

Welcome to Kindergarten!

Please come in, find a seat and. . .

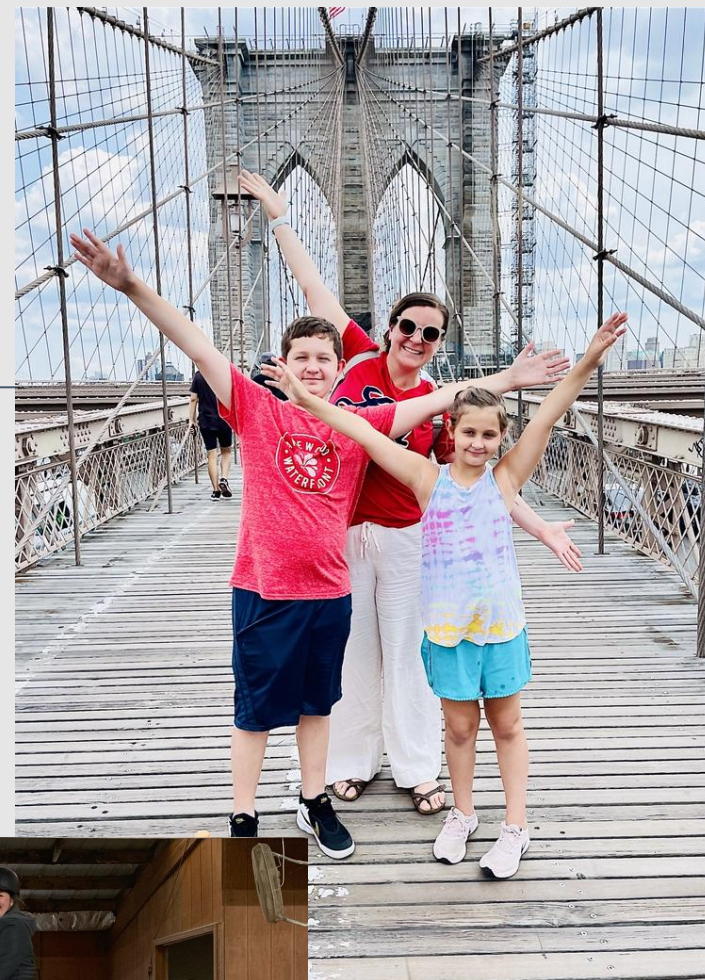
- fill out field trip forms.
- place field trip money and forms in homeroom basket at the front door.



About Mrs. Bickert



About Ms. Riley



About Mrs. Sieve



About Ms. Howard



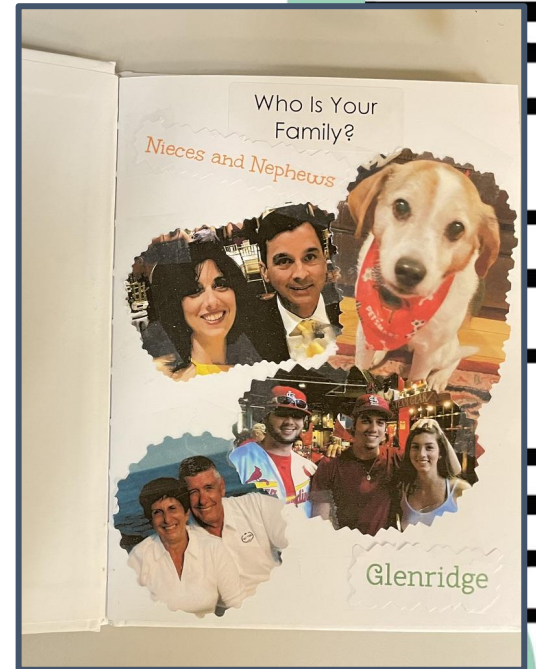
Lunch and Snack

- Is your child getting school lunch? Discuss choices prior to coming to school.
- Please do not pack snack in a lunch box!
 - Provide a drink with your child's lunch.
 - No candy, please.
- NO items with peanut or tree nut ingredients.



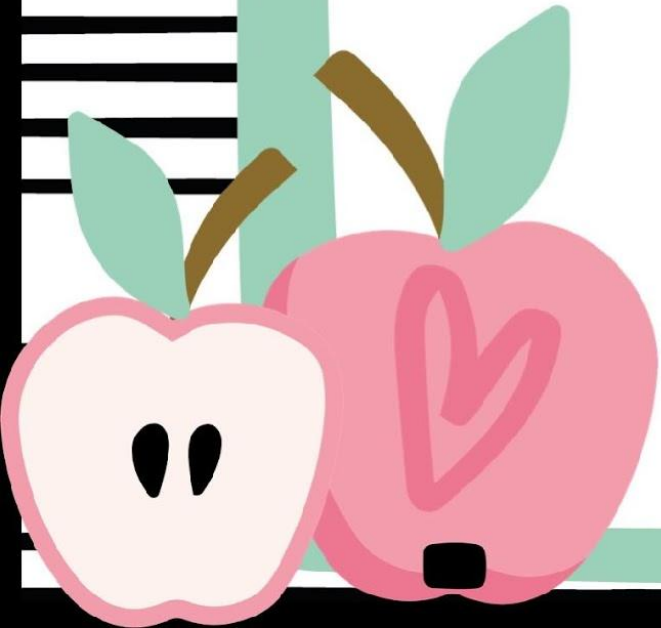
Identity Books

- Purpose: To develop positive social identities and to help students respond to diversity by building empathy, respect, understanding and connection
- Comes home monthly
- Each month has a page with a pre-made question
- This project is made to be child-centered. Please work with your child, but make sure it is led by your child.



