



# McDonough Weekly



## A Peek at our Week in Kindergarten

### **Bible: This weeks Bible memory verse:**

This week: Samuel 18:3 And Johnathan made a covenant with David because he loved him as himself.

Next week: 1 Kings 18:37 Answer me, Lord, answer me, so these people will know that you, Lord, are God, and that you are turning their hearts back again.

**Phonics:** We are learning Special Sounds in charts 6-8. Please continue to review. This week you will receive a new calendar and list of sentences that your child should be able to read easily without help.

**Reading Groups:** Reading Groups are going well. Please practice one and two vowel words and special sounds. Please work on smoothness and speed. Please read with your child 10-15 each day to practice.

**Handwriting:** We are continuing to practice connecting letters in cursive and cursive capital letters.

**Math:** We are reviewing subtraction, addition 1-12 families, time to the hour, half hour and quarter hour, counting by 2's, 5's and 10's. We know all 4 coins (penny, nickel, dime & quarter).

**Science:** This week we are learning about the world God made in our God's World Science books and continuing our study of the butterfly life cycle. We will begin plant life cycle next week.

### **Important Dates:**

5/2-5/6: Teacher Appreciation Week ☺

5/13: Kinderfest slips due and Water Day slips and money due today.

5/24: Scavenger Hunt Day!

5/27: Happy Un-Birthday Party to our summer birthdays! If your child's birthday is in June or July please bring 6 cupcakes or cookies. If your child's birthday is in August bring a package of juice boxes.

5/30: Memorial Day – No school!

5/31: Kinderfest – Please see information ☺ 9:00-11:00 Family Center.

6/1: End of the year party and water day ☺ 8:30-12:30.

6/2: Last Day of School, Honor Roll Chapel, Early release out at 11:20, end of 4<sup>th</sup> qtr.

6/17: Report Cards available to be picked up in the lower main office.

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### **Show and Tell:**

Landen-Friday 5/6  
Reminder: NO Toys ☺

### **May Birthdays - None** **Summer Birthdays June-Aug.**

Cameron 6/23

Hazel 7/6

Samara 7/22

Alden 7/23

Tobias 7/28

Zoey 8/7

Natalia 8/13

Anyla 8/22

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

Hi Parents,

Thank you for all of the sweet encouraging words and gifts for Teacher Appreciation Week! I feel so loved!

Fourth Quarter skills are: write your last name in cursive and tie your shoe. Please practice these skills with your child. I have a few students who have already passed both tests ☺ Great job!

Reminder that we are preparing your child for First Grade. We are working on responsibility. Let's work together as team to help your child make this a smooth transition.

Bible Verses are now done individually, instead of small groups. This is how the First Grade teachers will test. Please review with your child so they are prepared.

God Bless,  
Mrs. McDonough