

K1 Friday Notes

17th March 2017

UOI (Unit of Inquiry)

This week in the Chinese classroom we discussed what is my favorite corner/activity in the classroom and what is my favorite class in school. Many children love PE class because they can run very fast in the PE room. We discussed with the children, 'What did you learn in school?'. The children drew pictures and told us that they learnt many different things with different teachers in school. The children showed us that they love school and they can learn something new in school.

In the English classroom the children continued to review who our Teachers are. We also went to the new playground and the new soccer field. We observed that our school changes as more children join the school and the school gets bigger.

Star of the Week (This child will be line leader for the week, and help the teacher with some jobs. They are also invited to bring something special from home during the week to show the other children).

Please bring in Show and Tell **ONLY** if your child is the 'Star of the Week'.

K1J Mira

K1S Minta

English

Next week we will learn the letter/sound 'W, w', for 'wind' and window'. Please send in ONE object which is related to the letter/sound of the week. Please label the items with your child's name and put them into the basket outside of English classroom on Monday mornings. We will return your 'Show & Tell' objects on Friday afternoons. Thank you for your support and instilling enthusiasm in your child for the English Jolly Phonics!

Chinese

Next week we will learn another Chinese character. '云', 'cloud' is the new character that we are going to introduce. Please continue to support us and help your child to bring in the Show & Tell objects on Mondays. We love to share and talk about them at school! For the Show & Tell objects please kindly check the phrases below:

云	
白云	Clouds
乌云	Cloudy (black clouds)

Mathematics

In the English classroom this week we reviewed number recognition for numbers 1-10. The children sang songs and read books related to numbers. The children also reviewed shapes and stuck nine pictures of various shapes on their number '9' page in their Number Book.

This week in the Chinese class the children continued exploring and extending their number counting skills through different activities. We encouraged the children make a 'Numbers Book' in Chinese class (1-10). Their number recognition skills are also improving. Please find the Chinese numbers rhyme lyrics and link below,

1 什么 1? 铅笔 1。 2 什么 2? 鸭子 2。 3 什么 3? 蝴蝶 (蝴蝶) 3。 4 什么 4? 帆船 4。 5 什么 5? 钩钩 5。 6 什么 6? 哨子 (蜗牛) 6。 7 什么 7? 拐杖 7。 8 什么 8? 眼镜 (甜甜圈) 8。 9 什么 9? 气球 9。 10 什么 10? 一根棍子打棒球 10。

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iWwJCBrdEXY>

Birthdays

K1J Alice 9th March, Mira 24th March

K1S Emmy 6th March, Pearie 12th March, Times 23rd March

Important Information

Thank you parents for your support and sparking the children's enthusiasm at home for Spirit Week. The children enjoyed dressing up and using their communication skills to talk about what they dressed up as.

Friday the 24th March will be half-day for the students. The students will be dismissed at 11.15 am. On Saturday 25th March the students will have their Student-Led Conferences in the morning. The school Administration will send further information about how to sign up for a time slot. Please check your e-mails regularly for more information about the Student-Led Conferences.

The school will be closed from Monday 10th April - Friday 14th April 2017 for Songkran holidays. Classes will resume on Monday 17th April 2017.

A message from the School Administration;

As the days are getting warmer, the school would like to encourage parents to please pick up your child's free Concordian hat from Khun Cin located in the office reception area up until March 31st, 2017.

Please ensure that your child's name is written on the inside to avoid the hats getting lost.

We will ensure that the students wear them during recess time.

The hats are optional for students to wear.

Thank you.

Thank you

K1 Team