Thank you for meeting with me last week! If you need to reschedule your conference because of Wednesday being cancelled, I can meet after school this Wednesday. E-mail a time that works for you. :)

Important Dates:

October 26 - PTO Carnival 10am-2pm

October 30 - Picture Retake Day

October 31 - Halloween Parade 1:15pm

Nov 11 - Veteran's Day - No School

Scholastic: Orders should arrive by Friday or next Monday.

Folders will be sent home each week on the first day of school. **Please return them** on Fridays!

ELA: What can you find out when you explore? How do tools help us explore? What shapes do you see around you? **What kinds of bugs do you know about?**

Review Letters: Mm, Aa, Ss, Pp, Tt

Sight words: I, can, the, we, see, a, like (review this week)

(additional sight words: all, am, at, be, but, by, come, did, eat)

Vocabulary: process, observe, slender, attaches, curious

We are focusing on asking questions as we read using "I wonder...." statements.

Math: We are counting how many up to 10 (in a line, an array, in a circle, and scattered) and finding the hidden partners (1 and 4 make 5, 2 and 3 make 5). We are finding the missing number (ex: 1, 2, __ or 1, __, 3). We are finding 5 groups within larger sets. We are also practicing writing numbers 0-10.

Science: We are studying trees and weather. Go for a walk and look at the trees, have they started changing for fall yet? Talk about what the weather is like on your way to school. How does it change, or stay the same, each day?

Homework: Read 20 minutes every night and return the **reading log** on Fridays. The math worksheets and language arts packet are just for extra practice. Do not turn them back in. Please, **teach your child to tie their shoes**. It promotes independence, helps develop fine motor skills, and allows them to move more safely through their young life.

Wishlist: Please donate to our Carnival raffle basket! Glow-in-the-dark theme!