

K4B January 27th Newsletter

This Week's Activities



Math: This week we reviewed the dime and practiced counting by 10's to purchase some items. We used our counting by 10 skills to connect the dots counting by 10's. We continue to write the numbers 0-10. We are learning about a die and how we can count the dots to identify the number. We continue to review the concepts of most and least.

Social Studies: Scholars continue to identify community helpers. This week scholars learned about Police Officers, Firefighters, garbage men, bus drivers, and teachers. Along with our discussion about fire fighters we reviewed fire safety. We practiced a fire drill this week at school so please review your fire evacuation plan at home. We were very fortunate to have a Dr. Bleything visit as well as Officer Felix and a few of his officer friends!

Science: The scholars explored water but this week we identified that water can be a liquid (it pours) or a solid (when frozen to become ice). The scholars explored some of the ways that ice melts; warm air, our warm hands, warm water and salt.

Reading: Our reading goal was to help scholars engage in group reading activities by using the poem/song **Snow Pal Song**. We are using this in many ways. One way is to identify how a poem is different from a book. Another is to identify that letters together spell words, words and spaces make sentences and that sentences contain punctuation. We are also practicing how to use our reading finger to read each word. There are two parts to this poem, one helps with addition and one helps with subtraction. Both include the sight words one, two and three.

Another reading goal was to identify similarities and differences in books about the same topic. We used our community helper books to help us learn about their job.

Reading/Language/Writing/Art: Scholars practiced reading and writing the letters E and F, identified words that began with E and F and worked on their dictionary page.

Blue Star Scholars

We were fortunate to have four blue star scholars this week! Congratulations to Madison, Leo, Violet and Amelia for earning 8 blue dots for blue star behavior! They shared their toys with the class and the class asked questions. Way to go blue scholars!

Papers coming home this week

- ***Letter picture sheets- This week the letters were E and F.**
- ***Math News 7** and math worksheets from this week
- ***Religion:** Elijah coloring page and Lesson 14 from Alleu.

Remember next Sunday begins our celebrations of Catholic Schools Week. Please check the email that was sent home as well as a complete page listing all of the activities found in the newsletter.

Catholic Schools Week!

Sunday-Mass at the Cathedral 9:30 AM and Open House at CEE both campuses 11:00 AM -12:30 PM

Monday-Pajama Day (with non-perishable food item)

Tuesday-Mismatch Day

Wednesday-Exercise Clothes Day

Thursday-Dress Up Day (or uniform) NO jeans; Early Dismissal at 1:00 PM SSPP/ 1:15 PM HR; Art Fair 5:30 PM - 6:30

PM SSPP cafeteria

Friday-Color Day-K4B-yellow-and Bowling Field trip-Sorry for the late notice but if I have any parents who are Safeguard trained and would like to help us bowl, please email me.

Hope to see you at Mass on Sunday-Mrs. Bauer