

# The Weekly Buzz



Ms. Dillard's Class  
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## What's Buzzin'?

Kindergarten is in full swing! We have really worked hard to remember our kindergarten star rules and behavior! I am so proud of every child! This week, we earned a "Golden Sneaker" in gym! We worked hard as a team to make wise and safe choices. Way to go, kindergarteners!

Next week, we are looking forward to Zero the Hero day on Monday! It will be the 20<sup>th</sup> school day! Friday, September 26<sup>th</sup> will be our kindergarten star party! We will be creating a special star project, enjoying a yummy star treat, and celebrating each student becoming a kindergarten star! Hope to see you there!

- ☀ Our Kindergarten Star Party is on **Friday, September 26<sup>th</sup>** from 2-3 pm. All parents are welcome to join us! Please remember, **siblings are not permitted** to attend per YBES school policy. Hope to see you there!
- ☀ Please send in a child size **t-shirt** with your child to school. We will be decorating a t-shirt to wear to our kindergarten star celebration. Thanks!
- ☀ Remember to have your child complete homework each night in pencil. Please have your child work on writing his/her first and last name each night on the homework worksheets.



## Look What We're Learning:

### I.L.A:

- Sight word this week: **be**
- Reading and responding to big books, Oh No! and Help!
- Practicing write uppercase and lowercase letters
- Identifying words that we can read around our environment (environmental print)

### Math:

- Extending and creating sound and motion patterns
- Extending and creating colored patterns
- Comparing and sorting coins (penny, nickel, dime, and quarter)
- Identifying the missing number in a sequence
- Exploring the math shelf

### TUB:

- Identifying ways we can be courteous
- Celebrating Constitution Day

## Mrs. Monarch Math says...

To build children's familiarity with money, let your child borrow the coins from your purse or pocket and sort them by attributes- color, size, markings, etc. Do not be concerned with coin values at this time. Children will learn more about coin values and exchanges later in Kindergarten.



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