

# Kindergarten Spanish Immersion

Bursley Elementary Maestra Douglas



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## Next Week

## Reading:

Letter Mm (eh-may). Breaking words into syllables. The word "tú," (you). Making predicitions.

## Math:

Matching items that are the same. Counting up to 5. Identifying differences.

#### Writing:

Writing sentences that describe our feelings.

#### Theme Time:

All about color!

# WEEK THREE

## What We've Practiced This Week

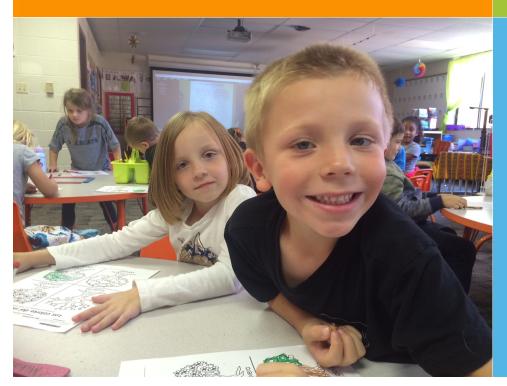
Reading: We spent our week practicing vowel names and sounds in Spanish. See if your child can find these vowels in words that you see on cereal boxes, street signs, and more. Remember that Spanish vowels are frequently the most difficult letters to learn. Practice reading them in your child's QR Alphabet book! Also, ask your child if they can write the word "estoy" (I am) or "yo" (I).

<u>Math</u>: During our math time this week, we continued to practice telling when objects are the same and different. We practiced using "Math Talk" to discuss the similarities and differences we found. We also practiced counting sets of objects with up to four items and practiced writing the numbers 1, 2, 3, and 4.

Writing: This week we continued to practice differentiating between upper and lowercase letters as we wrote our own names and the name of someone special in our lives. Next week we are going to begin writing sentences in Spanish. Continue to help your child write their first AND last name at home!

Social Studies Focus on Names: We had a blast this week learning all about *manzanas* (apples)! Not only did we read about apples and how they grow, but we also did an apple taste test, investigated apples, and made apple prints! We also wrote a funny story called ¿Quien tomó la manzana del manzano? (Who took the apple from the apple tree?)

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# **Announcements and Reminders**

## Apples

Thank you to everyone who provided apples for our activities this week! We had a great time.

## Field Trip

On Friday, October 3, all Bursley's kinders will be going to Post Family Farms! We will board the bus at 9:00 a.m. and return to school around 11:45. If you haven't yet returned your child's permission slip and money to school, please do so by Monday, September 22.

## **Kids Cat Football Game**

Jenison's Annual Kids Cats game is coming soon! Consider attending the game on Friday, September 26 to support Jenison's football team. On the day of the game, a football player from the high school will come and visit our class to join us for recess!

## **Physical Education**

Remember that our class attends P.E. on Fridays. Don't forget gym shoes!

#### Color Week

Next week our theme time is focused on colors. Please encourage your child to come to school wearing the following colors on the following days: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, a rainbow of colors!

### Scholastic Book Order

A few weeks ago you received several Scholastic Catalogs and a letter describing the ordering process. If you order online, you can earn a \$5 Free Book Coupon for yourself **and** help earn books for our classroom. Book orders will be placed on the 28<sup>th</sup> of this month. Let me know if you have any questions about ordering!

## We Can Tie Our Shoes!

With twenty-eight kindergarteners in our class, tying shoes could be a full time job! © Please take time to help your child practice tying shoelaces so that he or she can do so in the classroom. It helps us stay on task and transition quickly between activities when students can tie their own shoes!