

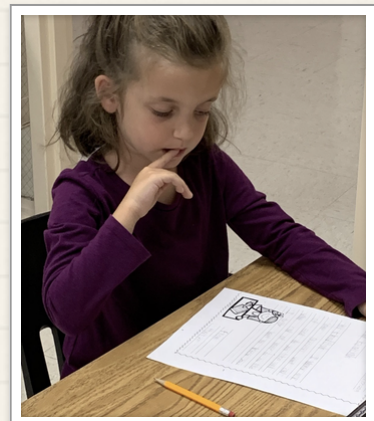
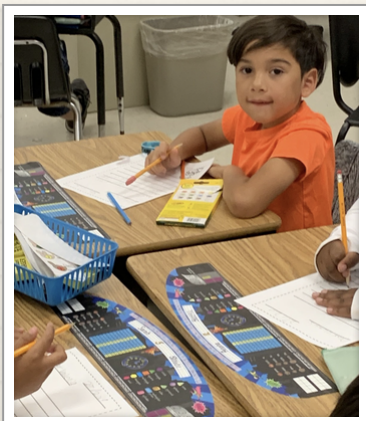
# Davenport Weekly Update

WEEK OF OCTOBER 6TH

## STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

### SECOND GRADE STUDENTS PRACTICE WRITING THROUGH PEN PALS!

Ms. Sutton, who is teaching Mrs. Blair's class while she is on maternity leave, has created a "pen pal program" for their students. Ms. Sutton taught a lesson about "writing a friendly letter." After the students studied friendly letters and wrote one to a person of their choosing, they linked up with Mrs. Fiola's class to establish pen pals. Ms. Sutton and Mrs. Fiola are already seeing its benefits on the playground. They are seeing more interaction between students who would not normally play together and it is very exciting!



## SUMMER READERS ACHIEVEMENT

Members of the Davenport School Complex celebrated their reading successes with a pizza party. To be eligible for celebration students had to pledge to read for a minimum of 15 minutes per day for the 75 days of the 2019 summer. Parents signed the students' logs and the

logs were returned and verified through Mrs. Danielle Conroy, Elementary School Reading Specialist, who organized the celebration.



## COMMUNITY PRIDE

### CARDIFF FIRE COMPANY VISITS DAVENPORT

On Monday, October 7th and Tuesday, October 8th, four members of the Cardiff Fire Company were kind enough to visit Davenport students in both buildings for Fire Prevention Week. The fire fighters held four different assemblies where they taught students about fire prevention topics, as well as "stop, drop, and roll," and other safety tactics to use in the event of a fire. The fire fighters also put on their full gear and circulated around the crowd of students to help them become familiar and comfortable in the event that they need their help. After the assemblies students had the chance to go outside and walk around a fire truck that Cardiff brought with them. For the grand finale, students had the opportunity to see the fire hose being used! A huge thank you Cardiff Fire Company for their time, expertise, and kindness!





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