## **KINDERGARTEN TEAM NEWS** SEPTEMBER Week of 9/20-9/24

## Parent Info:

I am sure that it seems like we are starting off so slow in kindergarten and that is because we are. We go over our letters and numbers - one each day. When we have a strong understanding of the letters and sounds we will move on to sight words. It is baby steps in the beginning. This is also true for practicing our names. We will move on to our last names but at this time I am looking for them to be writing their names on their papers and using the correct formation of the letters.

Please know we have been working hard everyday, although there hasn't been much going home we have some items hanging in our class, some items that I keep in there folder as a sample of work and we have our ABC notebook and number packet too. We also started morning work last week and will continue to do this during the year. The students are currently just tracing their name and we will move to different skills as the year progresses. This week we are working on... Reading/Phonics We continue learning about what makes a good reader and good listener. We will be discussing the parts of the book and how to treat books

Math: We will continue our NUMBER BOOTCAMP. Each day we will be working on a number. We will start our math workbook this week as well. Alphabet: We will continue our ABC BOOTCAMP. We will work on a letter a day until we reach the letter Z. We will be working on recognition, formation and sound. This is a good foundation to move into sight words.

**SS/Science:** We will continue to work on class routine and rules. Our first S.S. unit is All About Me. We will be discussing what makes us who we are and how we are the same and how we are different. We will be talking about Johnny Appleseed and talking about apples.

**Special Happenings:** First Day of Fall: Sept 22nd Johnny Appleseed Birthday: Sept 26<sup>th</sup>

## KINDERGARTEN TEAM HOMEWORK

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- This weeks Homework is as follows:
- **Monday:** Name writing (They will trace the highlighter in PENCIL and then try to write on their own)
- **Tuesday:** Friend match (I will send the answer key through remind)
- Wednesday: Letter Activity
- Thursday: Number Activity

If there is any questions with a homework assignment please don't hesitate to contact me on remind.

You will get the paper/ditto/manipulatives to do the homework stated above the day that it is assigned. Please leave this page in their folder so that you can use it during the week to complete the work. Thank you!