

# Kindergarten!

Week of April 4<sup>th</sup>

## Learning Corner



April Showers Bring May Flowers



The Kindergartners finished adding sneaky e words to their puppets! The children also worked on their first lending library book that will be brought home today and due back on Monday. Encourage your child to read the book to you and as many people as possible! By having multiple opportunities to read the same book, students will gain confidence in themselves and practice fluency. They have learned many rules to reading including CVC patterns, silent (or sneaky) e, double vowel, many tricks including those from Foundations and Dolch frequently used words, and the sounds /sh/, /wh/, /th/, and /ch/. This week the children also learned that the letter -y can make the /e/ sound like in buggy and were introduced to bossy -r. Each week the students continue to make excellent progress. Next week they will begin their third and final reading series that is part of Starfall, with the book *Soap Boat*. The trick words will be **am, now, will, my, what, this, says**. On Friday the children will be tested on those words.

The new math chapter focuses on differentiating between addition and subtraction.

All About....ME! The students worked extra hard this week on their *I am Special* book that are now hung proudly in the hall. Some books we read include *Fins Fluff and Other Stuff*, *Incredible Me*, *I Like Myself*, *I Can Move*, *I can Be Anything*, and *God Cares for Me*.

We also discussed the difference between living and nonliving thing and real and pretend.

## Favorites of the Week

Emiley- "I liked writing about what I want to be when I grown up. I want to be a doctor."

Kaden- "I liked working on the soldiers."

Braden- "I liked reading *Dune Buggy*."

Adrian - "I liked working on the favorite TV show and toy page of our book."

Elena - "I liked working on our All About Me books."

## Reminders and Announcements

The Week of the Child Schedule:

Monday - Mixed Up Monday  
(come dressed in your best mixed up clothes)

Tuesday - Bubble Blow Out

Wednesday - Working on My Game  
(come dressed in your favorite sports team attire)

Thursday - Take 5

Friday - Music Mania

Mark your calendar  
Friday, May 6<sup>th</sup>  
Mother's Day Breakfast at 8:45