Kindergarten News from Mrs. Liester

Our 100th day of school will be Thursday (weather permitting of course)!!! We'll be celebrating all week!! © Thanks for sending your child's portion of our special snack and other things they will need to make this coming week extra special!!

Valentine's Day is coming soon. If you would like to purchase a bag of **conversation hearts** for our classroom, we would be grateful! We'll use them for graphing and for bingo pieces. © Send them any time on or before next Friday, February 5. Our classroom will open a Post Office on Wednesday and your child will be delivering their mail (aka Valentines). You may include a treat if you would like. Please check your child's backpack today for information! ©

Student led conferences are Thursday, February 11. Your child's scheduled time is in his/her backpack today. This schedule is VERY flexible. If the assigned time does not work for you, another time can easily be arranged. Since your child will be leading the conference, you will be spending various amounts of time in our classroom, and other conferences may be going on in our room at the same time you are here. If you get done in another classroom ahead of schedule, come on in and get started! I will be stopping at your table at some point during the conference, but if you would like to speak with me privately, please let me know. We can arrange a time. There will be childcare available for your other children so that this can be a special time for you and your child.

February 1-5

Monday— COLLECTIONS DAY! Please have your child bring in a collection of 100 of something! We will be making 100th day books and making special necklaces. (Music day)

Tuesday— **TEAM DAY!** Wear whatever you'd like, but be ready to support your "table team" in the classroom as we race to complete a puzzle, roll to 100, and write 100 words! We will also be writing about what we would do if we had \$100. (Gym, Guidance Counselor day) Wednesday— **PAJAMA DAY!!** Yes, wear your pajamas to school! (Please keep in mind we will still have our regular k activities!) You may bring a favorite bedtime story (make sure your name is inside) and a small blanket and/or pillow. We will be reading 100 books, including <u>Ten in Bed</u> and <u>Llama Llama</u> <u>Red Pajama</u>. (Music day)

Thursday— **Day #100!!** We will be having the special snack, along with other fun things! In math we will have a Dollar Dig!! Ask your child about it! © (Gym, Library day)

Friday—**GAME DAY!** We will be doing 100 jumping jacks, dancing 100 seconds, and will TRY to be silent for 100 seconds ©. We will be making a puzzling picture, having a number toss and playing games! (Music day)

Snack: Monday—Cade Tuesday—Casen Wednesday—Cooper Thursday—Emma T. Friday—Benjamin

When asked, "What have you learned in 100 days of kindergarten?" these were the replies......

Blake learned how to count to 100 and about walruses.

Bence learned how to tie his shoe and how to make snowflakes.

Chloe learned how to write.

Blair learned about animals.

Kodie learned how to count to 100.

Emma H. learned about bears and how to read books.

Pita learned how to count to 100.

Ryley learned how to write and how to illustrate.

Amanda learned about penguins and walruses.

Wyatt learned how to make a walrus.

Cade learned how to read sight words.

Casen learned how to read and how to do the calendar.

Cooper learned how to write to 100 on paper.

Benjamin learned how to write to 100 and how to count to 100.

Emma T. learned how to read and how to stay healthy.

Hadley learned how to do math and the a, b, c's.

Tasia learned about penguins and about polar bears.