



September News

September 9-13, 2019

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Sight Words: the, a, in, is

Word Work: Practice the alphabet through zoo phonics, focus on letters Ll, Hh, and Tt

Events

September 19th – PTA Meeting 6:30pm in the Library

September 20th – Evan's Orchard Field Trip (chaperones welcome)

September 23rd-27th Book Fair

September 25th – Grandparent's Lunch for Kindergarten (regular lunch times for your child's class)

October 3rd-4th – No School (Fall Break)

October 10th – Lexington Children's Theater Field Trip (no chaperones due to space)

October 10th – PTA Meeting 6:30pm in the Library

October 17th – Fall Pictures

October 18th – PTA Fall Festival

Reminders

Just a friendly reminder to please check your child's folder daily. Some days there are lots of papers sent home, and the students' folders can fill up quickly. Since they are packing up their own folder, it is VERY helpful if they are emptied each night. We appreciate your help with this so much!!

Information regarding our field trip to Evan's Orchard will be sent home this week. Please be on the lookout for that.

If you are planning on chaperoning, you MUST be an approved volunteer through Fayette County. Here is the link to the application: <https://webapps.fcps.net/volunteer/>. Please fill this out ASAP!!

Kindergarten's Grandparent's Lunch Day is Wednesday, September 25th at our regular lunch times. We would love to have grandparents or any family member come join their sweet kiddo on this day!

Your child will be checking out a book from the library soon. Library books are to stay in the child's backpack when they are not reading them. They are due back the day before our next library special (technology days). If they do not have their books, they will not be able to check out books during library. If they get lost, a fine letter will be sent home with your child. We are so fortunate to have such a great selection of children books in our library! We appreciate you reminding your child to be responsible and take care of their books.

Please check your email for lots of important information! As always, please let us know if you have any questions!

Learning Focus

Word Work: RF.K.1, RF.K.3

Students will be able to write their name, read the words **the, a, in, is**. Students will name and write the letters in the alphabet. We will continue working with our zoo phonics cards as a practice and review of all letters in the alphabet. We will focus on letters Ll, Hh, and Tt this week as we continue using our Handwriting Without Tears Workbooks.

Reading: RL.K.1, RL.K.2, RL.K.3, RL.K.6

Students will be able to follow words in a sentence, talk about basic parts of print, tell what happened in the story, identify the characters and setting of a story, identify key details, and ask and answer questions about a story. We will use this information to help us tell the beginning, middle, and end of stories.

Stories from this week:
"Not Norman"

Writing: W.K.3

Students will continue to tell a story with their writing (writing workshop has routines, finding a time and a topic to write, working on writing stamina, telling a story on paper through pictures and words – labeling). Students will begin adding details to help tell their stories.

Math:

K.CC.B.4, K.G.A.1, K.G.A.2, K.G.A.3, K.G.B.4, K.G.B.5
Students will be able to count forward to 10 and use and describe math manipulatives. We will begin working with 2D shapes. Students will be able to talk about each shape's attributes. They will be counting to tell how many and practicing writing their numbers.

Social Studies:

Students will be discussing Citizenship and how they can be a good citizen in their communities.

