Dear Family:

We are starting a new unit in math: Consolidation of Concepts. This unit builds on the concepts that were introduced in previous units. For example, children will be creating and solving simple story problems, creating patterns, and making shape pictures. Math projects will include making Teen Number Books and a Night Sky display with stars in groups of ten.

Special emphasis will be on the teen numbers. Here are some ways you can help your child understand teen numbers:

• Make a game of finding teen numbers on signs and in printed materials.

• Encourage your child to count everyday objects (groups of 11–19 items). Ask your child to regroup the objects to show a ten and extra ones.

• Continue to assist your child with math homework pages.

Thank you!

Sincerely,

Your child’s teacher