

## KINDERGARTEN NEWS

Week of October 10<sup>th</sup>

It was a busy week in kindergarten. Take a look at some of the things we did...

- During math group, we wrapped up our unit on 1-10. We also began a new unit on numbers 11-20.
- Our math center activities gave everyone the opportunity to practice identifying numbers, writing numbers, counting with correspondence, and making two groups equal.
- During our Heggerty lessons, we worked on a number of skills - rhyming, blending syllables to make words, chopping words into syllables, identifying beginning sounds, identifying ending sounds and counting the words in a given sentence.
- The heart word, **to**, was introduced.
- We wrapped up a module in reading and began a new module - *There is only one me!* Our *Big Idea Words* for our module are: celebrate, special and different.
- During Foundations, we worked with all of the letters that have been introduced (b, c, f, i, m, n, o, t, u). We reviewed their names and sounds, as well as how to write them.
- Our literacy centers gave everyone the opportunity to practice identifying letters & their sounds, and deciding if a set of words rhyme or do not rhyme.
- We practiced our cutting skills and listening skills when we made did a *C is for cupcake* craft.

### Class Notes

- Your child's progress report is in his/her green folder. If you have any questions, please contact me at [vlord@voluntownct.org](mailto:vlord@voluntownct.org) or 860-376-2325 ext. 236.
- I sent out a link (via email and the Remind app) for my online conference sign up sheet. If you would like to sign up for a conference and are having a problem with the signupgenius.com link, please let me know.
- Next week is the Scholastic book fair. We will visit the book fair to make *wish lists* on Wednesday. They will be sent home that afternoon. Your child has a few options for buying. Purchases can be made during the school day on Thursday, at the Book Fair Family Night on Thursday evening and/or during our Grandparents Day event.
- This week I sent out a RSVP link for our Grandparents Day event. If a grandparent is unable to attend next Friday (10/20, 9:30-10:30), someone else who is special to your child may attend. During the event, there will be snacks, a craft and time to visit the book fair.

Thank you...have a great weekend!