



Weekly News – October 15th

Reminders:

- **Illness:** Thank you for keeping your student home if they are feeling unwell. If your student has a fever, diarrhea, nausea, vomiting please keep them home until they have been symptom free for 24 hours. Along with COVID the seasonal round of colds and sickness has started. Thank you for helping to keep your student and our Hawthorne community healthy and safe!
- **Pickup:** Most days I am able to send the bus kids to the bus line on their own, however some days they need support. Either way if parents who are picking up could continue meet us on the blacktop (VS by the front doors) it would help me to make sure that I see everyone's grown up before they leave. Thank you!
- **Getting a good nights sleep:** Thank you for having a consistent night time routine with your student. Getting a good nights sleep sets them up for a positive successful day and allows them to operate at their fullest potential. Pick a special time (in my family it was "8:32 bedtime for you!") and have a set routine to follow every night.

Upcoming Dates:

10/18 Treat Bag Donations

Our FRC coordinator Ms. Meg would love for families to donate 1 bag of treats/snacks or party favors which will be made into treat bags for every student to take home!

10/21-10/22 MEA Days **NO SCHOOL**

10/26 Fire Prevention Puppet Show

10/29 Halloween Celebration

No costumes please, just Halloween/fall themed clothing. Thanks!

Things to ask your student about:

- Learning about rhyming
- Learning a and g
- Voiced sounds vs whisper sounds
- heart words: the & little
- Earning kitchen for exploration time.
- Making number partners
- Stories we read:
 - The Little Old Lady Who Wasn't Afraid of Anything
 - Harvest Party
 - Dino-Sailors
 - How I Met My Monster

Learning Targets: These are the skills that we are working on currently. They are in the form of "I can" statements to help students understand their goals.

- English Language Arts (ELA)
 - ✓ I know the letter name and sound for g and a.
 - ✓ I can write the letters g and a.
- iReady Math
 - ✓ I can make number partners for 3, 4, and 5.
 - ✓ I can count to 20.
- Kindergarten skills
 - ✓ I can keep my hands to myself.
 - ✓ I can call my classmates by their name.
 - ✓ I can use kind words with my classmates.

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