

"Jesus Christ is our Strength and Song"
"Iesus Christus est nostra fortitudo et canticum"

Mrs. Engel
Kindergarten
Newsletter

Week 9 – Trinity 16



Kindergarten Families,

Just some FYI- Please pay attention to page 2 of the newsletter for a running list of phonemes and lock words that have been taught and ideas on how to practice! Tuesday and Thursday they bring home their practice lock word pages from phonics instruction. I had many scholars say they built words this week, and "It was fun." I hope your scholar has had a chance to use them too. Rainbow writing lock words is great practice. Write each sound in a different color. For example, our lock word 'see' would have 's' written in one color and 'ee' written in a different color.

Please email me at kengel@oslschool.org if you are planning on making a pumpkin with your scholar.

Please make sure you have RSVPed any Grandparents or VIPs for Grandparents Day! The registration link can be found in the school newsletter. Be on the lookout for a Sign Up Genius link for Parent Teacher Conferences. I look forward to meeting with you and showing you all the wonderful things your child has accomplished in kindergarten so far!

Eagle Fund has started! Please consider giving using the QR code on the bottom right corner of this newsletter or the link in the school's newsletter!

Please make sure you have read the School Newsletter.

Thank you,
Mrs. Engel

Looking Ahead

LBH: The Creed - The First Article

Hymn of the Month: LSB 655 Lord Keep Us Steadfast

Manner of the Week: Do not interrupt when others are speaking.

Religion: Samuel and Saul

Phonics: L says /l/

Lock Words: I, like, no

Literature: James Herriot's Treasury for Children

Math: 8. Geometric Shapes: Triangles

Science: Assessments

History: Asia

Art: None/Grandparent's Day

Show and Tell: Bring something that starts with the /l/ sound.

Upcoming Events

October 10

Grandparents Day – Early Dismissal 11:30

October 13

No School

October 15

Early Dismissal 2:15 - Conferences

October 16

Conferences – No School

Join Us

Join us Wednesdays at 8:15 for school chapel! This year's chapel offering goes to our Angel Fund.

Join us Sundays at 9:30 for worship at OSL! We have bible class for all ages following the service.

Eagle Fund



Show and Tell

Monday: Emily B, Emery C,
Elijah D, Claire H

Tuesday: Wells H, Ava H,
James H,
Alexander K

Wednesday: Stiles L,
Shephard M,
Ruth N, Clyde R.

Thursday: Coco R, Clara W,
Ethan W

House, Teacher, Buddy Assignments

Bynum, Emily, Oculus, Mrs. McBride, Malu Hernandez
Caldwell, Emery, Aquilae, Ms. Pigeon, James Turk
DeBlaw, Elijah, Talonis, Mrs. Ripple, Marie Wilhelmi
Hammerstrom, Claire, Rostrum, Mrs. Moore, Parker
Reeves

Hatcher, Wells, Rostrum, Mrs. Moore, Parker Reeves
Heidebrecht, Ava, Rostrum, Mrs. Spangler, Abygail
Heidebrecht

Hotze, James, Oculus, Ms. Straube, Jordyn Petree
King, Alexander, Oculus, Mrs. Morrissey, Brooks
Jenkins

LeBlanc, Stile, Rostrum, Mrs. Armstrong, Emerald Ardis
Morris, Shepard, Rostrum, Mrs. Moore, Olive Pearson
Nietsche, Ruth, Talonis, Mrs. Lazenby, Holly Crabtree
Robinson, Clyde, Talonis, Mrs. Payne, Matthew
Villegas

Phonemes

Consonants: c, o, a, d, g, m, **l**

Short Vowels:

Diagraphs:

*The phoneme for the upcoming week is **highlighted**.*

Lock Words

a, and, black, is, on, the, white, brown, said, see, stop, to, for, go, get, **l, like, no**

Parents, using a “**tap, map, write, and read**” routine is a great way to practice our lock words. **Tap:** Tap out how many sounds are in the word. This can be done with fingers or tokens. **Map:** If the word has 3 sounds, draw 3 lines or sound boxes. Then have your child write the letters in the box that correspond with that sound. **Write:** Have your child rewrite the word, making a list of all words practiced. **Read:** Have your child read the list of lock words they just practiced. Talk about word meaning and ask if they can use the word in a sentence!

This process helps facilitate orthographic mapping. Orthographic mapping is the mental process of storing words in long-term memory for instant retrieval!

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