

# Sunshine Class News

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## This week in PreK

Letter Focus: a, b, c, d, e – Recognition and formation

Poetry Journal: Ask your child to recite the “Wiggles” poem. The first lines are “I wiggle my fingers, I wiggle my toes...” Each week we memorize a new poem and illustrate it in our journals. We also look for letters we recognize.

Reading: We have at least three read aloud times each day. We really enjoy these times with a good story together. We notice details in the illustrations and make predictions throughout the readings. Noticing the qualities of a good story will help us become good writers.

Math: We are practicing counting stories using our fingers. Ask your child to show you her/his ten fingers and then pick an animal. For example, pretend you have 10 lions prowling through the jungle. 5 of them spy an antelope and chase it (put down 5 of your fingers). How many lions are left? Three of them stop to drink water at an oasis (put down three fingers) How many lions are left? One of them gets caught in a trap (put down one finger) How many are left?

Art: We made hand print sunshines for our Sunshine Class mascots!

## A few reminders...

- Please consider placing a Scholastic book order this week to help our class take advantage of the HUGE back-to-school bonus point offer from Scholastic.
- A friendly reminder that CNS discourages sugary snacks and lunch items – especially candy. Fruit, yogurt, granola bars, and cut up veggies are great!



*Students love their family photos and often take them to their desks! We will use them to draw family portraits.*



*Cutting out circles was a challenging activity!*

# August / September CNS Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
16	17	18	19 Pizza Day	20	21	22
23	24 Virtual Board Meeting 5:30pm All are welcome	25	26 Pizza Day	27	28	29
30	31	Sept 1	2 Pizza Day	3 Virtual Corporation Meeting 5:30pm	4 Noon Dismissal with Childcare	5
6	7 Labor Day No School No Childcare	8	9 Pizza Day	10	11	12