Book Baggies & Snap Words

- Will begin coming home after 1st quarter.
- Goes home on Mondays, please return on Fridays.
- Please read through the books each night, if possible.
- Practice snap words as often as you can.



Field Trips/Volunteers

- Four field trips- Thies Farms, Florissant Civic Center (2 shows), St. Louis Zoo (possible Botanical Gardens)
- Please fill out permission forms and pay \$25.
- If you are interested in going on field trips and/or volunteering, please fill out and return the volunteer paperwork as soon as possible. Could take 3-4 weeks.



Staying Connected

- Please let us know if you have changes/major events at home that could affect school
- Contact the office for changes in dismissal
- Seesaw is up and running! We use this as a platform to post pictures and videos of our days in kindergarten. Feel free to like and respond to posts.



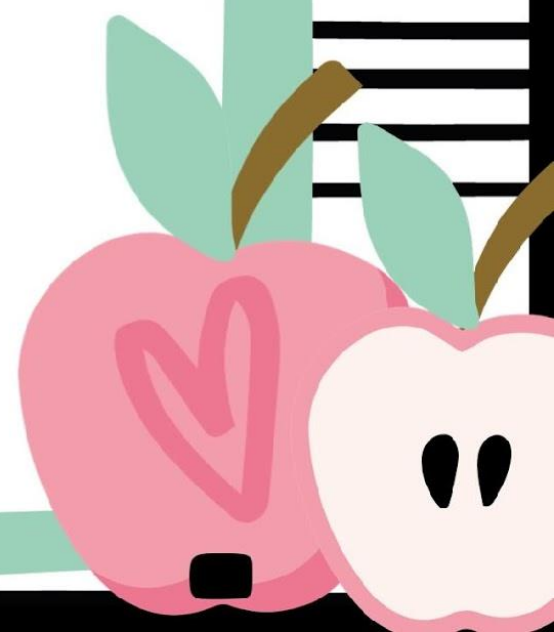
Mathematics

A math lesson typically consists of:

1. A daily warm-up
2. Lesson activities
3. Centers and lesson synthesis
4. Daily “look-fors” or cool down (monitored by teacher)



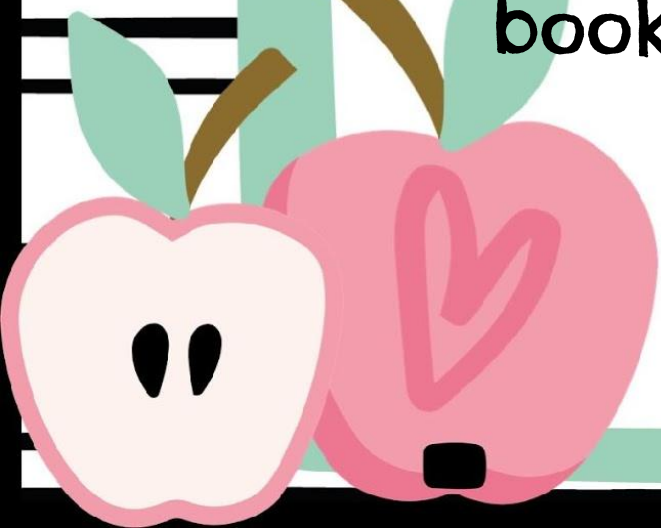
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Literacy

Focus Areas:

1. Print concepts
2. Phonological awareness
3. Phonics and word recognition
4. Fluency
5. Vocabulary
6. LOVE of language, storytelling, and books!



Science

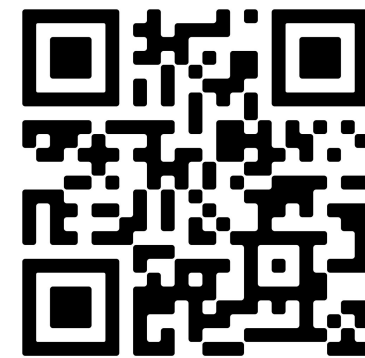
Curriculum Resource:
MySci by Washington University

Units:

Sun and Shade

Make It Go!

