

## Katzenmeier Weekly Newsletter

October 21-25

Spooky, creepy, cool creatures of the night! We will begin our unit of study over animals and their special parts and talents! Animals, like plants, adapt to survive.

### Language Arts Learning Goals:

Big Idea: "How do we learn about characters?"

Amazing Words: character, plot, setting, sequence, inference, solution, problem, when?, where?, emotions

\*Heart words: look, help, go, my, said, you, in, little, no, good, are, out, for, with, two, much, have, make

\*decode words with /e/

\*name the main character

\*use picture clues, story, and inferences to talk about the characters and their emotions

\*listen to and read nonfiction information

\*segment and blend short vowel words (c-a-t is cat or fun is f-u-n)

\*comprehension: take notes from a nonfiction text

\*use text features to better understand an informational text

### Math Learning Goals:

\*write an equation for a given story problem

\*add or subtract to solve a story problem up to 10

\*solve missing addend story problems

\*match a provided equation to a story problem

\*relate counting to addition and subtraction

\*understand the meaning of the equal sign and determine if a math statement is true or false (= or  $\neq$  )

\*math fact fluency

### Science/Health Learning Goals:

\*see how baby animals share traits with their parents

- \*what adaptations does an animal have to help it survive?
- \*how can you tell what an animal may eat based on how it looks?
- \*how does an animal adapt to its environment?
- \*how can an animal use camouflage to survive?
- \*how does an animal help its young?
- \*research of tarantulas
- \*make observations of plant growth

## **Our Week:**

**Monday:** Library/Art/Homework: read for 20 minutes

**Tuesday:** Art/ Homework: read for 20 minutes

**Wednesday:** Gym/Homework: read for 20 minutes

**Thursday:** Gym/Homework: read for 20 minutes

**Friday:** Buddies/Art/Homework: Have a good weekend!

Continue to review address and phone numbers!

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Thank you to all who were able to make it to conferences!

