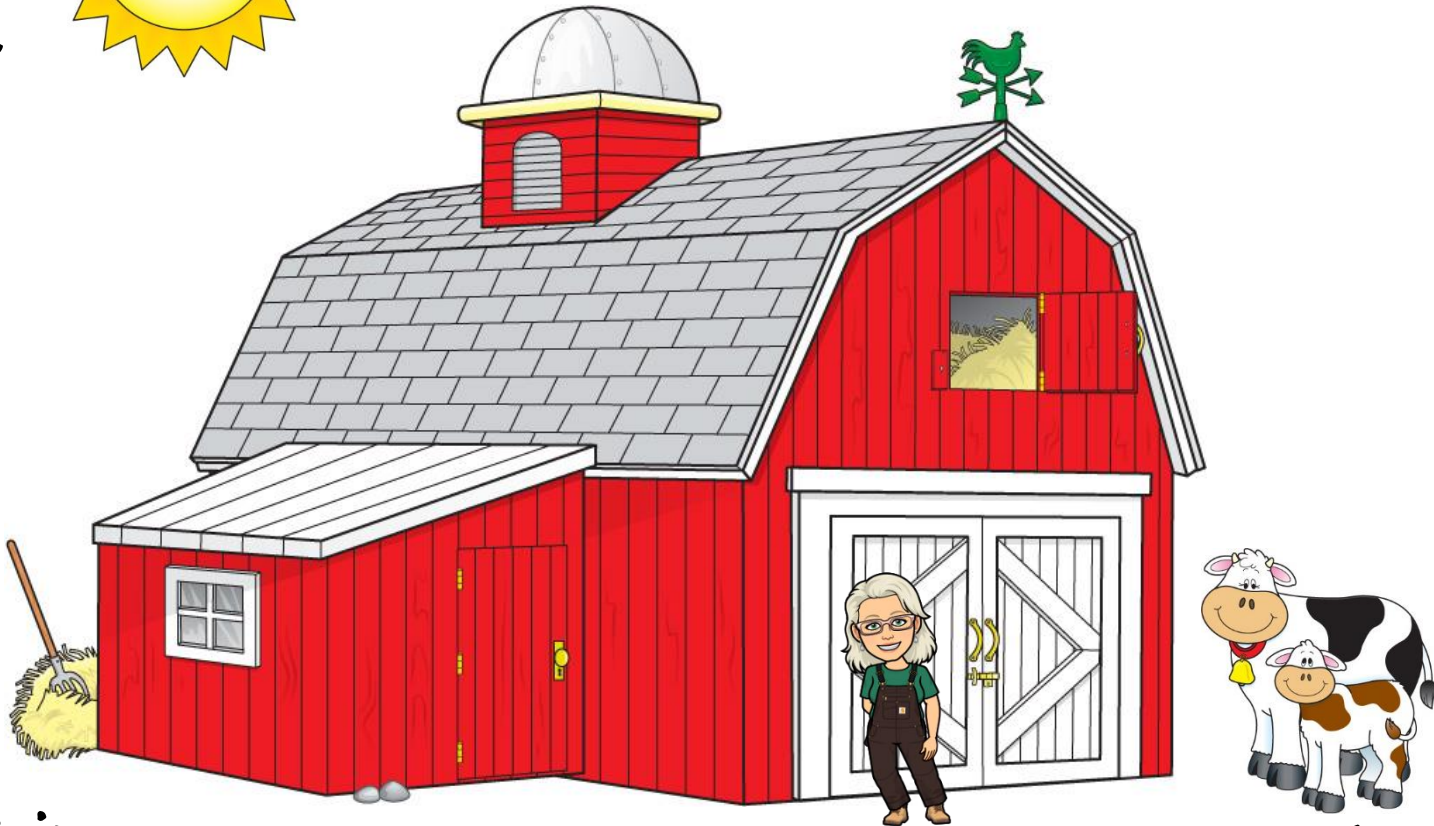
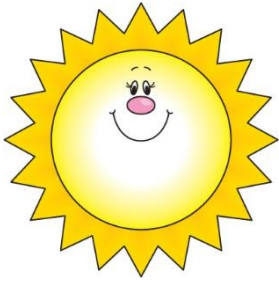
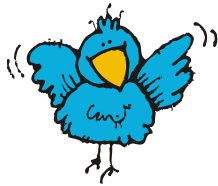


# Mrs. Peters' Moovers & Shakers



# Kindergarten Rocks!



Welcome  
to our  
classroom!

