

# Kindergarten Spanish Immersion

Bursley Elementary Maestra Douglas



## 26 de septiembre



## Next Week Reading:

Letter Ss (*eh-say*). Separating words into syllables. Words "el" and "la" (the). Discussing characters from stories.

#### Math:

Counting up to 7 items. Finding similarities and differences. Writing numbers 1-7.

#### Writing:

Writing about family members.
Social Studies and Science:
Fire Safety.

## WEEK FOUR

## What We've Practiced This Week

Reading: We learned a new letter this week, the letter Mm (ehmay), and practiced reading the syllables "ma, me, mi, mo, and mu." If you have access to the Internet at home, consider watching the alphabet videos on our classroom website with your child. The "Alphabet Rap" even includes the pronunciation of syllables with Mm!

<u>Math</u>: This week we continued counting groups with up to five objects. We talked about how the total number of objects doesn't change even when we rearrange the items in the groups. We also practiced identifying if two objects are the same or different. We've spent a lot of time learning how to describe similarities and differences that we see with "Math Talk" instead of simply saying whether the two things are the same or different!

<u>Writing</u>: We learned all about writing sentences this week! Each day, we wrote a new sentence to describe our feelings. As we wrote, we started our sentences with a capital letter, left spaces between our words, and included a period at the end.

Themes Focus on Colors: Our theme for this week was focused on learning the colors in Spanish. Not only did we dress in different colors each day, but we also wrote the color words, read short stories and poems about the different colors, played a color game, and practiced reading the color words,

too!

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## **Announcements and Reminders**

## **Post Family Farm Trip**

On Friday, October 3, all of Bursley's kindergarteners will be going to Post Family Farm! We will board the bus at 9:00 a.m. and return to school around 11:45. If you are chaperoning, feel free to meet us at the farm or ride on the bus. If you haven't returned your child's permission slip and money to school yet, please do so as soon as possible!

#### **Kids Cat Football Game**

Jenison's Annual Kids Cats game is here! Consider attending the game tonight, Friday, September 26 to support Jenison.

### 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!

#### Scholastic Book Order

It's almost time for the first Scholastic Book Order! 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!

#### **Book It!**

Today you will receive a Book It! Reading Log for the month of October in your child's Friday Folder. Students who read with their parents for 20 minutes a day, four or five days a week should record their progress on the calendar and bring the log back at the end of the month. Students completing the Book It! Challenge will receive a coupon for a free one-topping Personal Pan Pizza at Pizza Hut. I hope you all participate in the challenge!

#### **Physical Education**

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