

Mrs. Young's Kindernews

January 21, 2008

Show and Tell:

Monday: Tony

Tuesday: Carson

Wednesday: Kyla

Thursday: Shelby

Friday: Evan H.

Next Monday: Ashton

Last week the class drew their own version of the Kansas flag. I was impressed by the nice drawings the kids were able to do. We also completed our Kansas coloring books in which we colored all of the state symbols.

This week we hope to finish our Jayhawks and a turtle hat. We also want to make butter that would taste somewhat like the early settlers of Kansas would have eaten.

The new semester has brought schedule changes. Library has been changed to Mondays. Music is now on Wednesdays and Fridays. PE is on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Art is on Tuesdays.

I will send home a "Kinder-reader" sentences page again this week. Please return this page each day since we will also practice here at school. I'll probably send the sentences home several nights so your child can keep practicing.

This week, I will also send home a new poem to memorize. The title is Penguin. Return the signed paper as soon as you feel your little one knows the poem by memory. Then I'll listen to him/her say it and put it in our individual poetry folders.

This Week:

Animated Literacy Phonics Program: We'll learn Woody Woodchuck's sound of "oo", and also Ichabod Ichthyosaurus' sound of "I". We will draw and spell foot, book, pig, and pin.

Reading: We'll review fantasy, reality and opposites, the sound of final "t", and the words "have, you, are, and we".

Math: We'll take a test over place value the concept of tens and ones. We'll also review counting by 2's, 5's, and 10's.