



Welcome to
Pines Lakes Elementary
Kindergarten Orientation!

Kindergarteners Are Superheroes!



Preparing the next generation to be problem solvers and innovative thinkers through STEM project based learning.

Pines Lakes Super Achievements!

- School grade “B” for three consecutive years
- Over 40 years of continued service to our community
 - High Impact teachers designated by DOE
- Dual certified teachers – Exceptional Student Education (ESE) & Gifted
 - Inclusion services for special needs children in grades PreK - 5
 - Title I Grant to improve student achievement & parent involvement
 - Teachers trained in strategies for our English Language Learners (ELL)
 - On-site school operated aftercare available provided by YMCA



Florida Standards

The Florida Standards are a coherent progression of learning expectations in English language arts and mathematics designed to prepare K–12 students for college and career success.

The Florida Department Of Education has excellent parent resources on their website:

www.fldoe.org



A Day In The Life of a Pines Lakes Kindergartener



FREE BREAKFAST 7:10-7:40

SCHOOL STARTS AT 7:50

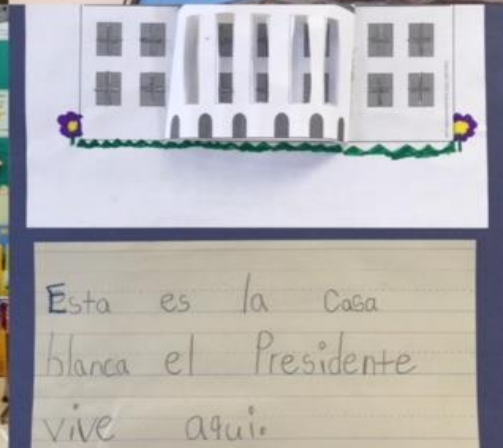
- Morning Work
- Calendar Math
- Literacy Block
- Outdoor Physical Activity & Recess
- Lunch
- Math Block
- Social Studies, Science & STEM
- Specials- PE, Media & Music
- Character Education

DISMISSAL IS AT 1:50

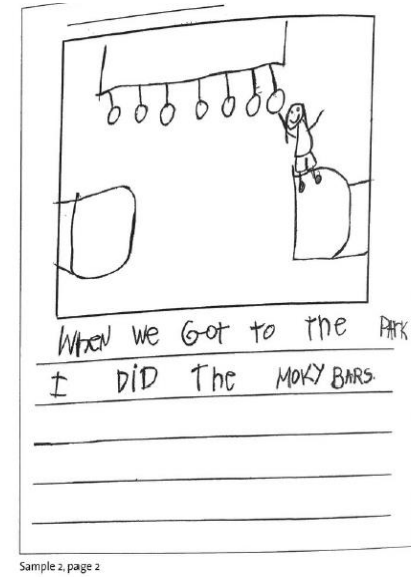
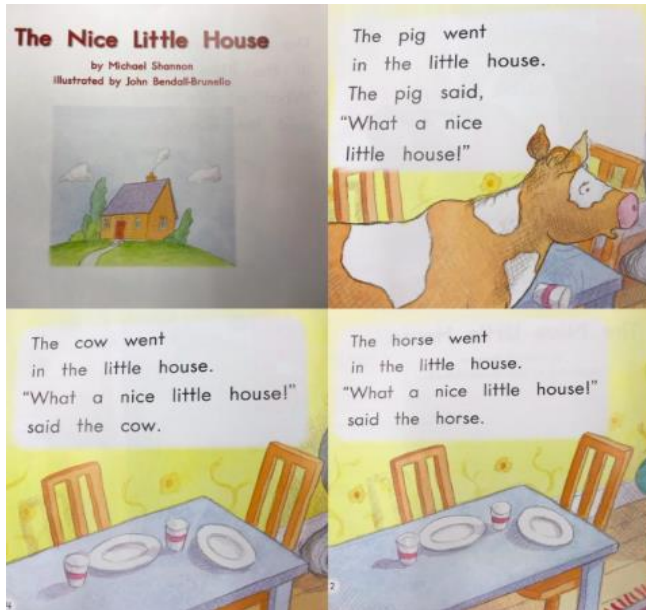
Literacy Block

Balanced Literacy





By the end of Kindergarten...



Math Block

Florida's math standards in Kindergarten are emphasized throughout the year:

- Counting from 1-100
- Writing numbers 0-20
- Counting objects up to 20 (and knowing one more/one less)
- Greater than/less than
- Addition/subtraction with numbers up to 10
 - Word problems
- Composing and decomposing numbers 11-20
- Measurement (heavy, light, long, tall, short)
 - Sorting
- Shapes (2D and 3D)





Units of Study: Social Studies & Science



Students will have a great time learning about many Social Studies & Science topics throughout the year.

