## KINDERGARTEN TEAM NEWS

## NOVEMBER Week of 11/16-11/20

## Parent Info:

We are working on our rainforest and the tree looks amazing. I will send a picture this week. We will start working on the animals this week. We will learn about the sloth, snake and frog.

We will start talking about Thanksgiving and decorate the classroom for the holiday. Part of this week homework is a project that is not due till the end of the week. We will read the book Turkey Trouble and discussed what we would do if we were a turkey and needed to hide from the farmer.

**Sight Words:** We will be starting sight words this week. Each child will get a list of words that they will work on in class and need to review at home. In two weeks they will be tested. If they pass the test (which means they can read the words and can spell them) they will receive a new list. The students that need more time on the list are able to take that time and will progress accordingly.

## This week we will be working on...

**Reading/Phonics:** We will continue to work on beginning sounds and ending sounds. We are trying to spell words by stretching out the word.

**Math:** We will continue Unit 3 and asses the students. We will then start Topic 4.

**Writing:** We will be writing about what we are thankful for. We will be adding thankful notes to our turkey mural. We will write in our rainforest book.

**HWT:** We will be working in our workbook. The students like using this book. They get to decide which letter they feel is their best and circle it. They like that they are grading themselves.

**SS/Science:** We will also be talking about Thanksgiving and what it means to be thankful. We will be talking about the Native Americans and the Pilgrims and will finish up this unit with our very own feast (aka party)-Next Week.

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- Thanksgiving feast (11/26)
- Making butter and having cornbread