

Welcome to
Full Day



Full Day Advantages

- More Extensive Reading Curriculum
- More Time to use Math Manipulatives
- More Opportunities to Interact with Peers
- Advanced Science Curriculum



Open Court Reading Curriculum

- Increased Reading Units
- Further Theme Development



Reader's Workshop

- Comprehension Skills Such as Predicting, Making Connections, and Retelling
- Shared Reading with Big Books
- Children Help Make Class Books



Learning Centers

- Children Work in Small Groups and Practice Skills such as Reading, Writing, and Listening.
- Allow Teacher's the Ability to Assess Children in Small Groups as well as Individually.

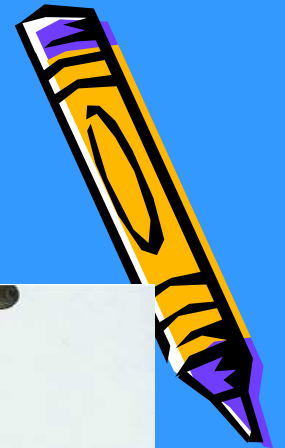


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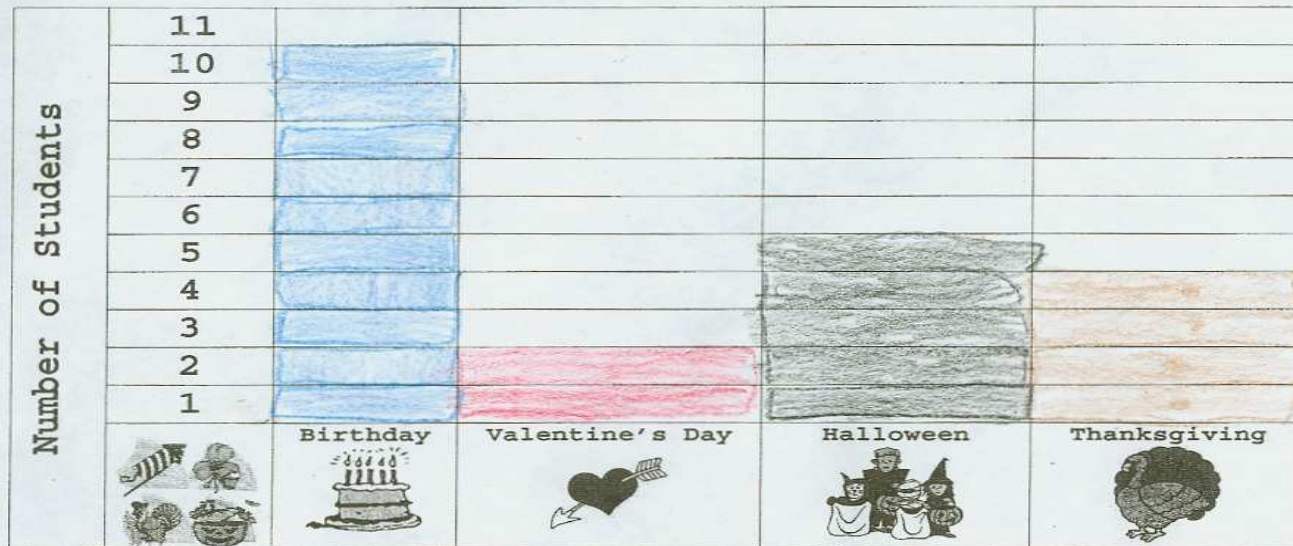
- More Time to use Manipulatives Such as Pattern Blocks, Cubes, and Counting Rods
- Weekly Graphs and Surveys



Math Graph



What is Your Favorite Celebration?



Science

- Massachusetts State Framework Based Science Curriculum
- Includes Topics such as: Five Senses, Insects, Trees, and Vertebrate and Invertebrate



Social Benefits

- Increased Opportunities for Decision Making
- Children are Given the Chance to Practice Class and School Rules
- Daily Routines Help to Foster a Sense of Community in the Classroom
- Second Step Social Emotional/Problem Solving Class.



Parent's Speak

- "I LOVE Full Day Kindergarten, I really feel like it motivates my child!"
- "Full Day Kindergarten gives my child a great opportunity to interact more with his peers."
- "I have noticed that my child in Full Day Kindergarten adjusted quicker to school than my child who had Half Day Kindergarten."



Teacher's Speak

- "I feel like the children are not rushed to complete their work."
- "I have had the chance to get to know the children and parents better and make more of a personal connection earlier in the year."
- "The children enjoy taking ownership of our room and their materials."

