



Mrs. Roberts' & Mrs. Davis' Kindergarten Weekly Newsletter  
January 23<sup>rd</sup> - January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2017

I hope you all had a wonderful break! I feel like all students are improving each week as they get used to the school environment. I hope you do as well. Here is an overview of what our week will look like. If you have any questions or concerns about anything please don't hesitate to call, text, send a note, or email me!

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**Please check the back of this newsletter for important/ongoing events at school!**

**Letter of the Week: Kk & Rr**

**Number of the Week: 17**

\***Handwriting**: We will work on writing the letters K & R, past letters, the number 17, names, and our sight words.

\***Reading/Sight Words**: We will work on our new sight words "she" and "was" and focus on the letters K and R (recognition, sound, and writing). We will also be learning about the seasons.

\***Math**: We will focus on the number 17 and what it represents, as well as how to write it. We will also be learning about 3D shapes (cube, cylinder, pyramid, prisms, & cone). We will continue to work on days of the week, months of the year, as well as counting 1-100 by ones, twos, fives, and tens. **Please practice counting to 100 by ones, twos, fives, and tens with your student at home!**

\***Science/Social Studies/Art/Leader in Me/Greenhouse**: We will spend the week learning about different types of weather. We will have a read-aloud and craft activity on Friday.

\***REN/Behavior**: Don't forget, a sheet will be sent home nightly in your student's folder. It will let you know how their behavior was for the day. It will also have a spot for you to write what book your student read/you read with them that evening. **Remember to read every night (Monday-Sunday) for at least 15 minutes. REN sheets are due every Monday.** Don't forget you can check your child's folder and Class Dojo to see how your child behaved throughout the day.

**\* Please have your student continue to practice typing his or her name and number on the keyboard, so they can log on to the school computers more easily. They can also work on Splash Math and ABCya.com at home. These are great programs to help them with counting!**

**Attendance Incentive: Wear crazy shoes/socks (Only if your student has been here all day, every day this week)**

**\*Homework**

**Monday: Practice sight words-Please return the sight word book by Friday**

**Tuesday: Create the number 17 out of materials found around the house. (Ex: Glue cereal onto paper in the shape of the number 17). PLEASE DO NOT DO THIS ALL FOR YOUR STUDENT. It is not helping them at all if you do the whole project for them.** Practice counting to 100 by 10s, 5s, 2s, & 1s.

**Wednesday: Find a 3D shape (cube, cylinder, prism, cone, etc.) to bring in to share with the class (Ex.-dice, can of soup, cereal box, party hat, etc.)**

**Thursday: Read his/her library book. Please return the book on Friday.**

**Friday-Sunday: Bring in something that you love to play with for Show and Tell on Monday.**





## Activities to Know About

**For our weather unit, we are going to be creating water bottle tornadoes. If possible, please send any empty, disposable water bottles you may have by THIS THURSDAY. I know this is short notice, so thank you so much for what you can give!**

**The Scholastic Book Order- Please return it by January 30<sup>th</sup> with your child's name on the order form if you would like to order any books.**

**The 100<sup>th</sup> day of school will be on Jan. 31<sup>st</sup>, unless we have another snow day. We would like for each student to bring in 100 of an item to share with the class. We will also use what they bring to practice counting to 100 throughout the day. This could be legos, cereal, pennies, etc. We just ask that you send it in a zip lock bag, labeled with your student's name. Thank you so much!**

**Our school is having a pet food/need drive for the Putnam County Animal Shelter. Our goal is to collect 100 items by the 100<sup>th</sup> day of school (possibly Jan. 31<sup>st</sup>, depending on snow days). Requested items are: cat food, dog food, treats, blankets, cat litter, and newspaper. Please send in what you can to help us reach this goal and help the shelter!**

**Our school is making Valentine's Day cards for a local nursing home. If you could please send in donations of stickers, paper, etc. that you think would be good to use for this project, we would appreciate it!**