I  
love my  
school





# KINDERGARTEN CURRICULUM

## Religion (One In Christ~ Concordia Publishing House)

- Bible Stories from Genesis – Revelations
- Weekly memory verse to help them remember Jesus in their daily lives



## Reading (Macmillan/McGraw-Hill Learning to Write Series)

Letter Books A-Z

Students will learn:

- Name, sound and formation of each letter
- Identify the letter and letter sounds in the initial position
- Teach the formation of capital and lowercase letters
- Develop word attack skills and blend letter sounds into words
- Learn memory words
- Develop reading comprehension skills
- Discriminate between similar letters
- Teach association skills
- Spell dictated words
- Follow oral directions
- Enjoy reading and listening to stories

## Math (Savvas)

- Numbers 0-5
- Compare Numbers 0-5
- Numbers 6-10
- Compare Numbers 6-10
- Classify and Count Data
- Understand Addition
- Understand Subtraction
- More Addition and Subtraction
- Count Numbers to 20
- Compose and Decompose Numbers 11 to 19
- Count Numbers to 100
- Identify and Describe Shapes
- Analyze, Compare, and Create Shapes
- Describe and Compare Measurable Attributes



## Social Studies

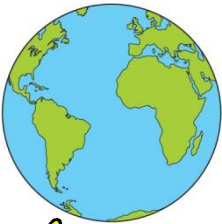
(Harcourt - Our World Now & Long Ago)

- Being A Good Citizen
- My Country
- Workers
- Where We Live
- Time Goes By
- Stories of the Past



## Science

(Houghton Mifflin Harcourt~ Dimensions)



- Engineering and Technology
- Forces and Motion
- Plants and Animals
- Sun Warms Earth
- Weather
- Earth's Resources
- Lego Education

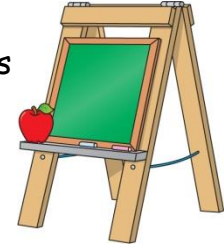
## Thematic Units

- Fire Safety
- Dental Health
- Historical Events
- Holidays



## Weekly Specials

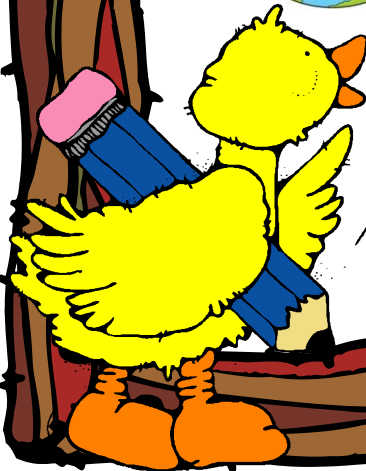
Once a week students will attend a thirty minute sessions in each subject



- Computers
- Art
- Choir & Music
- Library
- Spanish
- Steam

## Other Kindergarten Activities

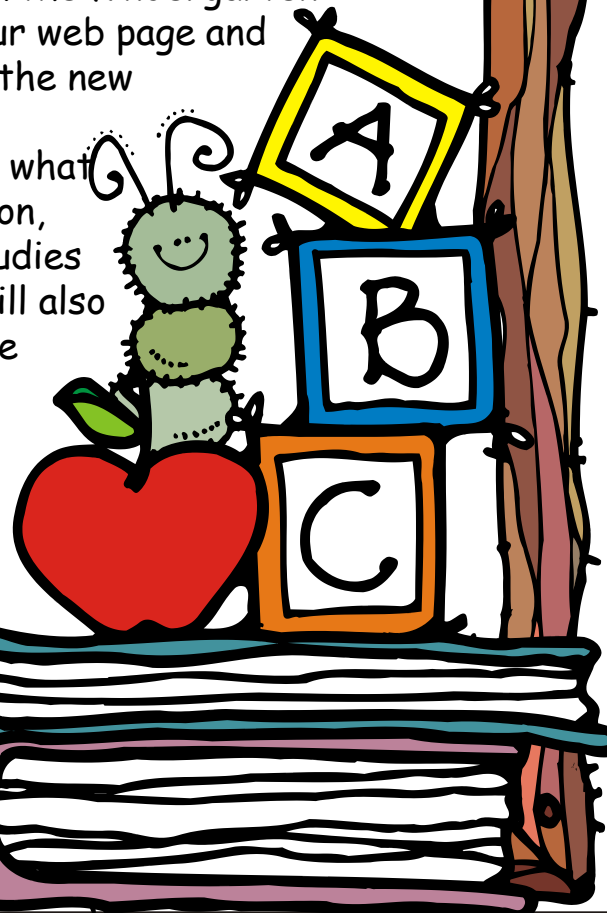
- Classroom Parties (Halloween, Christmas, & Valentine's Day)
- Lutheran Schools Week (January)
- 100<sup>th</sup> Day of School Celebration
- Field Trips
- Surprise Reader (Parent's sign up to come in and read a story to the class)



## Papers

Your child's completed papers will come home with him/her each school day. Please work with your child on homework, pages not completed, or on pages marked for correction.