Rules and Communities

The Practice of Science

Forces and Change in Motion

Living Things

Earth in Space and Time

American People, Holidays and Symbols

Where we Live, Oceans and Landforms

Activities will be integrated into reading and writing for a well-rounded curriculum!





I can label and write about the Statue of Liberty

Statue of Liberty

torch

crown

tablet

Statue of Liberty
tablet
torch
crown

she got ^{tablet} torch and
she got ^{free} ⁱⁿ ^{her} hands

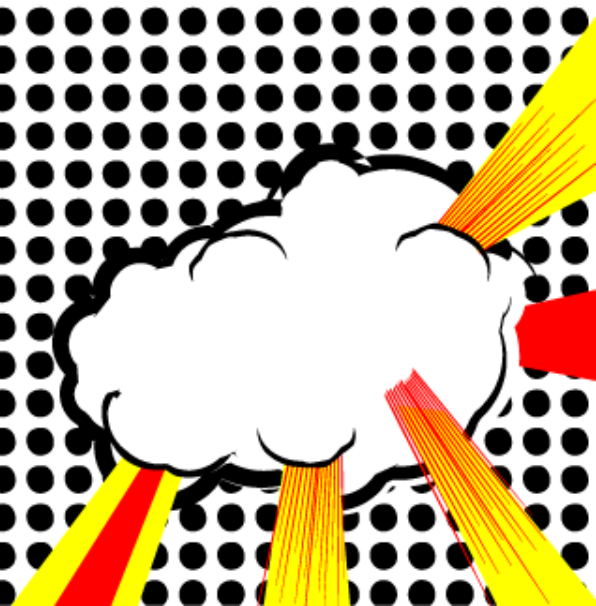


I can observe and understand that the moon can sometimes be seen at night and during the day.

Science 12.2.2.4

The sun rotates.
The sun is mad from gas.
The sun is hot.
The sun is bright.

The Moon rotates.
The Moon is back.
The Moon is ^{dark} back.





STEM Program:



Science, Technology, Engineering & Math

- student-centered environment
- project-based learning
- hands-on engineering applications
- emphasis on literacy



Volunteers

Volunteers are greatly appreciated in our Kindergarten classrooms. We couldn't do it without you!

Join PTA!

Email: pantherpridePLE@yahoo.com



Registration Requirements

- Registration for all Broward County Schools begins May 1st.
- During school closure, registrations for the 20-21 school year are completed online.
- All Kindergarten students must be registered, even if they already attend Pre-K in Broward.

IMPORTANT DATES:

MEET & GREET:
TBD

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL:
Wednesday, August 14, 2019



Preparing for K:

Self-Help Skills	Social Skills	Academic Skills
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Put on and take off jackets	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Share	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Listen to a story
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tie their own shoe	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Work cooperatively to play a game	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Use scissors
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Wash their hands	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Clean up after using things	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Draw a picture
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Open food containers (milk carton, straw)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Follow simple directions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Count to 10
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Buckle & unbuckle seatbelts		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Recognize and write first name
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Open and close their car door independently		



Mandatory School Unified Dress Policy

Upper and Lower School students are to wear uniforms daily as noted below:

UPPER SCHOOL (Grades 3-5):

Tops: Yellow Collared Top

Bottoms: Khaki Shorts, Rompers, ~~Skorts~~ or Pants (*no cargo pants*)

LOWER SCHOOL (Grades K-2):

Tops: Navy Blue Shirt Collared Top

Bottoms: Khaki Shorts, Rompers, ~~Skorts~~ or Pants (*no cargo pants*)

PANTHER CUBS (PRE-K):

Navy T-shirt & Navy Elastic Bottoms

ACCESSORIES FOR ALL (unless noted otherwise):

Socks: White

Shoes: Closed Toe Shoes or Sneakers

Accessory: Belt (*Upper School only*)

Jackets: Navy Blue (*fleece or cotton material, without a hood preferred*)

SPIRIT DAY

Fridays Only: Spirit or class t-shirt with jeans (*only on Friday; no ripped jeans*)

Poncho/rain jacket: Rainy day gear recommended

*** No leggings permitted***

In accordance with SB Policy 5309, all Pines Lakes students are expected to follow the Mandatory School Unified Dress Policy.

Parents may purchase uniforms at any retailer of their choosing.

We can't wait for you be our
newest
Pines Lakes Superhero!!!