

Mrs. Myslik's K-1 News and Notes

Welcome back to school! I am very excited to begin our school year! This year we will be learning so many wonderful things in our room! We want to welcome the students of our kindergarten class to our room: Lacy Archambault, Eli Boucher, Clyde Cherney, Oliver Hartwig, Jacob McClain, Harlyn McDonald, Frankie Seewald, and Corra Williams. We have 7 students in first grade, five who are returning and two new friends: Evaya Hanaway, Willow Kamps, Jonah Langebartels, Oliver Mech, Jade Mendez Vega, Addy Schwittay, and Ryan Watkins. That makes 15 students in all.

In our Word of God class we are focusing on the Old Testament lessons. Last week we focused on learning about the Creation of the World. As we look around us we marvel at the beauty of the world God made for us to live in. This leads us to praise and thank him! This week we are learning about the fall into sin and God's promise of a Savior.

I sent home a "Memory Work Calendar" with all the students last week. Our first memory work assignment, Genesis 1:1, was very well done by all the students! Super work! On the back of the calendar is a page that has the Bible passages and Catechism parts written out and a song we will be singing in church. Please make sure to practice the memory work with your child(ren) at home. While some children are able to read most of the words and are able to learn their passages somewhat independently, most kindergarteners and first graders really need more help and practice with mom and dad.

Students are welcome to bring a small sport bottle with water to school to keep at their desks. Students will be allowed to refill it at the bottle filler during the day as needed. (If the water bottle becomes too distracting for your child or others I will ask them to take it to their backpack for the remainder of the day.) If you choose to send one with your child, please make sure it has a tight seal, so we don't have spills. I will ask the children to take them home each day so they can get washed.

This week we will have hot lunch on Friday. The hot lunch meal is spaghetti. Anyone who would like to have hot lunch should bring \$2 and give it to me in the morning. If your child is not interested in having hot lunch, that is fine, just please make sure to send a cold lunch. 😊

Each Tuesday and Thursday afternoon the kindergarteners are spending some time with Mrs. Rohde in her classroom to do creative play, recess, and table activities. During this time they will also have a snack. As you are packing your child's lunch, please keep this in mind. I will encourage them to reserve something in their lunch bag that they can have for their afternoon snack, too. You may want to tag one item to be their afternoon snack with a sticky note or sticker of some kind, I'll leave that up to whatever you prefer. If you need to contact Mrs. Rohde for something, her number is: 715-923-5826.

Let's have a fantastic week and a wonderful school year!

Lord's blessings,

Mrs. Myslik

