

# Kindergarten

MRS.  
DUMAN'S  
CLASS

January 30, 2012



## A Visit from Coach!!

Last Tuesday, two friends from the Coach Store at Briarwood Mall stopped by to visit us. They brought with them an enormous box of school supplies (as you can see in the picture).

The class was really excited to meet them, and thank them for all the goodies. We had time to make creative art projects to thank them, which they took back to the store. We hope to have them visit again later this year!

Next time you are at Briarwood Mall, be sure to stop by their store, and thank them for their generosity!



### [More About Our Class](#)

You can learn more about weekly classroom activities by going to our class website:

[www.mrsdumansclass.com](http://www.mrsdumansclass.com)

If you need to get in contact with me, my e-mail is:

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### **Some of the Things We Did Last Week**

Worked on increasing our stamina in writing. We worked on not only making our writing easy to read, but also writing as much as we could in 20 minutes.

- \* Practiced measuring to the nearest inch and the nearest foot in math
- \* In phonics we played rhyming concentration, and matched pictures with their beginning sounds
- \* We completed the math sections of the NWEA test
- \* Practiced counting by 5's with handprints
- \* Last week's new word wall word was "have"
- \* Played the dice roll and tally game
- \* Practiced the reading strategies "Getting our mouth ready" and "Ask what would make sense"

### Dates To Remember:

Tuesday, January 31 - No School for Students

Monday, February 13 - NAAPID  
- National African American Parent Involvement Day

Tuesday, February 14 - Valentine's Day Party - 1:15-2:30

Wednesday, February 15 - 100th Day of School

### **Kindergarten Roundup Events**

Thursday, February 16 at 6:30 is our first incoming kindergarten event. If you have an incoming kindergartner next year, or know of someone who does, please let me know so we can include them in our communication.

You also should have gotten a brief survey about last years incoming kindergarten events. Please complete and return if you have not yet done so. Your input is greatly appreciated!