

# Kindergarten News

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## Book Fair Fun

Book fair will continue until the end of next week. If you would like to send money with your child, please review the book fair flyer & write your child's book choices on the coupon as our time at the book fair will be very limited. Please remember that all purchases should also include money for taxes. We will also participate in a reading challenge to read 80,000 pages!

If your child would like to participate in the book fair dress up days the cost is \$0.50 for each day:

Tuesday—Wear your favorite color

Wacky Wednesday— Crazy hair/Wear clothes inside out

Thursday—Dress as favorite fairy tale character

Wildcat Friday—wear blue to show school pride

**Drop-off students should arrive BEFORE 7:50 if they are eating breakfast.**

## Grandparents Day Sept 11<sup>th</sup>

Kindergarten Grandparents are scheduled to visit from 9-10. First, we will complete an activity together in the classroom. Then, we will head to the cafeteria to enjoy cookies together and check out the book fair. If you plan to shop, we strongly encourage you & your child to look at the book fair flyer to make your book selections now to save time. The book fair will be very crowded and the lines long! ☺

Please use a pencil & follow all of the directions on the math homework.

## Important Dates

Sept 6-14<sup>th</sup>—Book Fair

Sept 10-14<sup>th</sup>—Parent & Family Involvement in Education Wk

Sept 11<sup>th</sup>—Grandparents' Day

Sept 13<sup>th</sup>—Board Meeting @ MCE @ 730

Sept 14<sup>th</sup>—Homecoming

Sept 18<sup>th</sup>—Mrs. Hart will attend Teacher Academy

Sept 21<sup>st</sup>—Progress Reports Go Home

Sept 26<sup>th</sup>—Tom Evan's PTO Fundraiser Begins

Sept 28<sup>th</sup>—Monthly Awards Assembly @ 7:50

## DONATIONS

Baby wipes, Paper Mate Flair Pens, Paper Mate Ink Joy Ballpoint Pens (say "ultra-smooth ink"), Thin line dry erase markers, Crayola Fine Line Markers, Snacks: Goldfish, animal crackers, Cheez-its, graham crackers

## Skills to Work on at Home

- Upper & lowercase letters
- Sounds if your child knows all of the letters
- Counting to 25
- Name: triangle, circle, hexagon, square, & rectangle
- Name & write numbers 0-5
- Name basic colors
- Writing first name with capital at the beginning & lowercase following

## Progress Reports Will Be Emailed Sept. 21<sup>st</sup>

Be on the lookout for your child's progress report in your email. Your child will also have a supplemental grade card in their Homework Folder. This report will indicate progress on individual letters, sounds, sight words, colors, shapes, counting, and name writing.

# Please Follow District Policy When Sending Snacks & Use the Suggestions to Guide Your Choices

Check for the day you are responsible for sending a snack (you should already have a calendar if your child has an assigned day). We have about 10-15 minutes, so a light snack is best. We must follow the school health policy. Here are a few suggestions: fresh fruit or veggies, low fat yogurt, pretzels, trail mix, and string cheese. You don't have to buy a ton, just send a box or two! 😊 Please know that we do have a small fridge in our classroom if something needs to be kept chilled.

Birthdays must also follow these guidelines. We suggest getting creative and thinking about non-food items such as bracelets!

## Kindergarten Website

Please check out our website at <http://mcekindergartenteam.weebly.com>. Don't forget about the MCE Facebook page! We will be uploading newsletters, photos, and adding links to fun websites, so go back often! 😊

## Wear tennis shoes on P.E. & Music Days

	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Freie	Art	Music*	P.E.*	Library
Hart	Music*	P.E.*	Library	Art
Parmalee	P.E.*	Library	Art	Music*

## Book Logs for Freie & Parmalee

Fill out your book log each time you or your child reads a book.  
The goal is to read every day!

## Hart's R.E.D. Tickets

Fill out a "ticket" each time you or your child reads a book. The goal is to read every day! Once your sheet is complete (front and back), return in your child's homework folder for a new set of tickets. (Please do not cut apart)