**Classroom Newsletter** ~ Every week the Kindergarten classroom newsletter is posted on our web page and I send out an e-mail to let you know the new newsletter has been updated. Each newsletter will include a schedule of what your child will be working on in religion, reading, math, science, and social studies during the week. A Memory verse will also be included on each newsletter. (The memory verse for the week should be memorized. I will ask each student to say the verse aloud on Thursday afternoon.) Field trips and other upcoming events will also be posted on the classroom newsletter.

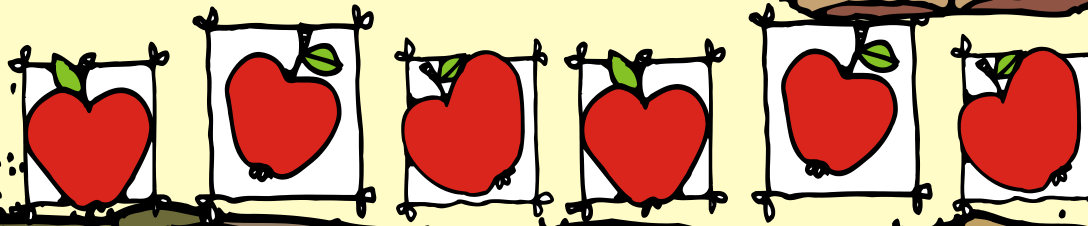
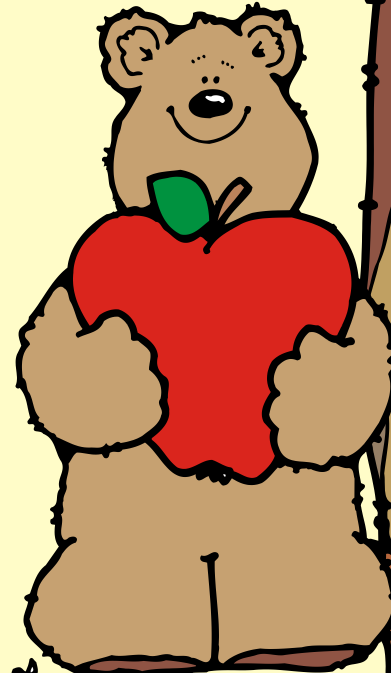


The **School Newsletter** is to inform you of school events and is updated on our website on the second and fourth Friday of each month.

## Nutrition Break

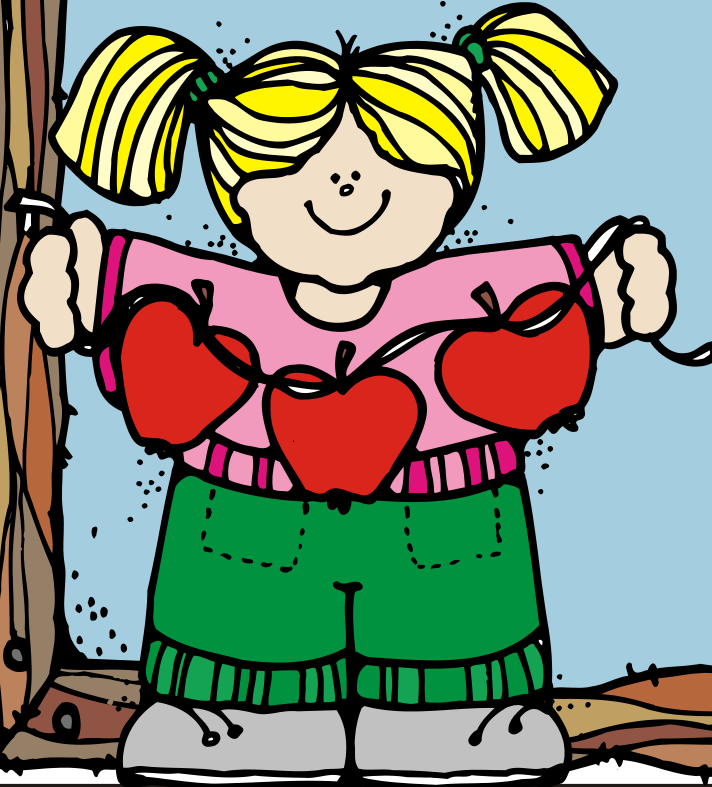
We have snack time each day in Kindergarten. Due to the growing number of students with severe allergies to peanuts and tree nuts, we feel we must have control of the snacks that are being served for the safety of the children.

