# Mrs. Jones’

# Kindergarten Newsletter

**February 27 - March 2, 2012**

**Social Studies/Science/Technology:**

* Each child has been introduced to the websites [www.starfall.com](http://www.starfall.com) and [www.razkids.com](http://www.razkids.com) and CCC program.
* Each reading group has had the opportunity to work with the class’ iPad. They have read interactive books and used apps for letter-writing and math!
* We discussed Leap Year as well as signs of Spring!

**Important News:**

* Please remember to send lunch/milk money on Mondays and fill in the milk sheet.
* Thank you Jack, Aidan, Aranea, Breanna, Brooke, Hayden, Saige, and Jared for the great snacks!
* Next week’s snack providers are: Cole, William, Ashlee, and Ethan A.
  + Please look for the orange “snack bag” in their backpacks the night before their turn for snack.
* Please welcome our newest friend, all the way from Texas – Michael! We are excited to help Michael learn all about Kindergarten at C-S!

**Language Arts:**

* We have learned 17 out of our 25 sight words: I, is, a, to, go, see, the, we, can, like, and, in, am, at, it, on, & up,
* In Readers Workshop we continued to read in our Just Right levels. Next week some of us will have new partners!
* In Writers Workshop we wrote another story about books we love.
* We reviewed the sound, keyword, and letter formation for the letters Aa, Cc, Dd, Gg, Mm, Ll, Hh, Tt, Oo, Jj, Ii, Kk, Pp, Uu, Bb, Rr, Ff, Nn, and Ee.

**At Home Activities:**

* Please have your child write their whole name.
* Practice writing the letters Aa, Cc, Dd, Gg, Mm, Ll, Hh, Tt, Oo, Jj, Ii, Kk, Pp, Uu, Bb, Rr, Ff, Nn and Ee.
* Practice beginning sounds. For example, point out words or objects and help your child decide what sound it makes/letter it starts with.
* Practice writing numbers 0 – 16.

**Important Dates:**

* March 7th – Conference Day, Half Day of School for students
* March 12th - Book Orders Due

**In Math We:**

* Reviewed 0 - 9 and introduced 10 - 20
* Worked on writing numbers 1 – 16
* Count up to 75 each day
* Worked on what makes 10.

We celebrated Dr. Seuss’ birthday with

special visitors from the National Honor Society.