



Kindergarten News



January 12, 2015

Ask me about...

Stories we heard last week:

Quack and Count

Straight to the North Pole

Counting Our Way to Maine

Snow Day for Mouse

Ask Me...

- To retell any of our stories from this week
- To write and say the sounds to all the letters.
- To identify the words we have learned first trimester and so far this trimester
- Addition — Putting two groups together to make a larger group
- To writing numbers 1-12
- To create two nonsense words that rhyme
- This week's sight words: five, if, and go

Please Note...

- Winter has finally arrived. Please help your child master these 'life skills' — being able to independently get themselves appropriately dressed for going outside. Your child should be able to put on snowpants (before boots), jacket (before gloves/mittens), zip or button jacket, put on hat and scarf with no assistance. Mastering these skills will increase our recess time and our instructional time. Thank you!!
- In the months of December, January and February we celebrate our classmates' "half birthdays". These are the students who have summer time birthdays.
- Please return homework every Friday morning.
- Please return blue plastic Friday folders on **Monday** morning.
- **Please be sure your child has a snack every day.**
- We continue to work on writing our names neatly with only the first letter capitalized and with appropriate letter size.
- We are working on improving our number writing.
- Always feel free to contact me about ANY questions or concerns. I usually arrive at school around 6:45 and try to leave by 4:30. I usually to respond to e-mail and phone message before leaving that day.

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Dates to Remember

January 13th

SIP Day — two hour early dismissal

January 16th

Progress Reports are send home.

January 19th

Martin Luther King Holiday.
No School

January 26th—30th

Kenneth Murphy Book Fair

Other Classroom News

- Birthdays: Logan's 1/2 birthday Jan. 14th, Maxim's 1/2 birthday Jan. 17th.
- Please call the office at 847-599-5052 if your child will be absent from school or picked up early. Thank you!