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First Grade News

Oct. 5-9

JOIN PTA
TODAY!



****Picture money due on Wednesday!!!**

****Send in the Fall Festival slips so we can finish our planning.**

****We need volunteers for the Book Fair! Please contact Mrs. Gurley if you'd like to help.**
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Reading

Phew! We finished The Wizard of Oz! After we complete our assessments, we will begin to read Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. As with our previous novel study, we will focus on story elements and we will begin to teach how good readers make connections with the book.

R2: Identifies key details; retells stories

R3: describes story elements using key details

Math

Much like reading, after our assessing is complete, we will begin working on base ten. This means that students will learn that the number 21 actually has 2 tens and 1 one. Students will also need to be able to take a group of items and put them into groups of 10.

We will also begin to work on our math fact fluency. This will require your child to memorize basic math facts.

NBT1: extends the counting sequence. Counts, reads, writes, and represents numbers up to 120.

OA5: Relate counting to addition and subtraction

School - to -Home Connection

Math: Give your child put your coins into the coin rolls. Have your child put them into piles of 10 and discuss how much is actually in each pile. For example, ten pennies = one dime.

Reading: Make connections! Ask your child if anything they read in the book reminds them of something else they have read. Don't just allow your child to say yes or no...make her explain to you what the similarities are. If she says no...see if the story reminds her of something that has happened to her.

Phonics: The sneaky e can cause confusion! While your child reads, see if he can find the sneaky e words. If he finds one, have him tell you the word without the e on the end. If may very well make a nonsense word.

Cane -> can

Plane -> plan

Make-> mak

Looking Ahead... **Upcoming Events**

| Event | Date |
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| Conference Week (Early Release - 1 hour) | 10/12-16 |
| Book Fair | 10/12-15 |
| Fall Festival | 10/16 |
| Field Trip | 10/29 |

Language Arts

We will be working on adjectives and doing some activities to make sure our kids understand what nouns are. More specifically, the difference between common and proper nouns.

S.S./Science

Hopefully we will be able to make our wind vane this week. If not, I will send home directions on how to make it.

S1E1: Earth Science. Weather.

Homework:

N/A

Specials:

Mon: PE
Tues: Music-D
Wed: PE
Thurs: Art
Fri: Music - L

Notes from Ms. Dos Santos:

Our student of the Week is Cayden Darby! He loves the movie Rise of the Guardians and would go to the movies on his perfect day!

Congratulations to Sophie Vega for being the TOP Myon Reader of the month for the ENTIRE first grade!