



Kindergarten School News



January 13, 2009

This Week's Theme: Penguins

Language Arts

This week's letter: Gg

New Alphafriend: Gertie Goose

New High Freq. Word: go

Review High Freq. Words:

I, see, my, the, a, like, to

New Word Families:

_at, _an, _ap, _ag, _ap, _am

SCIENCE

Your kindergartener should have started a brand new science kit! Make sure to ask which kit he or she is learning about:

"Animals Two By Two", "Trees" or "Wood and Paper".

Literacy Centers

*Journal writing- During small group writing, students will be focusing on phonetically spelling and sounding out sentences of their choice.

*Poetry-- "Polly The Penguin"

* Listening- Beginning Sound: /g/

*Phonics- Penmanship: Letter /Gg/



* Please remember that your kindergartener needs a healthy snack each day and a lunch on Wednesday.

*Library books due tomorrow!

*Please make sure your kindergartener is read to every night! The reading log is the single most important part of each week's homework!

ART

*Art- Tacky the Penguin

*Art- Chubby Penguin



We continue to work in small problem solving groups to solve simple addition, subtraction and now multiplication story problems using numbers 0-20. For example: There are 3 swings on the playground. There are 4 kids in line for each swing. How many kids are in line for the swings?

The month of January will be spent on AABB patterns.

* NO SCHOOL!

Monday, January 19th:

MLK Day

Friday, January 23rd:

District Inservice Day

Mon., Jan. 16- Fri., Jan. 20th:

President's Week