

What's Happening In Kinder?

- 11/12 Veteran's Day- no school
- 11/14 Family Thankfulness Potluck 6:00
- 11/16 Free Dress Day
- 11/19-11/23 Thanksgiving Break- no school
- 12/13 Discovery Museum Field Trip!

Mark Your Calendars!

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!

FAMILY THANKFULNESS POTLUCK

On 11/14 at 6:00 we will have a family event in both Kindergarten classes. Please sign up on the Signup Genius that was sent out earlier this week.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0D4FA4A622A3FD0-family>

Email your classroom teacher or room parent with any questions!

We hope to see you all there!

Ms. Perez & Ms. Alison Highlights

This week :

- In Language Arts, we read several books and learned so much about Thanksgiving! We made our own googly eyed handy turkeys. You can see them sitting in our pumpkin patch on the Science wall. The students made beautiful fall trees that you can see hanging in class. They worked on sorting pictures and matching them by beginning sounds and worked in small groups matching upper and lowercase letters. We continued eating the alphabet.
- In Math, we counted and recorded items in our Inventory Bags and also in our Investigations Math book. We also spent time on Dreambox working on our math skills and earning tokens. Make sure you try to get your kids on dreambox for 40 minutes each week.
 - ✓ Sight word books went home this weekend. Sight words can not be sounded out and need to be memorized. Please practice these words with your child and when they have mastered a page, they can bring it in to read to us for a sticker!

Ms. Hope & Ms. Mayes Highlights

This week :

- In Language Arts we started rhyming! **Rhyming words sound the same at the end.** We practiced rhyming by sorting pictures that end with the same sounds.
- We also started Writer's Workshop! We all became authors and started working on our first stories to teach others about a topic we know well.
- We are focusing on writing lowercase letters.
- In Math we practiced writing and stamping corresponding numbers. We also continued comparing quantities of different items.
- We learned and discussed the meaning of *gratitude*. Students wrote about what they are grateful for on fall leaves that they created for our classroom tree.
- We did a guided drawing activity in which we learned how to draw turkeys. Our silly turkeys turned out awesome!