

**THE CREEK**  
INDIAN CREEK ELEMENTARY

*Are you ready to  
go on a new  
adventure?*

KINDERGARTEN  
READINESS  
TOP 10

1. Read together every night, visit the library often, and build positive feelings about reading.
2. Talk about letters and the sounds they make.
3. Practice identifying numbers, shapes, and colors in books and in real life.
4. Practice fine motor skills by coloring, using scissors, and play-doh. Practice writing your child's name.
5. Find opportunities to count out loud and encourage your child to count with you.
6. Give two-step directions to follow and ask them to repeat the instructions.
7. Practice sitting still and listening to an adult for 5-10 minutes. Ask simple questions to check for understanding.
8. Help your child learn to put on their coat, open up lunch food items, and clean up after an activity.
9. Make rhymes with simple words, and listen for rhymes in books.
10. Play with peers and practice sharing and taking turns.