

## What's Happening In Kinder?

11/19-11/23 Thanksgiving Break- no school  
12/13 Discovery Museum Field Trip!

**Both Kinder classes just booked a field trip to the Bay Area Discovery Museum on 12/13.**

**Please let us know if you can drive/chaperone!**

## REMINDERS

- Remember to practice your sight words and try to get on Dreambox for 40mins!
- No homework over the break!

Thank you so much to all the families that joined us on Wednesday night for our Thankful Family Gathering. The kids were so excited to sing their songs and have dinner together.

What a great way to start the season of family and friends. We wish you all a Happy Thanksgiving! Enjoy your week off with your families!

## Ms.Perez & Ms.Alison Highlights

### This week :

- We learned so much about Thanksgiving this week! The kids used pictures to tell the story of Thanksgiving as well as making their own Thanksgiving book. The kids wrote and drew about what they were thankful for, and worked super hard on making patterned macaroni necklaces for their families table-top turkey centerpieces. We continued working on beginning sounds and added new words to our Word Wall. We also wrote a super silly Writer's Corner about Thanksgiving.
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- In Math, all students completed at least 5 lessons on Dreambox. We made Turkey Counting Books and started talking about the concept of longer and shorter. The kids also made number placemats to use on Thanksgiving.
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- In Science we continued learning about motion and "push and pull" with Ms. Michelle.

## Ms.Hope & Ms.Mayes Highlights

### This week :

- In Language Arts we read The Pilgrims and Native Americans. We compared the Pilgrims and Native Americans and learned about Thanksgiving. We practiced finding sight words in the story. We also wrote our own "Thanks A Lot" books.
- In Writer's Workshop we worked on building stamina. We learned how to problem solve when we feel "stuck" or "finished" with a story. Our students did a great job going back to add more to their stories. We also started using the strategy of visualization to help us picture what we want to tell about before beginning to write.
- In Math we learned about patterns. We discussed many ways to make patterns including colors, letters, numbers etc.... We made pattern noodle necklaces for our family gathering. We also reviewed teen numbers and focused on getting green checks on Dreambox (completing a whole lesson.)