



# October

## Classroom Newsletter K/1/2 2017



We are off to a wonderful start! Students are adjusting nicely to classroom routines and procedures. We are working on three very important rules: following directions, raising our hand to speak, and working quietly. Please reinforce the importance of these rules with your child. We are working hard to keep our card "on green"! Make sure to show excitement when your child ends the day on green!

### Math:

We are introducing the structure of math class (whole group mini lesson, small group, centers). Students are finishing the math pre-requisite assessment so they can engage in a group that supports their needs.



### ELA:

Students are learning that they are readers and writers! Our first reading unit is all about identity, desire, and belief. The goal is for students to *want* to learn to read and *believe* that they can do it! We began launching the writing workshop, focusing on narrative writing.

### Reminders

- Please provide your child with a healthy snack each day
- Please read with your child every night. A homework packet is sent home monthly to support your child.
- Please check your child's folder EVERY NIGHT for behavior updates and important notices.



Congratulations to Sumir for becoming our first "Mousekateer of the Month"! He is working so hard and is an excellent model for his peers!

October Birthdays- Papa- 10/3 and Ms. Ippolito- 10/25