

Mrs. Tosch's Newsletter

April 26, 2019

We Are Learning!

Next week our focus will be:

Topic— animals and insects

New Words—five, six, seven, eight

Math—adding, subtracting, 3-dimensional shapes—**sphere, cylinder, cube, cone, and pyramid**, and numbers to 100 and beyond

Reading— using our sight words and sounds in reading and writing, substituting sounds in words to make new words

Writing—Writing sentences with correct capitalization, punctuation, spacing, and using sounds and word wall words.

Nursery Rhyme—One, Two, Buckle My Shoe

Handwriting—Correctly shaping and spacing letters and words using the writing lines

Summer Birthdays

If your child has a summer birthday, and you would like to send in a birthday treat for them during these last few weeks from the approved food list, just let me know. We currently have 24 students.

Classroom Cooking

This week we made vegetable pizza. Some students were a bit hesitant, but most really enjoyed it! We discussed what part of the plant we were eating with different vegetables. The recipe is **on the back**.

Important Dates

May 3 Show & Tell—free choice

May 7 **ELearning Day**

May 13 Field Day-This is a change from last week's newsletter (Rain date-May 20)

May 17 Field trip to the Fire Station

May 18 Crisman Color Run

May 27 Memorial Day-NO SCHOOL

May 30 Last student day

Reminders

--Please send in a dated note if your child is going home a different way. It is a bit hectic if we are receiving changes at the end of the day.

--Check the *ABC countdown* list to see what is happening in these last few weeks of kindergarten. If you need another, let me know.

Home Practice Ideas for May

--Please *read with and to* your child *everyday*.

--Have your child name the coins in your pocket or wallet.

--Practice counting to 100 by 1's, 5's, and 10's.

--Identify random numbers to 100.

--Use the list of sight words in writing short notes to your child.

--Give your child short spelling "tests" from the list of sight words and short 3 letter words.

--Use the sight word cards in making sentences or games.

--Read stories with your child and have your child retell it to you.

--Read stories with your child and predict what the ending is before you share it.

--Have your child listen for and tell you what the sounds are in words. For example: sent-/s/ /e/ /n/ /t/.

-- Work on the monthly Homework Calendar, baggie books, and weekly homework.

Here is the recipe for the
Vegetable Pizza we made for cooking day last
week!

2 cans of Pillsbury crescent rolls
1 8oz. package cream cheese
1 package Ranch dressing mix (dry)
2/3 cup chopped carrots
2/3 cup chopped broccoli
2/3 cup chopped cauliflower
1/2 cup chopped bell pepper

Roll out crescents onto a cookie sheet pan and
bake according to directions. Cool. In a bowl, mix
cream cheese and ranch dressing well. Spread on
cooled dough like sauce. Sprinkle vegetables over
the top! Eat and enjoy!

Here is another one for Fruit Pizza.

1 package sugar cookie dough
1 8oz. Package cream cheese - softened
1/3 cup powdered sugar
1/2 tsp. Vanilla

Chopped Fruit - Choose any to your liking:
Strawberries, pineapple, kiwi, peaches. Etc.

Spread cookie dough onto cookie sheet and bake as
directed. Allow dough to cool. Mix cream cheese,
powdered sugar and vanilla well. Spread on cooled
cookie dough. Sprinkle with fruit. Eat and enjoy!