



# SEPTEMBER NEWS

## A NOTE FROM THE TEACHER:

Wow! We had an AMAZING first full week of school! Both classes earned 10 pom-poms and enjoyed a chalk party outside. Way to go! We will continue working on procedures and expectations throughout September.

## EVENTS

9/3 Spirit Day! Wear yellow and black or a Spencer Trail shirt.

9/6 Labor Day- **No School**

9/7 iPads will begin coming home

## REMINDERS

\*Tennis shoes need to be worn on Tuesdays for gym.

\*Please make sure water bottles are labeled with your child's name.

\*Please have your child get into the routine of showing you the papers in his or her folder every day. Please send the empty folder back to school the next day. Thanks so much!

## LEARNING FOCUS

**ELA-** We are learning about the letters "Ss" and "Aa."

**Math-** We will begin working with numbers, identifying them, writing them, and counting. We will also be graphing our class birthdays and our ages.

**Science-** We are going to work on learning school rules using Whole Body Listening.

**Handwriting Without Tears-** We will be practicing what a great writer looks like and proper pencil grip. We will also practice drawing shapes and printing the letters Ss and Aa.

**SEL-** We are learning how to use our correct voice levels.

**Technology-** iPads will begin coming home on Tuesday, September 7th. There will be "set up" directions accompanying the iPads. Thank you for your help!

**Heggerty-** Phonemic awareness (identify and manipulate sounds) lessons begin after Labor Day.

**Journals-** We will be illustrating and labeling pictures that begin with letters "Ss" and "Aa".

