Dear Families,

In the event of a school closure, we have put together a few things you can use with your child at home to keep up with their skills.

Attached please find a sheet of online resources that you may find helpful such as Bookflix, Brainpop Jr., and Starfall. You can find these sites by going to www.ward.nred.org and clicking on the “students” tab.

Math

We are sending home a unit review for the last unit we completed. The packet has a letter of introduction on the front which will familiarize you with the skills.

Writing

We have been working on an opinion writing unit. Children are asked to state an opinion and give three reasons for that opinion. (For example: Ice cream is the best! I love it because it is cold. It is so sweet. It comes in many flavors.) Be on the lookout for an email with writing paper that you can print out for your child.

Reading

First and foremost, please continue to read daily to and with your child. You can go on popcorn/snap word hunts, do see-saw reading, and practice all your child’s super powers. It is also helpful for your child to practice retelling stories, identifying story elements (characters and setting) and noticing character feelings. For your convenience we have added a few additional books to your child’s take home baggie. These should be well taken care of and returned upon your child’s return to school. Of course, please feel free to select stories from your own at-home library.

Thank you for your continued support of your child’s education.

Sincerely,

The kindergarten teachers