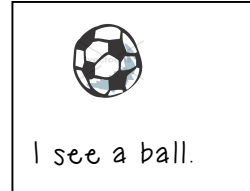


Beginning Reader Book

Have your child read the beginning reader in their book bag to everyone in the family...even the pets and stuffed animals!

Make a small book (3-4 pages) using the sight words or short vowel words from the beginning reader book.

*** Also, take time to practice letters and sounds. See how many more your child knows this week.



Math Story Problem

Show 3 **different** solutions for the following problem.

Mrs. Ahrens had some food in her lunch bag.

She had some grapes and some crackers.

How many grapes did she have?

How many crackers did she have?

***There is purposely no total amount of food. This type of open-ended question allows students to see that some problems have multiple solutions.

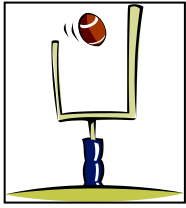
Together, create your own open-ended problem for us to solve in class next week. (Parents or students may write the problem.)

Goal Setting

In order to be ready for our goal setting conference next week, please choose 3 goals on the sheet below. Also start thinking about steps you can take at home to help support your child in reaching these goals. Please return the goal sheet on Monday with the rest of your child's work.

I will also choose 3 goals. In our conference we will discuss the goals, look for similarities, and together create an action plan for school and home.

Parent Goal Setting Sheet



Scholars set long and short-term goals for themselves. Please help your child set goals by thinking together about strengths and challenges he or she has during Friday homeschool days.

Please circle or highlight one goal from each subject.

Language Arts Goals:

- Read and spell all of the kindergarten sight words
- Fluently read short vowel books
- Use various strategies to figure out words you don't know in a story
- Use various strategies to write words and sentences independently
- Write neatly and clearly for an audience

Things we can do at home to help my child reach his or her goal:

Math Goals:

- Write and count sets up to 30
- Solve addition and subtraction story problems with sums up to 20
- Explain your mathematical thinking verbally
- Show your thinking on paper and with manipulatives
- Perseverance in problem solving

Things we can do at home to help my child reach his or her goal:

Scholarly Behavior Goals:

- Shooting for the stars: putting more effort into work
- Trying challenging tasks
- Being persistent: sticking to the task
- Listening to others and waiting for your turn to speak
- Being kind and helpful to others

Things we can do at home to help my child reach his or her goal:
