Books We Read Together

- *The Kissing Hand
- *Ms. Bindergarten Gets Ready For Kindergarten
- *5 Little Monsters Went to School
- *Chicken Soup With Rice (August page)
- *Chicka Chicka, Boom Boom
- *Alphabet Adventure
- *The Pidgeon Has to go to School!
- *Many nursery rhymes from our new reading materials.
- *Two large group books that we can read with simple sentences.

Sight word: I





Our Specials Schedule

Mon- Guidance and Music Tues-PE Wed- Media Thurs- Music and Library Fri- PE

Library books come home Thursdays! It is a great idea to have a special place to keep library books at home. Please Your child puts the book in our <u>pink tub</u> when they unpack their bag. Enjoy! We will be checking out a book next week.

Have you checked out our classroom website at mrsdangel.weebly.com?



Mrs. Dangel's Class

August 30th, 2019

Dear Parents.

Last week we started our adventure in kindergarten! We spent a lot of time learning routines and the rules for following the RAMS way at school. We are all earning RAMS Way tickets when we show Respect, Act responsible, are Motivated Learners and are Safe at school. Our class works together to earn W's for class rewards as well. We are really close to our first reward!

This week we added more to our schedule including partner centers, math, small groups practice and our first assembly! In Math we are focusing on five 2D shapes and have enjoyed our shape-a -loo song and spying shapes in the classroom. We focused on vocabulary to define circles as flat, round, and curved. For squares we know they are flat, have 4 sides, and 4 vertices! We are also "subitizing" numbers where we look at dots and count them quickly and teach our brain to recognize groups of numbers.

In Language Arts we are enjoying many alphabet stories as we are focusing on introducing all the letters and sounds as an overview. We sing songs, use our visual phonics, and think about the fun stories we are reading so we can answer questions together. Brains thinking is a groups time expectation and this class is beginning to be able to answer the challenging questions!

In Science we are learning what animals need to survive with our very own Monarch caterpillars! Milkweed is the only food the caterpillars can eat so please allow this weed to grow! We currently have many in chrysalis, 4 medium caterpillars and 5 new tiny hatchlings. We had one butterfly on the first day of school and we named him "First Day". We have enough total if they all survive for each child to name and help release a butterfly! So far 8 students have named one as we released 4 on Thursday and 4 today! Watch for pictures on the website soon!



Reminders

- *We eat snack everyday except Wednesday.
- *Please check folders nightly and go over the work with your child, asking what we learned, and check for behavior to discuss, teach and improve.
- *Please send notes to Mrs. Dangel in the take home folder, through email or remind app.
- * Thank you for sending your child in PE shoes on Tuesday's and Fridays. :)
- No school Monday September 26th for teacher meetings.
- *NO SCHOOL MONDAY Sept. 2nd! Enjoy Labor Day!