



LINC LN SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER Week of December 14, 2020

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Upcoming Events:

December 18th - Report Cards Available Online

**December 24th - January 1st - Winter Recess -
Schools Reopen on January 4th**

January 12th - Parent Teacher Conferences

Ms. Husti and Ms. Lascar



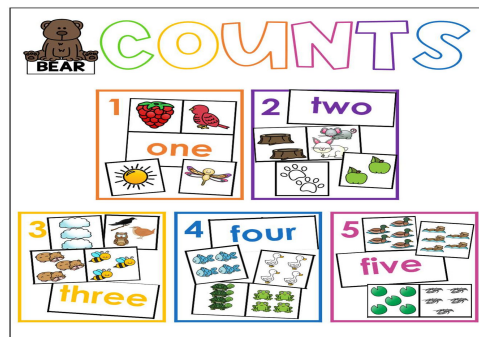
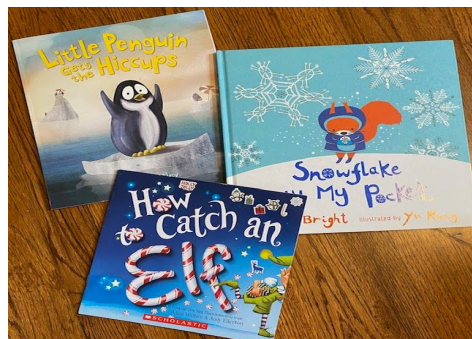
We can not believe we're already in the middle of December. We can't thank you enough for the patience, support, and help you have shown throughout this whole new learning process. We have done so much already throughout the year; letters, numbers, activities each month that go along with the seasons, and holidays we've had so far. We have listened to many wonderful holiday and seasonal storybooks, as well as Read-Alouds. We have been talking about the weather and discussing what clothes should be worn during the cold winter months that are ahead. We are looking forward to learning about all of the holidays that are celebrated in the month of December! Looking forward to ringing in 2021!





Ms. Bennett-Duran

Mrs. Bennett's class has been working on our counting 1-10 unit! *Ten Black Dots* and *Bear Counts* are our favorite books to read during this unit! We have practiced our counting skills, and naming numbers with different types of manipulatives, including toys and things we can find around the house! During our morning meeting, the students have been able to identify how they are feeling each morning, and what color clothes they are wearing. In Science we have been learning about the Winter Season, and reading some fun winter themed books! We also discuss what types of clothes we can wear during the winter season, and fun activities we can do, like building a snowman.

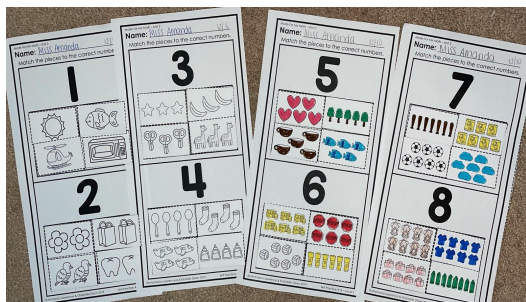


Mrs. Bush and Ms. Baric



We have been having so much fun in class! Our students have been learning about Winter Vocabulary words (hat, scarf, mittens, snow, cold, snowflake, melt), and are enjoying reading all new winter books. Our students also have been learning about the month of December, and all of the holidays celebrated in this month. In Math, our students have been working on counting and recognizing numbers 1-10. In Language Arts, we are practicing new letters of the week (Kk, Ll), -ip and -ig word families, and learning new sight words every week!

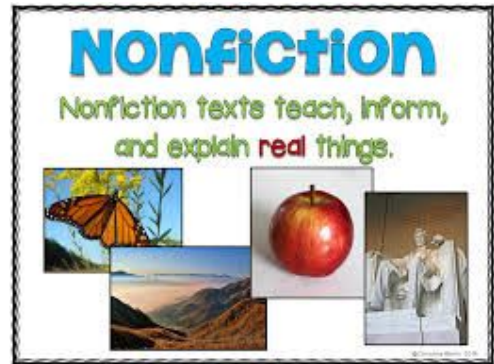
Thank you for all of your patience and support, and keep up the good work!





Ms. Lane and Ms. Sinclair

The Kindergarteners continue to work so hard! In school, we have introduced nonfiction text. Students are working on listening and understanding text based facts and ideas. In writing, students will be working on their first informational booklet. In Math, we have been working on counting, making, and writing numbers 6-10. Please make sure you are practicing sight words, letter sounds, letter formation, and number formation at home. Finally, thank you for your continued support. We hope you have a wonderful winter break, and a happy holiday!

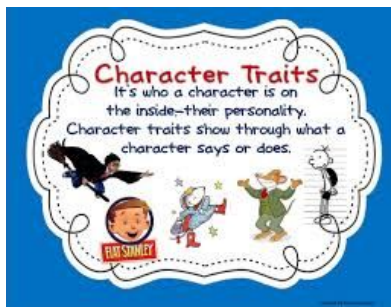


100 Sight Words				
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of	was	be	not	use
and	for	this	what	an
a	on	have	all	each
to	are	from	were	which
in	as	or	we	she
is	with	one	when	do
you	his	had	your	how
that	they	by	can	their
it	I	words	said	if
will	some	two	my	find
up	her	more	than	long
other	would	write	first	down
about	make	go	water	day
out	like	see	been	did
many	him	number	call	get
then	into	no	who	come
them	time	way	am	made
these	has	could	its	may
so	look	people	now	part

Numbers 1-10	
1 one	6 six
2 two	7 seven
3 three	8 eight
4 four	9 nine
5 five	10 ten

Mrs. Davis and Ms. Rapp

The First Graders are learning about holidays and traditions. Our children learned about Hanukkah and Kwanzaa. They listened to holiday stories, and practiced identifying story elements and character traits. In Math, the children have been practicing addition facts to 10. Please continue to practice Math facts at home, and continue to read each night. Happy Holidays!



