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Monthly Parent's Newsletter 1-2 Yellow (November, 2009)

Dear Parents

We would like to thank all our parents for attending Back to School Night. It was truly wonderful to see all the support and enthusiasm. Your comments and suggestions were wonderful and useful. With your continuous support for your child we are very confident that his/her progress will be successful.

It was great to meet so many of our parents supporting our program. Always remember we are always here to support your ideas and help answer your concerns. As we are all aware that in November we will be having our *Eid Al Adha Holiday*, so we wish all our parents happy Eid.

Thank You All For The Continuous Support!

Our Month (November)

Language Arts: - Reading, Phonics, Grammar, Writing and Spelling

Our language work will be related to word recognition and word meaning skills to read and comprehend text –

- Sight Words
- Build vocabulary through reading
- Creative Writing
- Identify, read and write all letters, lower and upper case
- Identify all sounds, upper and lower case
- Understand words as well as pictures carry meaning
- Phonemic awareness
- Oral blending
- Word families
- Handwriting skills

We will be doing some activities, work-sheets and working on our books. We will work on Moving into English Grade 1 & 2, Unit 1 – **Self Discovery**. The lessons to be covered (**Grade 1**– Families, Clap your hands)
(**Grade 2** – Family Day, Best of Friends)

End-of-Unit Test will be held.

We will be doing some activities, work-sheets.

We will work on words of the week which go home every week. We read and recite them together and individually, we write and spell them. **We will work on Collections Spelling Practice Book.**

Mathematics: Numbers and operations

Our focus will be to develop basic counting techniques –

- Addition concepts
- Subtraction Concepts
- Match quantities with numerals
- Tens
- Tens and Ones
- Place Value
- Read and Write numbers
- Different ways to show numbers
- Problem Solving: Make reasonable estimates

We will work on Math at individual levels, work individually with each child or in small groups.

We will be working on work sheets, Saxon Math 1&2 and in books – Spectrum Math, Harcourt Math and we will be sending some as homework.

Science:

- Living and Non-Living things
- Plants
- Homes for Plants and Animals – Life in the Desert
- Life in the salt water habitat

We will be working on worksheets and in books – Macmillan Mc Graw-Hill: Science – Reading in Science Workbook **Grade 1 & 2**

Note: We will have regular assessment and tests.

Once again we would like to wish a big Thank You for all your support and co-operation.

Homeroom Teacher – Mrs. Ravinder Kaur Sahni
Classroom Assistant – Mrs. Noura Al Mutairi

Principal's Signature: _____