be returned to school.



## Halloween Parties

Please watch for more information regarding our Halloween party in your child's Everyday Folder. Halloween parties will take place on October 31<sup>st</sup> beginning at 9:15. Your child can wear their costume to school on that day but will need to bring clothes to change into. You are all welcome to attend!

## Reminder!!

Please make sure you are reading with your child each night, practicing the pink trick words with your child, and practicing the letters and the sounds that they make. This will really help your child succeed as a reader!



## What We're Learning this Month

**Reading:** We are continuing to learn about the structure of our Reader's Workshop. We are working on reading informational texts as well as familiar storybooks. Through these texts we are learning about the different things in a book that can help us read the words in a book. We are also continuing to work on learning our letters, the sounds that letters make, and how to correctly write the letters that we have learned.

**Math:** We are continuing to work on number sense during our math rotations. We are studying numbers 1-10. Students are able to represent these numbers using objects and compare numbers to see which one is larger. We are also learning about shapes including squares, circles, rectangles, hexagons, and triangles.

**Writing:** We are looking at books from published authors to learn what we need to include in our own writing. We are working on writing a letter for each sound we hear in a word, putting spaces between words, and including a beginning, middle, and end in our writing.

**Science/Social Studies:** We are learning to describe the properties of objects using our 5 senses and how to sort objects based on their properties.



## Homework Folders

\*As you have noticed homework has started! Please make sure you check your child's homework folder. A math packet comes home each week for your child to complete. The due date will always be at the top of the packet so you know when it needs to be done by. There are also books in the folder that we have worked on in class that you can read with your child. They will be books that correspond with what we are learning in literacy. Please make sure this folder comes to school with your child each day. We use the materials in the folder each day in class. I check the folder when I meet with your child's reading group 2-3 times a week so please include any important notes in your child's Everyday Folder which I check each day. Thank you for your support at home!