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Dear parents,

We had another fun week in math! Your child continued to weigh items using the math balance. This time, we used 10-gram weights and 1-gram weights determine the weight of items and to work on place value. Your child recorded the weights of different objects on the abacus.

Your child also learned about the different parts of the day: morning, noon, afternoon, and evening. We reviewed that the day is related to the sun and discussed where the sun is during the morning, noon, afternoon, and evening. We also reviewed the months of the years, the days of the week, and how many days are in each month. Your child learned a fun poem to introduce the two hands of the clock.

The last part of the week your child learned about the hours on the clock. We discussed the length of an hour and learned about the two hands on a clock. Your child spent some time practicing where the numbers of the hours go on the clock.

Fun activities at home:

- During various times of a day, ask your child if it is morning, noon, afternoon, or evening
- If you have an analog clock at home, have your child point to the different hours, the hour hand, and the minute hand
- Review with your child the days of the week and months of the year
- Read a book about time
- Ask your child a plus one equation
(Suggestion: $17 + 1$, $36 + 1$, $77 + 1$)
- Ask your child a minus one equation
(Suggestion: $17 - 1$, $36 - 1$, $77 - 1$)

Games we played/to play at home:

- Hour Memory game (C2)
- Place the Hour Card game (C4)
- Secret Hour Cards game (C5)

Next week, your child will continue to learn about telling time, review halving and doubling, and learn about symmetry.

Have a lovely day!

Teacher Signature