



**Ms B.'s Friday Letter**  
**October 3-7, 2016**

News and Notes:

- Be looking for a small to medium-sized pumpkin to bring to school this month. We will be doing our annual pumpkin project this month and we need each child to bring a medium-sized, undecorated pumpkin by Wednesday, October 12th. You can begin sending them now.
- ***Elementary football night is tonight!*** Be sure and sign up on our class list when you come to help our class win popcorn and a Coke!
- We will culminate our adventure in reading *Because of Winn Dixie* with a party on Friday, October 14th. Be on the watch for a sign-up sheet coming soon.
- Remember that we all money for ordering field trip lunches is due this Monday, October 3rd. It is ChikFILA and is \$7.00 for all, (adult and child).
- October 10th and 11th are school holidays! Hurray!

This week's studies:

Reading: Test 10/7/16

"The Great Ball Game" a porquois tale, (a kind of folk tale that was told to explain why something is the way it is; porquois means "why" in French)

Spelling:

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| 1. car   | 11. barnyard  | 1 |
| 2. art   | 12. starlight |   |
| 3. barn  | 13. carpet    |   |
| 4. start | 14. artist    |   |
| 5. farm  | 15. market    |   |
| 6. card  |               |   |
| 7. yarn  |               |   |
| 8. part  |               |   |
| 9. dark  |               |   |
| 10. Hard |               |   |

Vocabulary: accept, fair, through, clear, half, ago

Robust Vocabulary:

1. clutched-held tightly
2. clambered-climb with both hands and feet
3. clumsy-you may trip and fall and can't move easily
4. ached-feel sore or are in pain
5. feud-having a big argument with someone
6. refuse-you don't want it
7. insult-say something mean

Math: Test 10/5/16

Science: Test Wednesday, October 19th

Begin Chapter 3, Habitats; notes in Tuesday folder

Bible: Test Wednesday, October 12

**Bible Notes**

**Review of Moses**

1. The story of Moses is found in the book of Exodus.
2. Jochebed was his mother, and Amram was his father.
3. They were Israelites.
4. Moses was born in Egypt.
5. Pharaoh said all Israelite boy babies should be killed.
6. Moses' mother made a basket to put Moses in, and put him in the river to protect him.

7. Moses' sister, Miriam, watched to see what would happen.
8. Pharaoh's daughter found Moses, and she wanted to keep him.
9. Miriam got Jochebed to be his nurse and take care of the baby for Pharaoh's daughter.
10. When Moses grew up, he left Egypt.
11. He was taking care of sheep when he saw a burning bush.
12. God spoke to Moses from the bush and told him to take off his shoes.
13. God wanted Moses to lead his people out of Egypt.
14. God said Aaron, Moses' brother, would help Moses.
15. God sent 10 plagues to make Pharaoh let the people go.

### **October Memory Verse:**

Students must recite this verse by Monday, October 13st.

"The grass withers and the flowers fall, but the word of our God endures forever."

Isaiah 40:8



For your consideration:

"In any time of family community, or worldwide stress, the most important question in a young child's mind is "who will take care of me?" Young children can't take care of themselves, so in order to survive, they must have others to take care of them. The best we adults can do is to let our children know that we'll take good care of them--no matter what. That's what helps them grow--in good times and bad."

The world According to Mr. Rogers by Fred Rogers