

Kindergarten News

March 2011

Hello families!

Spring is on it's way and the second trimester is coming to an end! Here is what your kindergartener will be learning during the month of March...

Communication

New Letters: w, x, v, j

Blending: -op, -ot, -ox

New Sight Words: no, see, said, all, look, come



In our writing we have been focusing on brainstorming ideas as topics for our sentences. This month, we will start to focus on the organization of our writing.

As always, your kindergartener will be practicing sounding out each letter in a word and stringing them back together. Please continue practicing at home.

Science

What do living things need to survive?
Students will learn the difference between living and non-living things.

Things to Remember

- During the month of March Pinnacle will be having the Red Cross Penny Drive. Bring in extra change you have to support Buffalo families after house fires.
- Thursday March, 10th is our field trip to the Buffalo Museum of Science!
- Parent/teacher conferences will be held April 1st, or by appointment. Please sign up with your student's teacher. You can get your child's report card at this time.
- 3/31 is the last day of school for students this trimester.
- Intersession labs will be held April 4th–15th. Sign up sheets are available in the office at the end of March.

Thank you!

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Math

New skills:

- Counting and exchanging coins
- 3-dimensional shapes
- Measuring and comparing time
- Skip counting by 2s
- Concept of 1/2
- Addition and subtraction

Review skills:

- Symmetry
- 2D shapes
- Graphing and patterns
- Measuring



Social Studies

Where do you live?
Students will learn to locate both land and water on a map and globe, as well as understand that the US can be located on a map and globe.