The \$25.00 Snack Fee helps offset the cost of the Early Childhood snacks.



## Physical Education

On Tuesday and Thursdays Kindergarten will have P.E. in the gym or outside (weather permitting) with Mr. Giron. Your child must wear gym shoes to play in the gym. Children who do not have gym shoes may not be allowed to participate. Girls should keep a pair of shorts at school to wear under skirts or dresses. A pair of gym shoes should be kept in your child's locker at all times.



## Recess

At each break time I try to take students outside for fresh air and exercise. Please send suitable clothing for outdoor weather. Children who are not properly dressed for weather conditions may not be allowed to go outdoors with the rest of the class. If your child is ill or should remain indoors please send a note explaining why.

## Attendance

Children may enter the school at 8:15 A.M. The tardy bell will ring at 8:30 A.M. and attendance will be taken at this time. (Punctual attendance begins the day on a positive note.) School will dismiss each day at 3:10 P.M. If you will be late, please contact the school office. If you need to drop your children off before 8:10 A.M. or can not pick them up until after 3:15 P.M. they must be signed into Christian Care. Please be on time when picking up your child because they tend to worry if someone is not there to get them.

## Tardy Policy

Students who arrive after 8:30 A.M will need to go to the office to receive a tardy slip.



## Appointments or Illness

If your child has an appointment during the day, please send a note so we can have him/her ready and waiting to be picked up from the school office. If your child becomes ill while at school we will contact you and have him/her waiting in the office. If your child is ill please keep him/her home and **phone the school office**. Recovery time at home is faster. Contagious diseases may require a note from the doctor. Health rules require students to remain home if temperature reaches 100 degrees or more. Students must have a normal temperature (98.6 degrees) for at least 24 hours before returning to school.



Please inform the office of any illness or change in emergency information ASAP!



# Report Cards

A progress report (check list) will be sent home in October.

Report cards are handed out twice a year (January & June). There will be a parent/teacher conference held in January, and whenever necessary.

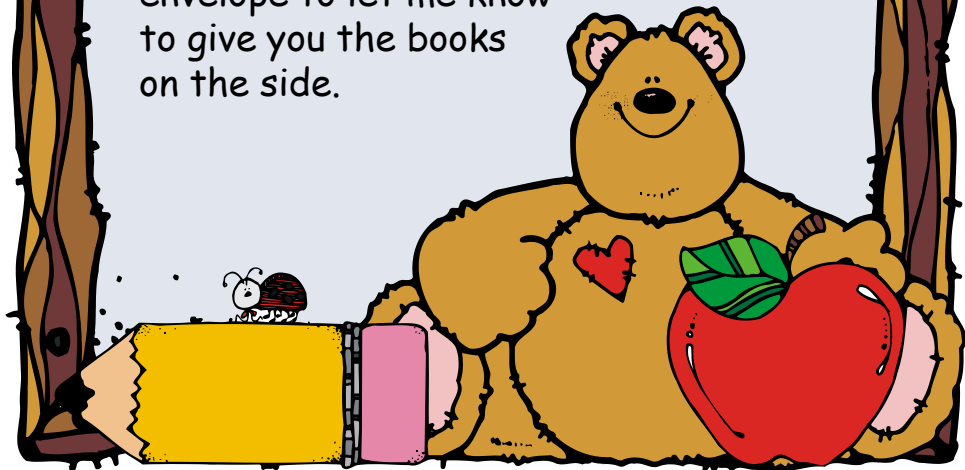


Please contact me immediately if you have any concerns or feel 'there is something I should be aware of.



## Book Orders

Scholastic book clubs offer a variety of books to purchase for your child at a reasonable cost. When ordering, please fill out the forms completely and return them with the money in a sealed envelope labeled "Book Order" with your child's name. If paying by check, please make checks payable to Scholastic book club. If you are purchasing a book as a birthday gift, Christmas gift, or just a surprise, please send a note inside the envelope to let me know to give you the books on the side.

