Welcome to Kindergarten!

September was a busy month of learning routines and expectations. We are continuing to work on listening and following directions and keeping our hands and feet to ourselves.

We have our literacy centers in the morning and math centers in the afternoon. We would appreciate having volunteers. If you are available and would be willing to help, please talk to Mrs. Platt. There will be Costume Parade on Oct. 30th and the students are welcome to wear a costume to school, but NO MASKS. Also, Mrs. Platt and Mrs. Alder cannot dress or undress students. The students must be able to undress themselves to use the bathroom.

Please remember to do homework everyday with your child. Our TARGET is to have all of the Letter Names and Sounds learned by January 1st and Counting to 100 and Number Recognition by February 1st. Also, remember to READ, READ, READ!

Just a couple of reminders: School starts at 8:40 and Monday-Thursday dismissal is 3:20. Friday dismissal is 1:30. We ask that if you not send birthday or other party invitations to school.

**Calendar**

Oct. 8th  School Pictures
Oct. 15th-19th  Fall Break (No School)
Oct. 22nd  Field Trip to Jaker’s Pumpkin Patch in Springville (9AM - 11AM)
Oct. 30th  Halloween Parade and Class Party
Oct. 27th-29th  Early Out (1:30)/Parent-Teacher Conferences

**Birthdays**

Oct. 16th  Aeris  
19th  Liam  
30th  Sophie

If you wish to bring store bought treats to celebrate your child’s birthday, please send enough for 26 children at the beginning of the school day.

We will be learning about the following this month:

Math all Month:  Counting and writing #0-10; writing numbers to represent how many

Writing all Month:  Name w/first letter uppercase, all the rest lowercase; writing simple sentences; writing sight words

First Week:  Learn about Friends
Letters:  Ss
Reading:  like

Second Week:  What is a Friend?
Letters:  Pp
Reading:  a

Third Week:  Getting Along
Letters:  Gg
Reading:  my

Fourth Week:  Getting Around Town
Letters:  Tt
Reading:  see

Fifth Week:  Traveling Far and Near
Letters:  Ii
Reading:  go

Thanks for all your help!
Mrs. Platt