## Mrs. Calmes' Newsletter Week 11

Check out what's happening... The students had a lot of fun celebrating Halloween. Thank you to all the parents that donated supplies and helped with the party. As the temperatures continue to drop we will begin talking about signs of winter and how animals prepare and survive during the winter months. In phonics students are excited to learn the chants for our hunks and chunks!

Content Updates... **Reading:** We will be reading <u>Bear Feels</u> <u>Scared</u> and <u>Bear Snores On</u>. We will use these stories to identify examples of realism and fantasy and to review the setting.

Math: This week in math we will continue working with the teen numbers. We will also be looking at the 100's chart and identifying patterns and using it to count by 1's and 10's

Sight words/ Phonics: This week we will learn the chant for the hunk and chunk -ch. Be sure to ask your child to teach you this fun chant. We will also be working with the letter c. Students will practice reading and writing words that begin with this letter.

**Science**: This week we will talk about animals that hibernate.

Dates to give a HOOT about... November 10<sup>th</sup> NEO pajama day November 13<sup>th</sup> Parent/ grandparent breakfast November 26<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> Thanksgiving Break December 1<sup>st</sup> No School in-service

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## WHO's" got the news

Reminders...

• Please make sure your child is turning in their homework folder on Fridays and that the homework is completed.

•We will now have P.E. on Fridays.

•As the temperatures continue to drop, please make sure your child is dressed appropriately for outdoor recess.

•Please check the snack calendar to see when your child has snack.

Who who can ...

These are the "I can" statements we will be working on this week!

I can identify the letters and sounds of the alphabet.

I can identify numbers 0-10

I can identify examples of realism and fantasy.

I can name animals that hibernate.

I can identify words that begin with the letter c.

Math Tip: This week we will be working with the 100's chart. Have your child use the 100's chart when counting. Have them mark where they get to with a star. Challenge them to get farther the next time they count.

Activity Schedule

Monday: Music Tuesday: PE Wednesday: Library Thursday: Art Friday: PE