



## Kindergarten Newsletter

We are in a *presidential state* in Kindergarten!

**Language Arts:** The letters and sounds that we have worked with are: A-a, S-s, M-m, T-t, P-p, C-c, N-n, F-f, B-b, I-i, G-g, R-r, D-d, O-o, J-j, X-x, E-e, H-h and K-k.

\* **Sight Words** that your child should know: "name", "I", "like", "and", "the", "a", "to", "see", "are", "we", "an", "can", "come", "me", "you", "at", "here", "is", "it", "in", "he", "she", "my", "be", "what", "with", "look", "now", "how", "find", "this", "will", "for", "go", "make", "play", "said", "good", "all", "no" and all of the **color** and **number** words (**zero through twenty**). We will continue to introduce new sight words and letters every week.

**Reading Folders:** Please do not send reading folders back to school until your child can read the book *fluently*.

**Math:** The students are understanding, and representing subtraction as a separating action. We are practicing "taking away" using different manipulatives like pompoms, connecting cubes and our friends (!).

**Religion:** We are reading and discussing different stories from the Bible. Ask us about "The Man Who Could Not Walk" and the "Ten Lepers" stories.

**Science / Social Studies:** The students have learned many interesting and fun facts about George Washington and Abraham Lincoln. We have begun our units on African American history (inventions and contributions) and Dental Health.

**A few reminders:**

- We will have **Early Dismissal on Monday, February 28<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m.** We will have *After School Care* available.
- Next Friday, March 4<sup>th</sup> will be our *Mardi Gras* parade. You are welcome to join us at 2:00 p.m., as we gather in the park, to receive goodies from our second grade friends.
- Don't forget **SPRING BREAK is March 7<sup>th</sup> - 11<sup>th</sup>**. Hope you are gearing up for a fun week!
- When you pack your child's lunch, please remember to send the necessary utensils your child will need to enjoy his/her yogurt, pudding, applesauce, soup and/or ravioli ☺... and don't forget the napkins!
- Please continue to check our school website for updated information.
- Remember to send a **snack for your child every day.**

Fondly,

*The Kindergarten Team*

