



## What's Happening in Kindergarten? September 11, 2015

### Behavior Expectations

- Following routines
- Listening and following directions the first time
- Independence in unpacking and packing up
- Daily chores and responsibilities
- Taking care of materials
- Treating others the way they would like to be treated

### Important Dates to Remember

- Walk to school Wednesdays: Community Church-7:10 or Wildercrest area across from the middle school-7:10
- Walkathon! Next Tuesday, Sept. 15
  - Mrs. Estrada's class- 10:00-11:00
  - Mrs. Uher's class- 7:50-8:45
  - Mrs. Schultz's class- 10:00-11:00

### Project Read/Writing

- Correct letter formation is vital! Letters: t, m, a, s, b, c, f, r, h, n, l, j, p
- "Every word has to have a talking vowel." Short vowel sounds
- Finger spelling, sky writing, felt paper writing
- Word building
- Sentence dictation: capital letters, end mark (period)
- Practice writing names using capital letter, then lower case, letters
- Nursery Rhymes
- Fairy Tales

### MATH

- Writing number 1-4, begin numbers 5-9
- What makes 1? 2? 3? 4? etc. (1 and 1 makes 2, 1 and 0 makes 1, 3 and 1 makes 4...) Show with fingers.
- Counting 1:1 correspondence
- Advantage math- building number sense
- Counting skills, forward and backward
- Number identification
- What comes before, what comes after?
- Calendar Math
- Months of the year
- Days of the week

### From our Counselor, Mrs. Shellie Lasiter-Read

Below are the Personal and Social Responsibilities that will be discussed when Mrs. Lasiter-Read comes every week to our classroom.

## *Personal and Social Responsibilities*

### *Year at a Glance*

September	Supports and Interacts Positively with Others
October	Listens Attentively, Follows Directions, Stays on Task
November	Accepts Responsibility for Behavior
December	Evaluates Own Learning
January	Accepts Responsibility for Behavior
February	Practices Organizational Skills
March	Enthusiastic About Learning
April	Takes Risks and Accepts Challenges
May	((Career Exploration))

### The World of Art

Amazing art projects

### The World of PE

Mrs. Cutting has been teaching playground rules, games and activities.

### The World of Music

Composer of the Week