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Dear Parents of Kindergarten Students,

I hope that you had a wonderful week!

Happy birthday to Dante whose birthday was this week!

This week at kindergarten we had a review week. We learned under the theme of; It's Spring. The children reviewed the short vowel sounds in words like; bed, map, box, bin, and gum. We took the opportunity to blend sounds to make these words and emphasized recognizing the short vowel sounds in the middle of the words. They also reviewed the sight words. The children read them and wrote sentences using them. When we resume classes after Spring break, they will be introduced to long vowel sounds and new sight words to add to their vocabulary. They have been told that they will have the visit of someone who is just going to be silently joining us after spring break; silent "e".

In math, we finished Chapter 10. We finished learning about position words like; above, below, next to, beside, in front, and behind. They had the review on Tuesday and the test was on Thursday.

This week in Science the children continued learning how animals are alike and how they are different. They learned about the purpose of each material when building a shelter. We observed different nests and discussed how they were built and the materials used. After doing that, the children worked in groups creating a nest with materials provided. When finished, each group presented their creation and explained the purpose of each material used. We also talked about young animals and how animals change as they grow just like we do. They drew their favorite animal and the baby and labeled their picture.

Next week is Spring break which is non-instructional week. We will resume instructional days the first week of April.

Have a wonderful and safe Spring Break!

Mrs. Wanda