

Friday, October 2, 2009

## Ask Your Child About:

- the five steps to problem solving. What are they? (what do we know, what do we want to know, pick a strategy, solve it, does it make sense)
- cause and effect. What is cause and effect? Give an example.
- Part + Part = Total! What does that mean?
- shadow drawings!
- Kindness Pals! What is something kind s/he has done for his/her Kindness Pal?
- Guided Discoveries! What did s/he learn about white boards and manipulatives?
- to, too, and two. What does each word mean? What are they called? (homophones)

### SAVE THESE DATES:

**Monday, October 12<sup>th</sup>:** Columbus Day - No School!

**Thursday, October 15<sup>th</sup>:** DCPS Official Count Day

**Friday, October 16<sup>th</sup>:** Picture Day

**Thursday, October 29<sup>th</sup>:** Halloween Parade and Party

**Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup>:** Professional Development Day - No School!