



# Kindergarten Dolphins

January 30<sup>th</sup>-February 3<sup>rd</sup>



This week we will introduce the diagraph "th". Just a few of the activities we will do include making different words with this diagraph using hands-on letters, learning new poems that focus on words with the "th" sound, sorting words according to whether they begin with the "ch", "sh", or "th" diagraph, completing a writing activity about three wishes, and participating in a fun art project using our thumbs. Additionally, the children will continue using new phonics/reading centers that allow them to take part in hands-on activities/games to increase their reading skills.

Some things we will do in math include dividing by sharing, exploring tangrams by creating designs, sorting, and identifying the tangram pieces, and measuring length using nonstandard units such as linking cubes and paperclips.

## Important days/things to remember...

\* **Monday, January 30<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, January 31<sup>st</sup>**-  
January sight word test

\***Saturday, February 4<sup>th</sup>**-  
MDO registration begins for 2012-2013

\***Friday, February 10<sup>th</sup>**-  
Grandparents' Day for 5K

\***Tuesday, February 14<sup>th</sup>**-  
Parents, please join us for our Valentine's Day party today at 11:00 am. Also, we will dismiss at 11:45 am due to Sheffield Club meeting on this day.

\***February 20<sup>th</sup>**- Presidents' Day- No school

\***This week's Bible verse:**  
"God is love." 1 John 4:16