



# KINDER NEWS



October 17th, 2013

## Upcoming Events

October 18<sup>th</sup> - Pumpkins with Dad  
October 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>  
Parent Conferences / Early Release Days

Tomorrow is Pumpkins with Dad!  
Please do not forget to bring a pumpkin,  
carving kit, newspapers, a towel for  
wrapping sharp objects and a creative idea  
for carving!!!

Pumpkins with Dad is a school event. Please  
do not bring siblings as the environment will  
not be safe due to the nature of this event.  
Thank you for your understanding. 😊

### Peek at our Week:

#### Language Arts:

- Students will be responsible for knowing these HFW on their report card: I, am, a, the, little, to, is, have. (Be sure to practice these at home).
- Part of Speech – nouns, adjectives.
- Story Elements - Character, Setting, Plot, and Sequencing
- Initial and medial sounds, initial and final Ss.
- Spalding Phonemic Instruction
- Comprehension skill: compare and contrast
- Beginning Sounds / Phonemic Awareness  
Concept of a syllable

#### Social Studies:

- Kelso's Choices- Conflict Resolution

### Peek at our Week:

#### Math:

- Recognizing numbers and writing numbers 0-10
- Sorting by attributes
- Rote counting 1-30
- Estimating
- Calendar activities
- Attributes of shapes
- Symmetry
- Coin Introduction
- Tricky Teens
- Patterning
- Positional words

#### Science:

- Living & Nonliving
- Classifying

## VERY IMPORTANT!!!

- **October 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> are half days of school. School ends at 12:25 p.m. NO LUNCH WILL BE SERVED ON THOSE DAYS!!! Please send your Kindergartner with a HEAVY SNACK on all three days as they will be used to eating at 10:50 a.m.**