

Ms. Ficco's Kindergarten Newsletter

October 2010



Upcoming Events:

- Oct. 29- Halloween/Harvest Celebrations!
- Nov. 1 & 2 – No School!
- Nov. 9- Kingsley Center Field Trip!
- Nov. 11&12-Half Day! Conferences!



Ms. Ficco's Letter

Dear Parents/Guardians,

During the month of October we have worked on the following skills:

- Reading – ending sounds, fire safety, using informational texts to determine facts, making personal connections to text, posing questions using Jr. Great Books
- Writing – Writing, reading, and using word wall words (you, me, and, see, to, like), and following the steps of writing workshop
- Math – collecting, tallying, and graphing data, patterns, and reviewing unit
- Science – senses, studying weather using our senses, steps to scientific study
- Social Studies - U.S. symbols and important people in the U.S.

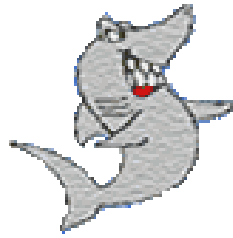
Please note the data notebook was sent home at the end of September so please make sure you know where your child is and what skills or next steps need to be further reviewed. Also note that children have been broken up into their flexible skill alike guided reading groups. We will continue to alter and work

with groups as best fit for individual differentiation. Please note the first Math assessment is mid October, so be sure to help review and reinforce Math skills with your little one. The Quarter 1 writing samples will come home in the data notebook with Math scores from Unit 1 at the end of October. Please make sure you also review this data with your child.

As the cooler weather approaches please make sure you send your child dressed appropriately for the weather. Make sure your child's name is printed on the inside of their coat and remind them to be responsible for their own materials. If you have any questions or concerns, don't forget you can easily reach me via a note in your child's folder or an email (Jennifer_L_Ficco@mcpsmd.org). Thanks for all of your support this past month!!

Sincerely,

Ms. Ficco



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