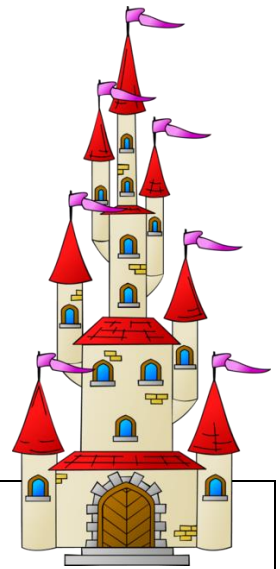


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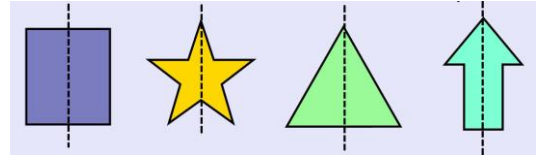
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Scholastic book order due April 13. My online code is NNCNK. There are some awesome books for summer reading in the catalogs to help your kiddos stay on level throughout the summer.

This is what we studied:

- The word of the week: *effort*
- We read different versions of Hansel + Gretel.
- We continued to work on our fairy tale projects this week by adding more details. The choices are: create a puppet show of favorite fairy tale, write your own fairy tale, write a readers' theatre of your favorite fairy tale, create a diorama to retell your favorite fairy tale.
- We started a STEM center, where the children build a castle with blocks/draw the creation for their fairy tale stories.
- In math, we worked on telling time, story problems, and symmetry- This is a new concept for these little ones, and we are working on deciding if shapes can be folded into halves or fourths.
- Continue working on telling time to the half hour with your kiddos.
- Please continue to read with your child nightly and work on sight words.

Please read the field trip forms in the Thursday folder and send them back ASAP! We need the info by Monday!



UPCOMING EVENTS:

- APR 11- Muffins with mom @ 7am
- APR 11 -visiting the crystal bridge! (leave at 9:30, return by 11:15)
- APR 24- Blast off! And Zoo trip!!! (leave @ 9:30- return @ 2)
- APR 25- Spring pictures! (no uniforms today!)
- APR 27 & 28- NO SCHOOL! ARTS festival

