

# The McDonough Weekly

## A Peek at our Week in Kindergarten



**Bible:** This week: 1 John 1:5b God is light, In Him there is no darkness at all. Next week Old Testament first half.

**Phonics: New Special Sounds: ir in bird, ur in nurse and er in verse.** Special Sound list so far: “squ” in squeak, “thr” in three. Review: “spl” in splash and “scr” in scream, “ck” in duck, “o” in go, “st” in stop, “pl” in plane, “sh” in ship, “th” in thick, “ay” in pray, “fr” in frog, “e” in me, “tr” in train, “y” in fly, “th” in this, “th” in thick, “br” in bride and “dr” in drum, “sp” in spade, “cr” in crab and “tw” in twin, “sn” in snack, “sl” in sleep and “sw” in swim, “ou” in out, “ch” in church, “ar” in stars, “or” in morning and “thr” in three, ar in stars, ch in church, or in morning, ou in out, ow in owl. Please practice and continue marking vowels. We will have a Phonics test every week.

**Reading:** Reading groups will continue this week. We will have a Reading test every other week.

**Handwriting:** We are learning last names in cursive. Please practice at home.

**Math:** This week we are working on subtraction by one, counting by 2's and between numbers. Addition families 1-10, counting to 100, by 10's, by 5's and counting nickels, dimes, pennies, and quarters. number words (one-ten), time to the hour, half hour and quarter hour. We have a Math test every week.

### **Important Dates:**

**5/4:** Last day to turn in Kinderfest forms.

**5/9: Mothers Day Art- Just Art Grands allowed today ☺**

**5/13: Mothers Day**

**5/14-18 & 21-25:** Uniform Sale 10% off

**5/17:** Teacher Appreciation Luncheon

**5/25- Summer un-Birthday party** –celebrating Jenna (12 cookies), Victor (12 cookies), Justin (12 juice boxes) and Nicolette (12 juice boxes).

**5/22- Field Trip ☺** (more information to come).

**5/23-** Art Moms – Last Art day

**5/28 – No school**

**5/29- Kinder-fest** (information went home this week.)Please sign up by May 4<sup>th</sup>. We encourage every child to participate.

**5/30- Carnival**

**5/31- End of the year chapel and party**

**6/1 – Last day of Kindergarten, ½ day out at 11:20.**

**Show and Tell  
Friday 5/4**



**May Birthdays**  
Lillian – May 10  
Emmitt – May 11  
Leigha – May 24

### **Teacher's Words:**

Dear Parents,

This Friday is the last day to turn in Kinderfest forms, field trip forms and our last Scholastic order for the year. Please be sure to get those in on or before this day.

Kinderfest is on 5/29. I would like each one of my students to participate so they can be recognized. This is a talent show. Your child can pick dance, music, art, sports ect. KA will be performing first at 11:30- 12:30 in the Family Center. Each performance should be about 1 minute long. Families are invited to attend this performance. Please do not ask to take your child out early after they perform. We are going to watch our friends in KB and KC ☺

Please see that we have our Summer Un-Birthday Party planned for 5/22 at 1:30 for Jenna, Victor, Justin and Nicolette.

☺ In His service,  
Mrs. McDonough