

# Kindergarten News

Mrs. Munson's Class  
Week of October 18-21, 2021



## What We're Learning

**School hours:** 8:10  
a.m.-3:35 p.m.

**Breakfast** is served  
in the classroom at  
7:45 a.m.

Please **notify the  
elementary office of  
any changes to your  
child's end-of-day  
routine.** Please call as  
early in the day as  
possible.

**Reading:** This week we'll be reading pumpkin stories! Our focus story is a narrative called **Pumpkin Town**. We'll also read a non-fiction text called **From Seed to Pumpkin**.

**Foundational Skills:** This week we'll learn the letter sounds and correct letter form for **o** (short vowel sound) and **c** (/k/sound).

**Writing:** We will continue to establish routines and procedures for **Writer's Workshop**, including building stamina and working independently.

**Math:** We'll continue to explore our **October calendar card pattern**, which is actually several patterns going all at the same time. In **Bridges math**, we'll begin working with **two-color ten frames**, which will help us visualize quantities that can be combined to add up to 6, 7, 8, 9 or 10.

## Announcements and Reminders

Our mornings have been pretty chilly recently. Please be sure your child is dressed for the weather!

Information about our **Halloween party** is in your child's folder today.

## Coming Events

**Monday, October 25: Individual pictures (rescheduled).** Kindergarten is usually called around 8:30 a.m. New order forms will be sent home a few days prior to picture day.

**Thursday, October 28: Halloween party, 2 p.m.** Due to **COVID** restrictions, we are unable to have our traditional costume parade or have guests join us for the party. Please see the note in your child's folder for more information.

**Monday, November 8; Tuesday, November 9; Wednesday, November 10: Parent-teacher conferences.** Conferences will be held after school and sign-ups will be online. More information will be sent out soon!

**Thursday, November 11: No school.** Veteran's Day observance.

**Friday, November 19: Scheduled school day.** (This will be a five-day school week.)

**Thursday and Friday, November 25-26: No school.** Thanksgiving break. (Please note, we DO have a full day of school on Wednesday, November 24.)