

Weekly Need to Know!  
9-13-19

**Important Upcoming Dates:**

**-September 17<sup>th</sup>:**  
**Book Order Due**

**-September 18<sup>th</sup>:**  
**Picture Day (forms were sent home on Wednesday)**

**-September 26<sup>th</sup>:**  
**Water Plant Walking Field Trip (Students need walking shoes)**

**-September 27<sup>th</sup>:**  
**No School, Staff Development**

**-October 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>:**  
**Conferences**  
**(An email/phone call will be coming later in the month for you to sign-up for your conference date.)**

**-October 16<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>:**  
**No School, Conferences (16<sup>th</sup>), MEA (17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>)**

**Book Order**

Our first book order is due this upcoming Tuesday, September 17<sup>th</sup>. Scholastic offers huge rewards for the month of September which equals free books for our classroom. The more orders we get, the more rewards. If you and your student are interested in more books to have at home to read during their required 20 minutes of reading, please see the fliers below! Thank you in advance for helping us build our classroom library!

**[Scholastic Book Order Fliers Link](#)**

Class Code: KVB9L

### **At Home Expectations:**

Each day your child will fill in an assignment notebook with work that is due and other important dates/items. Please be looking these over and helping to remind your student to complete the items. My nightly expectation is that they read 20 minutes (please sign reading calendar) and complete a page in their yellow packet if they did not complete it at school. If you have any questions about this, please do not hesitate to contact me!

### **Seesaw:**

If you have not yet connected to your student's Seesaw journal, please do so as soon as possible! If you need another QR code, please let me know and I would be happy to email it to your or send a copy home with your student. You may also use the link below.

<https://app.seesaw.me/s/271-551-426>

### **School Forms:**

If you still have school forms to turn in for your child, please do so as soon as possible. Thank you!

### **Our Learning**

This week we continued to build our rituals and routines, along with our reading stamina. We are currently up to 25 minutes! In reading, we learned the difference between non-fiction and fiction and started talking about the story element, character. We have also been discussing theme/lesson. Today we practiced one of our jobs we will have during Reader's Workshop, article a day. In math, we have learned many multiplication and division strategies to help us solve problems. The number line and ratio table seems to be a favorite in the classroom! For science, we learned about the incredible journey that a drop of water takes and drew our own water cycle poster. Be sure to check out Seesaw next week to see our final products!

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me!

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