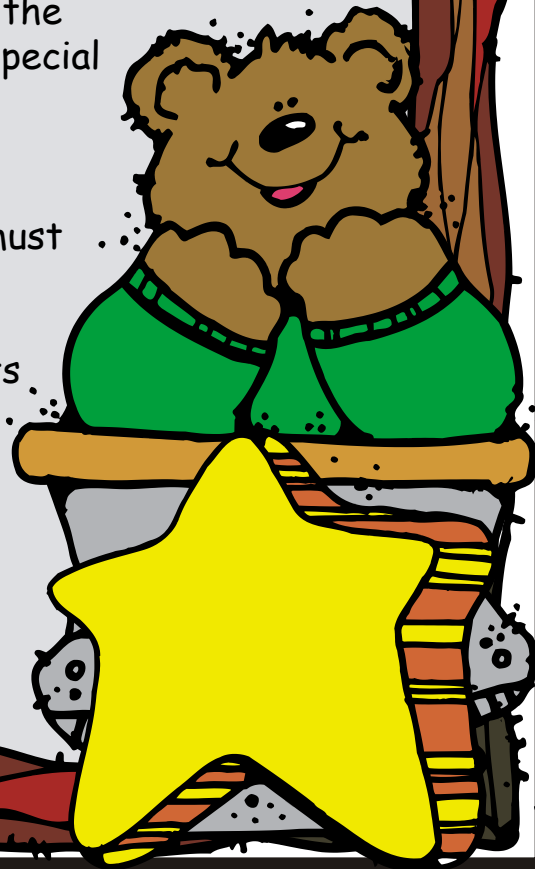


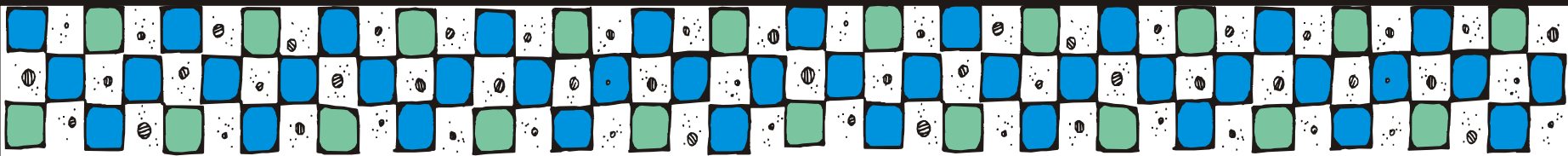
## Birthdays

Your child's birthday is important. If you wish, you may send a treat for the children in the classroom on his/her special day.

Due to the growing number of severe peanut and tree nut allergies treats must be purchased from the approved nut free list. All treats must be store bought. No homemade birthday treats are allowed.

Thank you for your support and understanding.





# Mrs. Peters Class



2023-2024 KINDERGARTEN SCHEDULE					
Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:30-8:45	morning meeting	morning meeting	morning meeting	morning meeting	morning meeting
8:45-9:00	library	pledge/devotions	chapel	pledge/devotions	pledge/devotions
9:00-9:15		math		math	math
9:15-9:30	math		math		
9:30-10:00		free play		phys. ed	free play
10:00-10:30	bathroom/snack	bathroom/snack	bathroom/snack	bathroom/snack	bathroom/snack
10:30-10:45	calendar	calendar	calendar	calendar	calendar
10:45-11:00	reading	reading	reading	reading	reading
11:00-11:30					
11:30-12:00	bathroom/prayer	bathroom/prayer	bathroom/prayer	bathroom/prayer	bathroom/snack
12:00-12:15	lunch	lunch	lunch	lunch	lunch
12:15-12:45	bathroom	bathroom	bathroom	bathroom	bathroom
12:45-1:00	steam	music	spanish	computers	art
1:00-1:30	science	social studies	science	social studies	science
1:30-2:00	recess	recess	recess	recess	recess
2:00-2:30	religion	religion	scholastic news	religion	religion
2:30-3:00	prayer/dismissal	prayer/dismissal	prayer/dismissal	prayer/dismissal	prayer/dismissal
3:00-3:10					

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# Prayer

As you may know, we begin and end each day with prayer. I encourage children to pray with me and bring their joys, their worries, and all their cares to the Lord. We also thank God for our many blessings and often just ask Him to help us have a "Good Day". Encourage your child to make up his/her own prayers so that he/she will feel comfortable speaking to God.





- Parking Lot Safety
- Students may **not** re-enter the building without an adult
- Clothes & Shoes for Lockers
- Utensils for Lunch
- Hot Lunch (helpers needed)
- Milk (chocolate or white)
- Ice-Cream (Thursdays)
- Book Fairs
- Class Dojo
- Coloring Book
- Children's Bible
- Library (Books due on Monday)
- Key Chains for Backpacks
- Questions
- Note Card



Communication between home and school is very important, so please feel free to call, email, or send a note in your child's folder whenever you have a question or concern. I am looking forward to a great year!

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