

The Kindergarten Family Mailer



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September 21-25, 2020: Kickin' It In Kindergarten! ☺

SAFETY FIRST



**PLEASE
WEAR MASKS**

If you are on school property, you **MUST** wear a face covering at all times and be socially distant.



Please follow all crosswalks for safety during drop-off and dismissal. They have been freshly painted and need to be used by all families.

If you are purchasing a treat for your child, please use the on-line purchase option on the school website:

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This Week, Kindergarten...



Kindergarten had lots of fun watching the crane move the old chiller off of the roof and the new chiller onto the roof. We went on a walking field trip to examine the rest of the school campus and



also saw a flatbed truck.. We were even able to meet Bluebell, the Mountain Feist dog that belongs to Ms. Barbara. behind the school.

Phonics: Vowels, consonants and letters, oh my!

LESSONS 13-16

Hh

"h" as in "h"at

compound words

initial (beginning sounds)

blending h-o-g

FIND THE VOWEL-IS THE VOWEL FOLLOWED BY A CONSONANT?-YES-CODE THE VOWEL WITH A BREVE FOR A SHORT SOUND

matching same words

matching uppercase/ lowercase

matching pictures to words

Assessment #2

Lessons 17-20

Tt

"t" as in "t"ent

hot, log, hog, got, lot, tot

blending 2 consonant letter sounds

matching same words

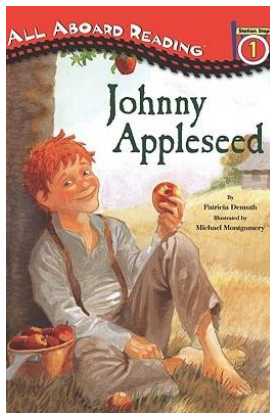
counting sounds in words

matching words to pictures, uppercase/lowercase letters

assessment #3



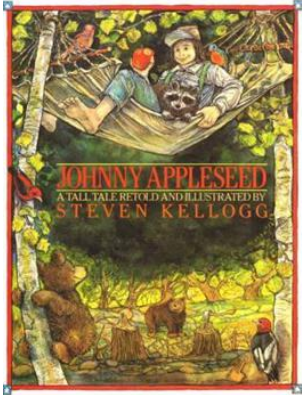
Language Arts: Books we have read together



Johnny Appleseed Patricia Brennan Demuth: John Chapman is a real person in history although his story has been mythologized over time. This is a great introduction to the life of Johnny Appleseed and his good works on the earth.



Our Apple “Craftivity” now decorates the windows in front of our classrooms! Many visitors have commented on how inviting they look! Welcome fall!



Johnny Appleseed by Steven Kellogg on Once Upon A Story

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vM_ahg5WWvo John Chapman, better known as Johnny Appleseed, was a historical figure whose wilderness adventures became larger-than-life legends.

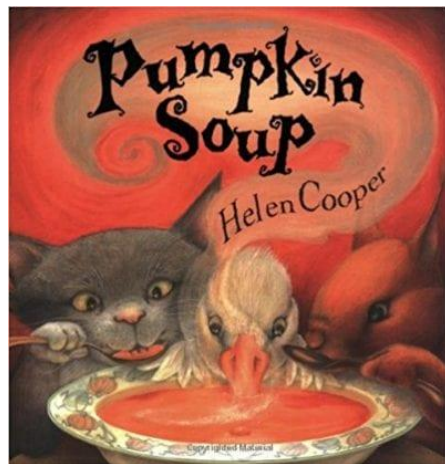
Born in Massachusetts during the Revolutionary War, John headed west as soon as he was able. Along the way, he cleared land and planted orchards so he could supply apples to the settlers he knew would follow. When the settlers did arrive, John befriended them, often giving away his trees. Soon he became known as Johnny Appleseed.

Legends about him spread quickly: It was said that he slept in a tree-top hammock, that he had a pet wolf, that he played with a bear family. Everyone seemed to know a story about Johnny Appleseed. And even today people claim to have seen him.



From temperature changes, falling leaves, animal migration and hibernation, to fall foods, sports, and crafts, this nonfiction title covers everything autumnal!

Squirrel, Duck and Cat same way, until Duck routine.



This classic and cozy friendship tale has a permanent spot in our autumn book display. always make pumpkin soup together the exact wonders what it would be like to change their

Math: Chapter 2

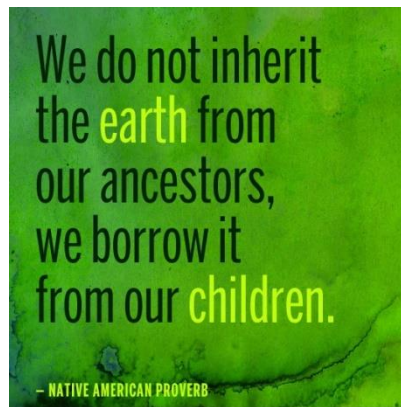
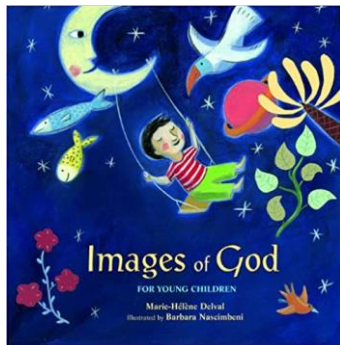
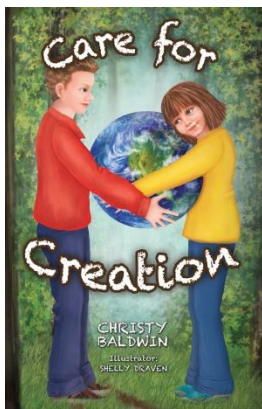
Geometry: Solid/3D and flat shapes

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2cg-Uc556-Q>



Religion: God is Our Creator

Caring for God's Creation:



Music: Mrs. Wells

Ask your children about the fun they have been having!

Spanish with Senora Seay we continue to learn greetings; hello, "Hola!" "Buenos días" - Good day; Buenas Tardes - Good afternoon/evening is; Buenas noches - good night. Siéntense = sit

down) and párense = stand up. Color words: **azul** — blue, **blanco** — white, **negro** — black, **rojo** — red, **rosado** — pink, **verde** — green, **naranja** — orange, **amarillo** — yellow, **anaranjado** — orange.

Health and PE with Ms. Rosemary

PE the children worked on relay race skills while socially distant

Health the children talked about feelings

Art with Mrs. Hess: The skills involving the safe and creative use of scissors, including: Knowing how to hold a pair of scissors properly with their hands and fingers.

Encore Class Schedule for Kindergarten Reminder

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Health & PE	Music	Art	Spanish	Virtual Mass, beginning at the end of October
		Library	PE & Health	
		Computer		

Daily Prayers



Every day we say prayers in the morning and afternoon. The children are still learning them and would benefit from reinforcement from home.

Please practice the sign of the cross with the children, too. The kiddo's love watching and following "Bernie Bear."

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=84MDOU0Tfos>



Chuckles and Heart Warmers:



While teaching phonics, Ms. Chien asked one of the kiddos, "How many letter Hh's did you circle?" The quick response from the kiddo? "All of them!"



Quote to live by:

