



# Kindergarten Recap



March 12, 2010

Dear Kindergarten Families,

We are having a great time learning about bugs and insects! This week we had an arrival of ladybugs, ants, and caterpillars to our classroom! We are enjoying watching them in their mini habitats. We learned that insects have three body parts and six legs. Ask your kindergartener what the body parts are called! At the end of this month, on March 29<sup>th</sup> we will be having a special presentation from Eco-line come to our class called "Build a Bug." Each child will need a sock to make a bug. Any size or condition will do! In addition to a sock, if you have any scrap fabric you would be willing to donate to this project please send it in by the 29<sup>th</sup>.

In math this week we wrapped up our unit on numbers to 20 and started working on measurement. We explored using a balance and next week will be doing some non-standard measurement using cubes, and even caterpillars!

We continue our unit in reading and writing on nonfiction. We will be wrapping up and celebrating our "All About Me" books on Monday. Look for those to be sent home soon! We have been reading many nonfiction books on bugs and will be doing some bug writing next week as well.

Have a great weekend!

~Miss Morse

## Reminders:

- New star words are "up" and "come."
- We will be having our spring pictures taken on Friday March 19<sup>th</sup>.
- Wednesday March 17<sup>th</sup> is Leprechaun Day, wear green!
- Please continue practicing the nightly sight word cards with your kindergarteners and send them back to school when they are ready for a new set! Congratulations to the students who have already completed them!