Mrs. Donovan's Weekly News

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Welcome to our classroom...

It was a wonderful week in Kindergarten! We participated in our first fire drill and the students did an excellent job. We also explored several areas of our classroom and the rest of our school building. Please contact me anytime with questions and/or concerns you may have this year.

Sign Up Genius for Thursday Sessions

I sent out a link to Sign-up Genius this week for the first round of Thursday afternoon sessions. Thank you for signing up for slots. Please let me know if you had any trouble opening the link. We will begin our first Thursday afternoon session next week, September 13th, for Kindergarten screening. Students who stay will bring both snack and lunch that day. Students have the option to buy lunch as well.

What happened in our classroom this week...

We were very busy in our classroom this week, continuing to work on establishing our daily routines and participating in centers for the first time. A few days this week, we had three centers set up at a time, each of which was designed to allow students to begin exploring many of our materials such as math manipulatives, literacy puzzles, and art supplies. The children practiced rotating to different centers as they finished each task and overall, they did an excellent job. Several of their projects are now on display, ready to be viewed next week at Back to School Night. ©

Hot Lunch Reminder:

Monday is the first day that students will be able to buy hot lunch. Please remind your child in the morning whether he/she is buying lunch or bringing it from home. If anyone is still in need of their child's ID number in order to establish an account at Myschoolbocks.org, please let me know.

Our First All-School Assembly!

On Wednesday we attended our first allschool assembly. Mr. Lucey and our new music teacher, Mr. Piper, led a wonderful meeting where we sang a song about "Making a Mark" with what we do in school. We got to sit with our brand new third grade buddies and the students did an excellent job listening and participating. We are looking forward to many fun activities this year with our buddies!

Reminders for Next Week:

Back to School Night is next Wednesday, September 12th. You are invited to arrive at our K classroom at 5:00 and stay until 6:00, when the presentations for grades 2 and 3 begin. There will also be time to head to the cafeteria to meet the principal, specials teachers and other staff. I look forward to seeing many of you that night. Please let me know if you have any questions. ③

Library – Wednesday is the day to return all library books. Thank you!

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