



September 13, 2019

Check Out What We're Doing

Religion- Students learned that Jesus speaks to us in a special way. We discussed ways to listen to God's word. Students realize that they can help spread God's word through their actions each day.

Reading – We learned the procedures to follow for centers. Students worked on writing skills and read independently as part of their center rotations. I worked with students in small groups as another center activity. Students had an opportunity to rotate through all three centers. We will continue working in centers next week.

Math- The vocabulary words take away, subtract and difference were introduced to begin our subtraction unit We will continue to work on subtraction next week.

Grammar- Students worked in small groups to determine the difference between sentences and questions. Words to use when asking a question were identified. Students wrote a question that they wanted me to answer.

Social Studies- We discussed different types of communities. Students identified differences between urban and rural communities. Next week we will focus on cardinal directions and maps.

Second Step- Mrs. McGowan was in our class this week. She helped the students realize that they can all be superheroes. She identified actions in their everyday life that demonstrate these qualities.

Spelling- Students completed their first spelling test. All the spelling lists contained short a words. We will continue with this spelling pattern next week,

Technology- Students were introduced to keyboarding. They learned the importance of the home row on a keyboard.

Special Notes

Please remember to initial the reading calendar each night your child reads. This should come back to school every day.

Thursday students will take a grammar test. A review sheet will be sent home during the week. There will be no assigned math homework Wednesday.

September 30th is picture day. Please check your child's red folder during the week for order forms and more instructions on what to wear.

We will be walking to the the Arlington Heights Memorial Library on Thursday September 26th. Students will need a library card to check out books. They can use a family member's card if they do not have their own card. Please check your child's red folder during the week for a permission slip.

Looking Ahead...

9/26 Library trip
9/27 No School - Faculty PD Day
9/30 Picture Day
10/7 Pizza with a Purpose
10/7 Spiritwear Day
10/11 Special Lunch
10/14 NO SCHOOL - Columbus Day



