



August

Week of the 15th

Clouse's Clues

What We're Learning in Phonics This Week:

- *Letters :Aa, Bb, Cc, Dd, Ee
- *Sight words: red, am, I, the
- *We will be doing "ABC BootCamp" for the next 26 days. We will spend one day per letter introducing it and the sound it makes.
- *On the backside you can read about what we will be learning about in reading.

What We're Learning in Math This Week:

- *We will be talking about numbers and reading the book Chicka Chicka 1 2 3.
- *We will be learning about and exploring manipulatives, such as bears, dot cubes (dice), and linking cubes.

Important Dates:

Wednesday, August 17th.
ORANGE day
Friday, August 19th - PURPLE day
Tuesday, August 23rd - PINK day
Thursday, August 25th - BROWN day



Reminders:

- *Please check your child's folder each night.
- *Please sign/initial and return your child's behavior chart each day.
- *Please have your child wear tennis shoes on Wednesday for gym.

Week Snapshot

Dear Family,

Sharing can be a challenging skill at this age. They begin to learn that their actions have an impact on others: good and bad. Our focus this week is all about sharing. We will be reading and discussing Rainbow Fish by Marcus Pfister.

Throughout the week we will be discussing why it is important to share. How do we feel when we do/don't share? What does it mean to share? Sharing is a great value to have and it allows us to feel good about ourselves. At the end of the week, your child should know what it means to share!

Vocabulary

- glide: To move smoothly, without effort
- shimmer: To shine with a flickering light
- shocked: A sudden feeling
- admire: To look at with delight
- wise: Smart

Poem of the Week

Jack & Jill

Jack and Jill went up a hill
 To fetch a pail of water;
 Jack fell down and broke his crown,
 And Jill came tumbling after.



Activities

Here are a few activities you can do at home with your child this week!

- Bake some cookies together and share with the family.
- Color a picture together by sharing the crayons.
- Ask your students what it means to share and why it is so important.