

Mrs. Bland's Newsletter

September 16-20



Note from the teacher

Good morning families! I hope you and your family got to do something fun and relaxing this weekend.

We have started reading our first set of stories in our reading block. The class is reading them whole groups with me. The best way to develop better reading skills is to practice. In this weeks Thursday Folder you will find a few stories we have practiced in class. Have your child read them to you and sign the top next to your child's name. This is not a mandatory activity, just a great way for your child to show off what they have learned.

There will be no school September 18th. This is a Wednesday. The teachers will be have district professional development that day. It will be a little odd for everyone to go to school 2 days, have a day off and then back to school for 2 more day.

Thank you to the families that have signed up for the VIP program. There are still spots available if you are interested.

Please reach out to me if you have any questions or concerns.

This week's Focus Lessons

Phonics-Introduction of reading and spelling with double letters (floss rule) and reading and spelling with -ck.

Reading and comprehension-Whole group read: Bud the cat and Fish. Work on character, setting and story details

Language Arts-nouns

Writing-handwriting/penmanship

Math- Start Unit 2, Story problems

Science-Plants and animals

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Specials schedule

Monday-Art

Tuesday-Music

Wednesday- No School

Thursday-Music

Friday-PE

please wear or bring sneakers

Important dates

- ✗ 9/16-Lesson with Ms. Bobey
- ✗ 9/17-High 5 nominations are due
- ✗ 9/17-Library Day
- ✗ 9/18-No School: Development day for teachers
- ✗ 9/24-Dine out at Noodle Co. (see flier)
- ✗ 9/27-First book buddy meeting
- ✗ 10/3-Dine out at Chipotle (see flier)
- ✗ 10/8-PTO meeting at 7:00

Important links

[VIP sign-up](#)

[Class schedule](#)

[Breakfast Menu](#)

[Lunch Menu](#)

[Mrs. Bland's email](#)

[Mrs. Bland's Webex](#)

[Mrs. Bland's class wish list](#)

Important information

- Please do not sent birthday invitations to school. Students will not be allowed to pass them out.
- Please send your child with a spill proof water bottle. Water bottles will be kept in cubbies. Students will have access to them. They just will not be on the tables.

In science we learned why each bird has a different beak shape. We even pretended to be birds and "eat" with different types of beaks. I hope your student shared this with you at home. We had a great time.



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