

*The class has earned a Happy People Party! They have voted for Stuffy Day on Monday. That's tomorrow!

*Room parents help plan and organize classroom parties at Deerfield. Parties are held three times a year, in October, December and March. At this time, your classroom teacher does not have a room parent. If you would like to volunteer, or have questions about room parents or classroom parties, please email Angela Wilson at awilson@usd497.org
Thank you!

*Looking for a volunteer who knows how to use the school laminator.....

Katzenmeier Weekly Newsletter

August 26-30

“Our Class Is A Family” is the theme for the week. We will continue to talk about being a good friend and classmate and setting the tone of our school family/classroom.

Language Arts Learning Goals:

- *write the letters of the alphabet in sequence
- *recognize and name the letters of the alphabet
- *sounds of the letters review
- *comprehension: plot of the story or main idea
- *recognize and produce rhymes (cat/fat=yes pink/pocket=no, given “shoe” gives=do, boo, glue....)
- *sound/letter review: Pp, Oo, Cc (-ck), Hh, Bb, Uu
- *blend onset and rime to make a word (b + at= bat, h + ug= hug)
- *segment and blend short vowel words (c-a-t is cat or fun is f-u-n)
- *count and clap syllables
- *differentiate if two words begin the same (did/dog=yes, gas/ham=no)
- *isolate the short vowel sounds in words (cop= /o/, bed= /e/)
- *read color words
- *read simple text to build reading fluency
- *recognize each others’ names

- *differentiate text as fiction or nonfiction
- *review capital letter formation
- *state the main character and setting of a story
- *retell a story in sequence with support

Math Learning Goals:

- *review partners (addends) of 10
- *build math fact fluency (adding within 10)
- *add and subtract 1 or 2 to numbers up to 10
- *relate counting to addition and subtraction
- *mentally add or subtract 1 to any given number

Social Studies Learning Goals:

- *responsible citizenship
- *respect for each other
- *being a good friend and classmate
- *the purpose for rules in our classroom and school

Our Week:

Monday: Library/Music/Homework: color word worksheet

Tuesday: Counselor/Gym/ Homework: color word worksheet

Wednesday: Gym/Homework: color word worksheet

Thursday: Art/Homework: color word worksheet

Friday: Art/Homework: Have a great weekend!

****We will be taking our school-wide Fastbridge testing this week. Please make sure that your child is well rested, eats breakfast, and feels mentally prepared to do their best!**

We are off to a good start. I will begin making personal phone calls to each family next weekend. So if a strange phone number pops up on your screen, it may be mine! :)