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Addition Table (0-10)

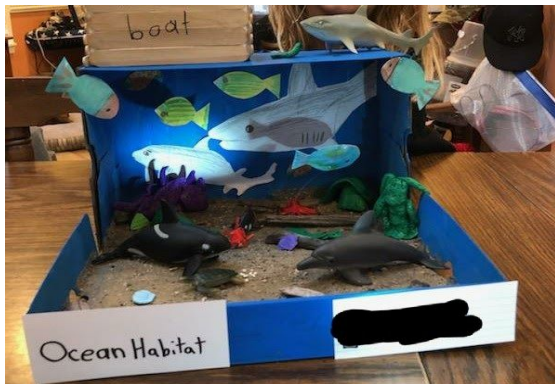
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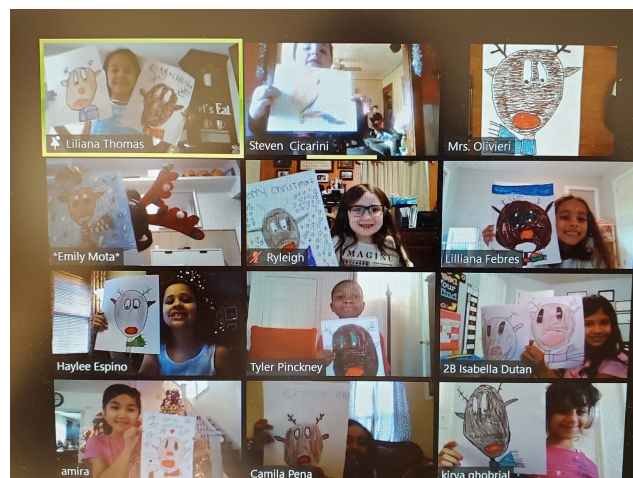
Ms. Manzo and Mrs. Olivieri

The Second Grade classes have been exploring animal habitats. We journeyed to the desert, the rainforest, the arctic, freshwater ponds, and the forest. We discussed the animals that live in each of these habitats, ways they adapt to their environments, and what happens when an animal's habitat changes. As a culminating activity, the children will be creating their own animal habitat. We are super excited and can't wait to see all the great projects they have created!



Our focus in Math has been on subtraction. We learned how to break apart numbers, use an open number line, and a hundreds chart in order to help us subtract. We have noticed an increase in each student's reading ability and comprehension skills. Great job. Keep reading!!

We all know this year has been one for the books, with more ups and downs than anyone could have imagined. Even with the struggles we have faced, everyone has been able to push forward and get through it together, and we are glad we all can continue to learn and grow, even if it is virtually. We hope that everyone is healthy and safe. We want to wish each of you a very happy holiday season from our homes to your home!





Mrs. Capazzi and Ms. Lane



In Ms. Lane/Mrs. Capazzi's Science class, we have just finished our lessons on the vertebrates (animals with a backbone) and invertebrates (no backbone.) We studied each classification for vertebrates, including the mammals (humans!), amphibians (frogs), birds, fish, and reptiles. We also studied the invertebrates group, which is more than 90% of living things! The invertebrates include insects, spiders, snails, earthworms, jellyfish, lobsters, crabs, octopus,

and squid. We are now studying our planet Earth, and how sunlight from the sun is so important to all living things. We are also learning about how our planet Earth rotates once a day in 24-hours, and also revolves around the sun. In Math, our classes are working hard on our hundreds, tens, and ones place values. In Reading and Phonics, we are doing a terrific job of identifying our long and short vowels.

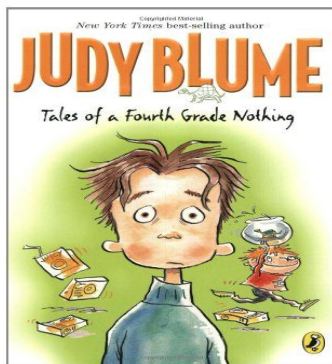
We are all enjoying the holidays by learning about all the holidays that people celebrate. We wish everyone a healthy and happy holiday season!



Place Value		
Hundreds	Tens	Ones
9	2	8

Mrs. Cruz Betesh and Mrs. Houston

The Third Graders are working hard on their writing skills this month. They have written about all kinds of topics, and are practicing using topic and concluding sentences. In Reading, they are enjoying the misadventures of Fudge and Peter in the classic book *Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing*, by Judy Blume.



Structure of Paragraph



- Topic Sentence**
Tells you what the paragraph will be about
- Supporting Sentence**
Adds details and each sentence needs to connect with the topic sentence
- Concluding Sentence**
Closes the paragraph and says that your paragraph is finished





The Lincoln School Staff
would like to wish you all:

