

Hello all,

We have had an exciting week, diving into our ELA unit, "Stories Have Messages" by reading and discussing the familiar story of The Three Little Pigs. Kinders have been working hard in small groups to create the set of our play- the straw, stick, and brick houses- and practicing a short skit that we have been planning on sharing with our fifth grade buddies this morning! Unfortunately, due to the majority of our cast being absent today, we have delayed our performance to early next week. Thank you so much to those of you who brought in boxes for us to use to build our piggy homes!

We have also very much enjoyed exploring the life cycle of a plant by planting lima beans and grass seeds. The lack of sunlight recently has definitely put a damper on the rate at which we are seeing changes in our seeds, but we remain hopeful :) We will continue our exploration of plants next week. When we return to school the following week, we will begin a unit on weather!

A few brief announcements this week...wishing you all a fantastic weekend!!

Baby Shower Mrs. Riddle is so sweet and has contacted me to schedule a class baby shower!! She has asked that I inform you that we have scheduled it for the morning of Wednesday, April 25th from 9:50am-10:20am. More information to come! If you have any questions, you are welcome to contact Linda at jimandlindariddle@gmail.com.

Next Friday A friendly reminder that next Friday, April 13th, Oak Hill is hosting this year's Kindergarten Round-Up for the 2018-2019 school year. All other grades still have school; it is only kindergarten that does not attend on this day.

Sight Words We made it through two sight words this week. We talked about and reviewed words *down* and *on*.

Toys We have had a huge influx of kindergarteners bringing in toys from home lately. As you can imagine, this has caused much disruption and conflict amongst peers. I am asking for your help in keeping such items at home. Thank you in advance!

Upcoming Dates

- April 13th- No School for Kindergarten (Kindergarten Round-Up for 2018-19 school year)
- April 16th- No School (Staff Professional Learning)
- May 11th- Field Day

- May 17th- Field Trip to Sealife
- May 25th- Last Day of School, Half Day, 11:45am dismissal

Warmly,
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