

Kindergarten NEWSLETTER

For **March**

Can you believe February flew past us already? There are only 4 months left to Kindergarten before our little students become full-fledged first graders! Here is the latest newsletter to bring you updates of what has happened the past month and what will happen next.

February Recap

February was a bit of a whirlwind with unexpected days off, used to our advantage to review and reinforce important skills such as reading, writing, addition and subtraction. This month we have introduced more fun activities that make learning exciting and new, such as the domino car parking game and the missing spaces subtraction game. We are making it a point to practice free writing more, in order to encourage students to experiment with phonics and letters and allow them to begin putting their thoughts on paper, whether spelling be correct or not (most likely not). Spelling comes later (in first grade and up), as it is very important for students to explore the language and become creative. The more they read, the more they will retain spelling as well. Please continuously encourage your child to read at home. We also celebrated our 100 days of school. What a great achievement!

What is coming in March

We will continue to work on community helpers this month. What we learn through this unit will be solidified when they go to Kidzania in April. In Exchange city, students will be able to experiment with different careers as well as earn pretend money for their labor. We are looking forward to that trip! We will also be really focusing on reading skills this month especially, as this is the time of year we should be taking off in reading fluency. Evaluations will become more frequent to monitor each student's progress.



Class Reminders

- Parent Teacher Conferences will be held on March 16th and 17th
- Spring Break begins after parent teacher conference on the 17th. School will resume on April 4th.
- Please remember to continue to check google classrooms and planners for important announcements
- **Friendly reminder that due to COVID precautions, we are still unable to allow parents into the school building for reasons other than office related inquiries.**