

Unit 3: Resources in Our Communities Week 5: How do resources get from where they come from to the people who use them?

Dear Families,

This week we are continuing to think about the resources we use, where they come from, and how they get to us. Here are some activities to do with your child this week. When you do an activity, check the box. You don't have to do every activity and you can do any of them more than once. Remember to make time for reading, too!

Please help your child return this Family Links to school at the end of the week. We hope you enjoy learning with your child!

This week we are reading...



How Did That Get in My Lunchbox? The Story of Food by Christine Butterworth



Fresh-Picked Poetry: A Day at the Farmers' Market by Michelle Schaub



Before We Eat: From Farm to Table by Pat Brisson

Go to the library or look on your bookshelf at home to find other fictional and informational books about how important resources get to us. Keep looking for poetry, too!

Your child is practicing reading "Delivery" (attached). Read it together!

Reading Log Your child can read to you, and you can read to your child. It's always a good idea to read a book many times. We can find something new in a book each time we read the words or look at the illustrations.	
Title and Author	What do you think?



Go outside or look out the window Talk about... Do you see any goods being transported? ... how a favorite item might have gotten What might be in the trucks that travel to you. Look at the tag or label to see along the streets? Where are they coming where it came from. If you can, look online from and where are they going? to see what you can find out about how goods travel from that place to your home. Play with math ideas Tell a story **Read together!** Think of a good that is Play How many tens? How at least 10 minutes important to you. Imagine the every day many ones? Practice decomposing (breaking apart) journey it takes along the supply chain from producer to Record your reading numbers. Choose one number you. Do some research to add on the back of this and represent it with groups of page. steps to your story. tens and ones. Explore science and engineering Play with words; grow a reader Some plants can grow from parts of other Our Weekly Words are ship, transport, plants. Cut a carrot in half and let it sit in deliver, load, container, and purchase. some soil with the leaf end up. Put the Which of these words has to do with bottom of an onion or garlic clove in some moving goods from one place to another? water or soil. Record what you notice! Use each one in a sentence.

Child's name ______ Adult's name _____



Vocabulary





Teachers need:

- *This week's Family Link (front and back)
- *Vocabulary Sheet *"Delivery" poem
- *Decomposing numbers math sheet