



# Mrs. Sims' Kindergarten Class

Week in Review

September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2016



## What We're Learning

### Language Arts:

- Recognizing letters, and producing their sounds
- Segmenting words into syllables and phonemes (sounds)
- Recognizing the beginning sound of a word
- Using pictures to illustrate our thoughts and ideas, and beginning to add labels to our pictures
- Handwriting-Aa, Tt, Mm, and Nn

### Math:

- Writing numbers 0-5
- Counting to 20 by ones, and counting up to 20 from a given number (ex. 14-20)
- Counting up to 10 objects and explaining how we counted-move and count, touch each one, counting on
- Identifying the penny and nickel

### Social Studies:

- Community Helpers
  - Describing communities and the people that make them

## Notes from the Teacher

Dear Parents,

I hope you were all able to enjoy a long Labor Day weekend. We spent our short week learning the meaning of Labor Day and why people are important for building strong communities. Next week, we will return to science and the 5 senses to study apples.

We will also be sending home letter cards or sight words next Monday. Please spend a few moments reviewing these with your student each night, and return them to us when they are *mastered*.

Fall conferences will begin the last week of September. I will be sending out an email to everyone to explain the process for selecting a conference time.

Finally, thank you to everyone who attended our curriculum night. Parent attendance was outstanding, and we appreciate you taking the time to come in.

We hope everyone enjoys their weekend, and look forward to seeing our students on Monday!

Sincerely,

Jessica Sims and Kaitlyn Hall

## Upcoming Events and Reminders

- 9-13-2016: Picture Day
- 9-22-2016: CLES Math Night
- 9-26-2016: Scholastic Orders
- 10-30-2016: Dads and Donuts
- 10-28-2016: CLES Fall Festival