

Kindergarten Newsletter

August 23, 2018

We made it through the first week of kindergarten! We have had such a fun week learning all about our new classrooms and routines. Everyone is doing a great job of getting to school and picking up on time. In the classroom this week we have been working on skills such as practicing our names and writing letters. In Bible we have been learning about creation and all of the amazing things God has made. We are so lucky to be blessed with all the beauty around us! Take home folders and homework packets are being sent home today. Please take out all completed papers and keep them at home and send the folder back to school with your child tomorrow (Friday). Your child has one week to complete his or her homework packet. Homework time should be no more than 15-20 minutes each night. School days are long and kids also need play time and family time. And, sitting for 20 minutes is still pretty hard! Encourage your child to complete the packet themselves with guidance from you (meaning they write, color, cut, etc.) no matter how long it takes. Learning to work independently is a very important skill. Return the completed homework packet next Friday (August 31st) in the take home folder. If packets are completed early, we strongly encourage reading with your child for homework time.

Please remember to get your child's emergency card turned in as soon as possible. This helps if someone new will be picking your child up from school. We also need to know about any allergies and medications your child may need. If your child requires medication, please fill out a medication form in the office and send the medication to school. Chapel days are on Wednesdays. Students should be dressed in his or her chapel uniform every Wednesday (blue pants or shorts, white collared shirt and chapel sweater for boys. Plaid jumper or skirt, white collared shirt and chapel sweater for girls). If you do not have a chapel uniform for your child yet it is ok! We know the beginning of the year can be crazy!

This Friday, August 24th is our first movie night here at school. The movie is 'Coco' and it starts at 7:00. Doors open at 6:00 so you can come early and grab a spot and buy some snacks.

Thank you for a great first week of school! We look forward to many more.

Mrs. Fernandez and Miss Mathews

