



Ms. Linda's Classroom Newsletter

Dear Shining Star Families

Welcome new families and welcome back returning families. We hope you had a fun and relaxing summer.

This year our school hours are as follows:

AM 8:05 to 11:00 PM 12:20 to 3:15

Once the bus company has processed all applications and phoned those families using bus transportation, if problems continue phone the Transportation Dept at 338-0078.

If your child is going to be absent for any reason please call the attendance office and let them know 892-7735.

Please send in a full change of clothing for your child that we can keep at school in case of any unforeseen accidents etc.

Send your child in play clothes and sturdy shoes such as sneakers or sandals with straps. Make sure all outerwear is labeled with your child's name.

We will send home school newsletters, announcements and notices in your child's backpack. Please check regularly.

Please put sunscreen on your child before school. We are outside 20-30 minutes a day. Also if you want to send a sun hat we will make sure your child wears it outside.

Important Information

Our fees are \$30.00 per year for supplies and \$10.00 per month for snacks, except Aug which is 5.00. Please send in \$35.00 for supplies and this month's snack dues. If sending a check make it out to Shining Stars Preschool.

We are sending home tags to fill out and pin onto your child's backpack. The staff members taking students off the bus will not know what classrooms they belong in and the tags will help these first few days as we are getting to know where everyone belongs!

We look forward to a wonderful school year with all of our students.

If you have any questions or concerns please call us 892-7735 x107 or come visit and see what we're up to.

Sincerely,

Linda Klein & Barb Dougherty

This Week's Assignments

This week in Science we will be studying animals, including dinosaurs and pets, as well as astronomy. Children will be required to complete an in-depth science report on the animal of their choice by next Wednesday morning. Our trip to the zoo on Thursday may inspire some creative choices!

We will also work on geometry problems in Math homework. In Social Studies, we will read a book about the culture of the Inuit people, who used to be called Eskimos.

Reminders to Students

- Bring money for field trip lunch
- Bring umbrella in case it rains
- Think of a costume for Friday's assembly



Reminders to Parents

Your child will need the following supplies this year:

1. backpack
2. 3 spiral notebooks
3. 1 box of pencils
4. erasers
5. rulers
6. compass
7. lunch box

This Week's Highlights

Monday

Today we are learning about dinosaurs.

Tuesday

Today we are learning about pets.

Wednesday

Today we are learning about the solar system.

Thursday

Today we are going on a field trip to the zoo.

Friday

Today we have a special guest from the fire department to tell us about fire safety.

Upcoming Events

Classroom Open House

Tuesday, September 6, 7:30 P.M.

Ice Cream Social with the Faculty

Friday, September 9, 5 P.M.

School Assembly

This week's school assembly is on storybook characters. Children may dress up like a character on Thursday. (You might want to bring a change of clothes for the rest of the day.) Costumes can be as simple as a hat or a small picture of your character pinned to your shirt. Have fun.

Thank You Students!

Special thanks are due the following students:

Jay Adams for volunteering to clean up after the fall open house.

Kari Hensien for donating her checkers set to recess.

Alan Shen for baking us his grandmother's chocolate chip cookies last week.

Thank you also to **Ms. Brown** for bringing in the travel posters to decorate for open house.