



# Kindergarten Spanish Immersion

Bursley Elementary  
Maestra Douglas



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## WEEK TWELVE



### Next Week

#### Reading:

Fun and engaging Thanksgiving themed reading and writing activities.

#### Math:

Adding one more to a number or a group. Breaking numbers apart. Adding with our fingers. Number order and number lines.

#### Writing:

Writing about thankfulness.

#### Theme Time:

Thanksgiving Theme.

### What We've Practiced This Week

**Reading:** This week our focus letter was Ff. We practiced reading and building the syllables *fa-fe-fi-fo-fu* and worked on hearing if the letter Ff was at the beginning or end of a word. We also worked on identifying the final syllable in a word and reading the words “also” (*something*) and “para” (for). Finally, we worked on drawing conclusions while reading, which is looking for clues in a story’s words and illustrations to figure out something about the story or to help us understand what is happening.

**Math:** We began a new math unit this week that focuses on building basic addition skills. This week, we learned to decompose the numbers 2-5 by breaking them into parts, e.g. 1 and 4 make 5 & 2 and 3 make 5. We also began to learn about the concept of adding “one more” to a number.

**Writing:** This week we practiced writing questions with our sight words. We had fun making “Missing Animal” posters for a story character whose farm animals ran away.

**Thanksgiving:** We continued to learn more about Thanksgiving this week! We started the week by practicing number words with a silly poem book about turkeys that run away from a farm. We also read a Scholastic magazine about the pilgrims and learned about their first year in America. We even used a globe to see how far they traveled to reach their new land!

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# Announcements and Reminders

## Thanksgiving Break

Happy Thanksgiving! Remember that next week is a two-day week as Thanksgiving break begins on Wednesday. There will be no newsletter because of the shortened week. Enjoy the time with your family and friends!

## Bursley Book Exchange

Although our holiday party is nearly a month away (December 18<sup>th</sup>), I wanted to share a Bursley tradition ahead of time. Each year, every class has a book exchange! If you would like your child to participate, please send in a wrapped book (\$5.00 or less) labeled with your child's name and addressed to an unspecified classmate of the same gender on Monday, December 15. Examples:

To: A Girl From: Maestra Douglas

To: A Boy From: John Smith

Be sure to check out Scholastic's dollar deals online when it comes time to pick a book. If you are for any reason unable to provide a book, please let me know!

## Scholastic Book Orders

Remember you can place your Scholastic order online at any time to earn rewards for yourself and for our classroom. There are also many more book options available online! Our class activation code is LJRY2. November's order will be submitted on the 28<sup>th</sup>.

## Book It!

Please return completed November *Book It!* calendars on Monday, December 1 so your child can receive his or her Pizza Hut coupon. Remember that the goal is to read four to five nights a week for 20 minutes. Keep reading!

## Late Arrivals

If your child arrives at school later after 8:50, please be sure to have him or her enter the building through the office instead of through the classroom entrance on the playground. This way, we can keep better track of student attendance and be sure that all students have ordered a school lunch. Thank you!