

Kindergarten Gazette

Special points of interest:

- We are reviewing sounds that our letters make.
- We are trying to be more independent when we write.
- Please send a t-shirt for your child to tie dye.
- On Thursday we will be dressing up like what we want to be when we grow up.



Next Week's Plans!

Next week will be one of our final full weeks! We will be reviewing the sounds wh, sh, th, and ch. They will be looking at words and deciding which letter combination they hear in the word. We will also be doing a lot more writing this week trying to hear and write the sounds on our own. Some of us still get frustrated when trying to do this, but we will get better with practice. At home if your child wants to write, please encourage them to write it on their own and spell it like they hear it. It is so important for them to gain independence and be able to write on their own. In time they will learn rules of spelling and knowing the correct

way to write some words.

For PWIM this week we are going to be doing my favorite project of the year! Tie Dye! I can't wait for them to see how they can change fabric by adding dye. It is so exciting to see what our shirts will look like. If you have not sent a shirt to dye, please do so as soon as possible. I plan to do our dyeing on Thursday. We will then wash them here at school and wear them on Friday. It will be a lot of fun!

During Math last week we worked on symmetry. We made kites and practiced looking at perfect lines of symmetry. I hope your child can explain to you what symmetry is. It is a

big vocabulary word for us. Next week we are going to be learning about fractions. We are going to be taking shapes apart and dividing them up. It is great for them to work with measuring cups and see how two halves will fill up a whole cup. They need a lot of visual help to understand this concept. Any practice at home is very beneficial!

For Social Studies we have been learning about jobs and why we work. Next week we are going to make a career book to show what we all want to be when we grow up. On Thursday I would like everyone to come to school dressed up like what they want to be when they grow up. I can't wait to see what they wear!

Upcoming Events!

On Friday we are going to be getting out at 1:00. Eddyville has a district track meet that day and will need space for parking. Other than that we will get to have a full week.

The following week we will have our track meet on Tuesday the 18th. Parents are welcome to attend and watch their child race. It takes place at the Eddyville track and will go on all day. Your child will need com-

fortable shoes and a sack lunch. Also that week we are going on our field trip to the science center. This will be on the 21st. I will be sending permission slips home soon.