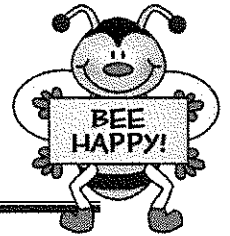


For the Week of May 1-5, 2017

Mrs. ☺'Dette's

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What's the
BUZZ?



This Week

- Phonics Focus: REVIEW
- Sight Words: REVIEW
- Math Focus: Unit 13 – Graphing
Unit 14– Time to the Hour
(See the backside of this newsletter for more information.)
- Reading: Theme = DOLPHINS
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Reminders

- Please continue to work with your child on READING the color words along with our other SIGHT WORDS each week.
- MARCH was the last month for BOOK IT. Thank you to all that participated and read each night for your Pizza Hut coupon.



Dates to Remember

- Tuesday, May 2nd – PTA mtg. at VAN 6PM
- Friday, May 12th– Kindergarten Field Trip
- Tuesday, May 23rd – Last Day of School

100 Sight Words We Have Learned

I, am, red, the, to, little, green, yellow, is, a, blue, like, we, for, pink, black, have, my, white, purple, orange, he, with, brown, look, she, me, they, of, are, see, you, do, that, said, come, one, two, three, here, go, from, four, what, five, was, be, play, where, can, and, this, your, by, who, has, put, when, jump, all, find, or, went, over, there, down, live, new, make, know, many, eat, about, would, because, every, funny, again, under, away, good, please, soon, out, want, say, any, help, came, ride, too, our, saw, pretty, now, ate, after, must, could, found

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Week Snapshot

Dear Family,

What is a marine mammal? We will be exploring ocean animals this week as we focus about dolphins. We will be reading and discussing the nonfiction text Dolphins by Melissa Stewart. How did the author/illustrator help us learn more about ocean animals? How are mammals different than fish? We will learn this and so much more this week as we dive in and talk about dolphins.

Vocabulary

- caif: A young dolphin
- equator: An imaginary line halfway between the North and South Poles
- mammal: A warm-blooded animal that drinks its mother's milk, has a backbone, and hair.
- oxygen: An invisible gas in air and water. It helps animals get energy from food.
- predator: Animals that eat other animals
- prey: Animals that are eaten by other animals

Poem of the Week

Dolphin Song

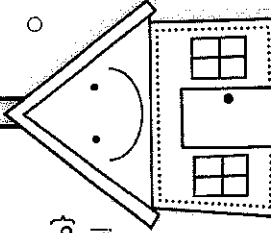
(Tune: The Adam's Family)

When they get the nation,
They jump out of the ocean.
With tail fluke locomotion,
The dolphin family {clap, clap}
Swim the sea, Whee Wheel
Swim in the sea.
Live in a pod.
Swim in the sea.
Whee Wheel

Activities

Here are just a few activities you can do at home with your child this week!

- See how many ocean animals you can name.
- Have your child draw a picture of their favorite ocean animal and write a sentence about it.

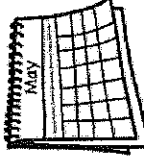


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Unit Overview

Dear Family,

This unit is all about gaining and understanding of days, months, and time to the hour.



Unit Vocabulary

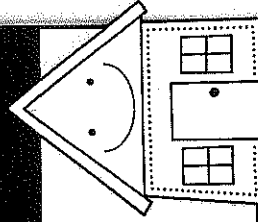
Days of the week: students will be able to identify and recite the seven days in a week (Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday)

Months of the year: students will be able to identify and recite the twelve months in a year (January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September, October, November, December)

Time: students will be able to tell time to the hour

Unit Hands-On Fun

- Have students use number cards and put numbers 1-31 in order.
- Recite the days of the week/months.
- Use a practice clock and put it on a time. Have your child tell you the time to the hour.



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