Introduction to Plants and Animals



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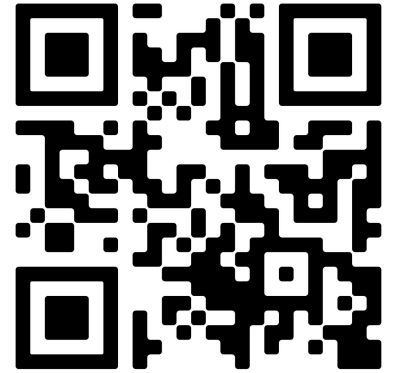


Social Studies

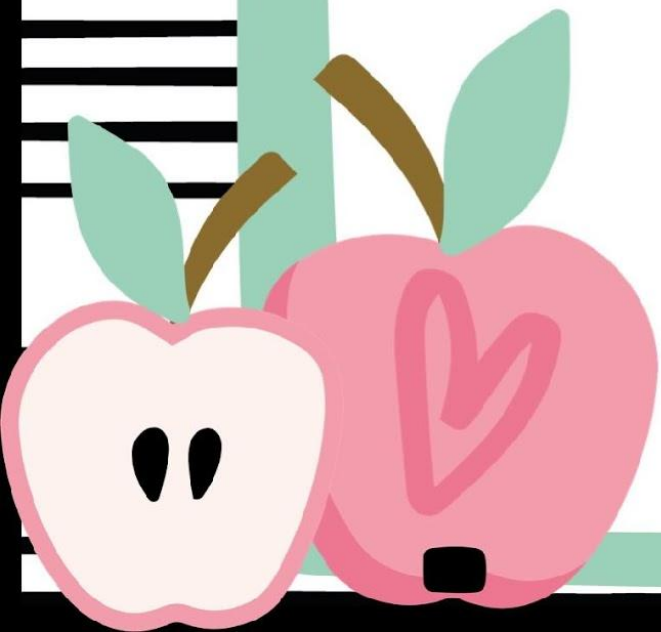
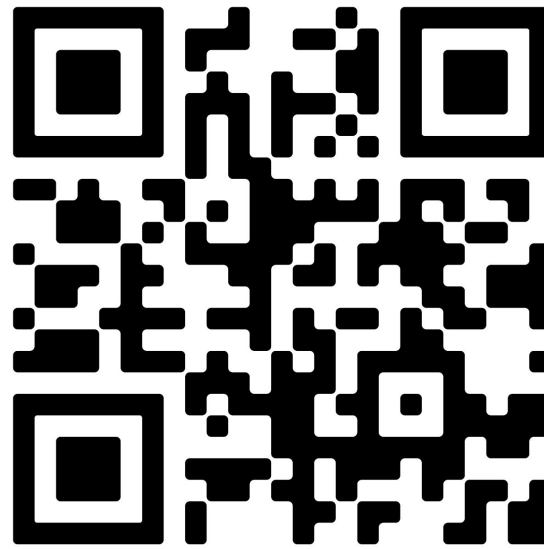
Kindergarten Essential Questions:

1. Who am I?
2. Who are we?
3. How do we get along in our diverse community?

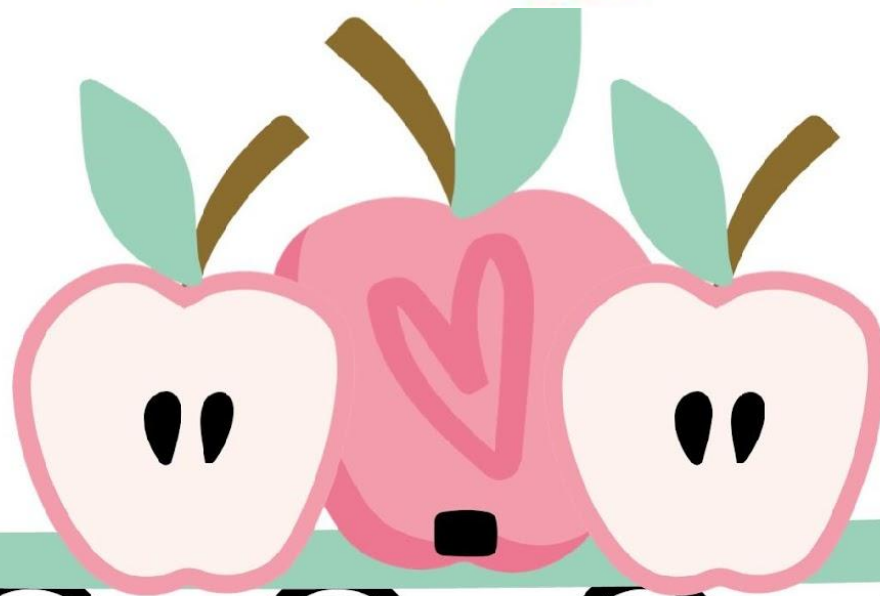
In the kindergarten, our units are closely connected to literacy as we explore our membership in our community, develop appreciation for cultural differences and begin to consider our place in the world.



This I Believe



QUESTIONS?



LET'S HAVE A
GREAT YEAR!

