

Kindergarten Spanish Immersion

Bursley Elementary
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5 de diciembre

WEEK THIRTEEN



Next Week

Reading:

Syllables ending in -l and -s.
Nosotros (we/us) & *los* (the).
Breaking words into syllables.
Finding details in stories.

Math:

Comparing groups with more,
fewer, and the same number of
objects. Comparing numbers.

Writing:

Writing about the weather.

Theme Time:

A Reindeer/Caribou Theme.

What We've Practiced This Week

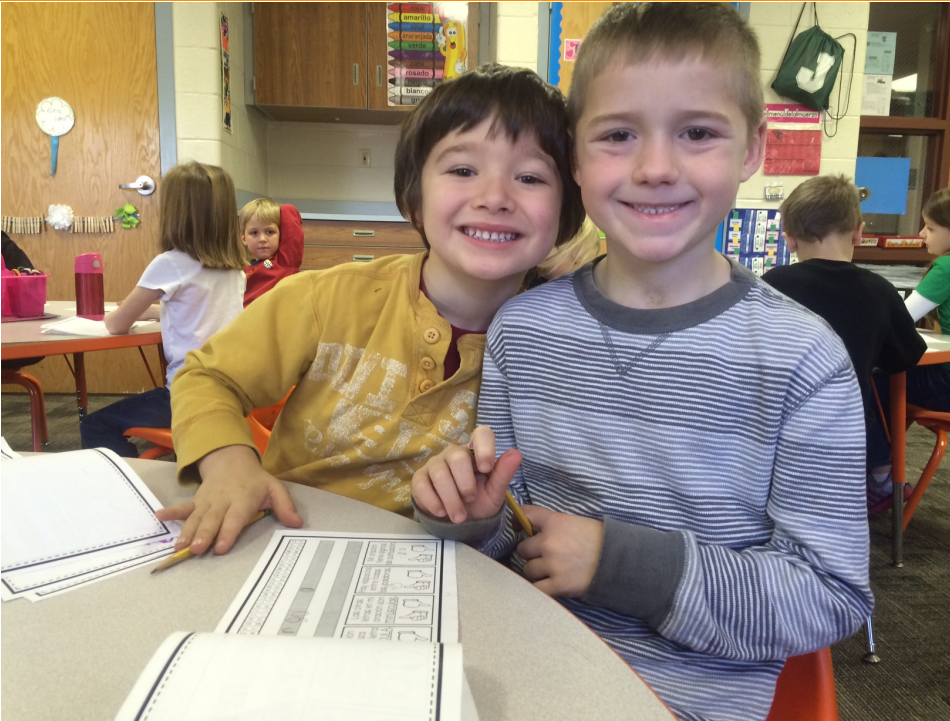
Reading: We were very busy this week practicing the letter Vv and the syllables *va-ve-vi-vo-vu*. We practiced hearing if different words contained the letter Vv and reading words with the letter. We also practiced isolating the middle syllable in three syllable words. Besides all of this word work, we practiced retelling the beginning, middle, and end of stories, reading short stories with our syllables of the week, and reviewing all of our sight words.

Math: We continued to build our addition skills by breaking numbers apart into number partners, (e.g. $5=5+0$, $5=4+1$). This is a very important skill because it helps students understand what they are doing when they add. We also practiced adding *one more* to a number by drawing pictures and by using our fingers.

Writing: This week we wrote about different ways that people can take care of animals. As we wrote, we practiced our sight words *algo* and *para*.

Gingerbread: We had a great time this week exploring different versions of the gingerbread man story. We started off by reading *El Muñeco de Jengibre* by Jim Aylesworth. In the story, *el zorro* (the fox) eats the gingerbread man. Then, we created gingerbread man stories with a twist. The stories ended with us eating the gingerbread man! Finally, we made a gingerbread man class book and practiced Spanish color words.

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Announcements and Reminders

Holiday Party and Book Exchange

Our holiday party is approaching quickly! We will be celebrating on Thursday, December 18 at 2:50. (Party set up begins at 2:30. If you signed up to help with the party, you will receive an email reminder soon). We'd love to have you join us!

In lieu of a traditional gift exchange, our class will have a book exchange! If you would like your child to participate, please send in a wrapped book valued at \$5.00 or less on **Monday, December 15**. (We will exchange the books on December 18). The gift should be addressed to an unspecified classmate of the same gender, as seen in the following two examples.

To: A Girl From: Maestra Douglas

To: A Boy From: John Smith

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

Scholastic Book Orders

November's Scholastic order has arrived! If you ordered books, look for them in your child's backpack today, unless we arranged for you to pick them up! December's order will be submitted early. I will place the order on **Wednesday, December 10** so that the books will arrive before break begins! Remember that 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.

Book It!

If your child returned his or her completed November *Book It!* calendar, check today's Friday Folder for the Pizza Hut coupon reward. If you have yet to return the calendar, please be sure to do so on Monday. Also, check Friday Folders for December's *Book It!* calendar. The goal is to read four or more nights a week for at least twenty minutes. Keep reading!