

Remember to check our website for important dates and my block

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Together we read a book about fire safety and discussed safe vs. unsafe items found around the house. We used Sparky the Fire Dog to learn about different situations that may occur at home. Your children may have questions about fire procedures at home. Please discuss so they feel prepared!

We also began to learn about pumpkins! We read <u>The Pumpkin Book</u>.

Reading/Writing:

We read <u>Counting in the Woods</u> and focused on identifying the topic, main idea, and details in a story. We also focused on final consonant sounds, double consonant sounds, adding –s to make words plural, and complete sentences.

In writing, we read about seasons and students completed a graphic organizer about a season of their choice. We then wrote a paragraph about it. Students did a nice job! First graders also used a graphic organizer to brainstorm ideas for Halloween writing. We then transferred writing from the graphic organizer to a rough draft. Finally, students wrote a final copy that we are displaying in the hall!

Math:

In math we practiced using a 10-frame for addition facts. We also explored comparing and ordering numbers.

We will have a Unit I Test on Tuesday. There will not be a study guide for this first test because it is our first test. I will walk students through it and model for them. We will cover number bonds (addition), 10-frames, story problems, comparing numbers, ordering numbers, skip counting, and addition vocabulary. There will be study guides for all others tests in the future.

Teacher's Corner:

Donuts with Dad was very nice! Thank you for coming and spending time with your child!

The Halloween Parade is at 10:00am on Thursday. Dismissal is at 11:32am. You are welcome to come watch the parade as it will be outside – weather permitting. In regards to costumes, please make sure costumes are school appropriate (no weapons, no masks).

Trunk-or-Treat is tonight! It begins at 6:30pm.

Check your child's Friday Folder for conference confirmations. Return them to school ©

