

Pre-K/K Classroom

August 19, 2016

PreK

Letter of the week: alphabet

Math: Stomp, clap, jump counting; Counting cubes; Tracing numbers; Yarn numbers; Pipe cleaner bracelets

Kindergarten

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Sight Words: I

Phonemic Awareness: letter sounds; rhyming; beginning and ending sounds

Math: Model, count, & write numbers 1 – 5; Number words; Making a number book

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Writers Workshop: letters of the alphabet

Some of the stories we will be reading:

Chicka, Chicka Boom Boom! By Bill Martin Jr.

The Giving Tree by Shel Silverstein

Have You Filled a Bucket Today by Carol McCloud

If you're happy and you know it! By Jan Omerod and Lindsey Gardiner

The Things I Love About Friends by Trace Moroney

Eating the Alphabet by Lois Ehlert

LMNO peas by Keith Baker

Into the A, B, Sea by Deborah Lee Rose

Project: The Giving Tree (handprints); Painting together; United States?

STEM Project: Paper Rockets

Some More of This Week's Activities!

Foam letter puzzle

Writing your name
AlphaPops
Letter Magnets
Alphabet Mystery Box

Calendar of Events (Please check school calendar.)

Aug. 24: Scholastic Book Order is due
Aug. 27: CNS Yard Sale Fundraiser
Sept. 2: Noon Dismissal with Childcare
Sept. 5: No School/No Childcare
Sept. 8: Corporation Meeting
5:30 Potluck
6:00 Meeting

General Information

Welcome to Carbondale New School. This is sure to be a fun and exciting school year. I want to welcome back all of the returning students and welcome all of the new students. I look forward to spending time with all of the children and getting to know parents. If you have any questions feel free to contact me.

We are learning routines and expectations. This will take time and patience. It is common to see tears. Just know that your child is in great hands. The best thing you can do is hug your child and hand him/her to a teacher. The tears will stop very quickly once you are gone. I know as a parent that this is heart wrenching for you. I understand your own tears and sadness. In a few days everything will be better. If you have any struggles with drop off please know that Ms. Melissa is on the playground at 8am. She can help with any transitions.

Thank you to all the families that came in for orientation. We got lots of supplies for the classroom. I appreciate everything you do to help make our classroom wonderful!

I would like to welcome Ms. Melissa, Ms. Lindsey, and Ms.

Fraenze to our classroom. We have a great group of teachers.

The door to success is labeled Push.

Oscar Wilde