



First Grade Newsletter

Week of December 18, 2023



Dear Parents,

We have a few different dress codes days coming up so please note the changes in the Events Coming Up section. We will have a PJ Day/Polar Express Day for first grade on Monday December 18th. Please continue to read and practice Math facts with your child each night.

We are collecting new, unwrapped toys for the Salvation Army for our Advent Project as a school. Thank you in advance for supporting this project.

We hope everyone has a wonderful and safe Christmas season with your loved ones.

Homework this Week

Mon.~Go over Graded Papers, **Read: Your Choice (record on reading log each night please)**

Tues. ~ **Read: Your Choice**

Wed. ~

Thurs. ~

December Birthdays

25 ~ Jesus



Events Coming Up

Dec. 18 ~ 1st Gr. Polar Express/PJ Day or Jeans/Ugly Christmas sweater

Dec. 19 ~ Snowman Day (wear white or snowman, etc.)

Dec. 20 ~ 1st Gr. Christmas party/Holiday Hero

Dec. 21-Jan. 2~ No School

Jan. 3rd ~ Return to school

PHONICS WORDS

There will be NO word Study Assessment this week.

We will review vowel sounds, digraphs and blends.

High Frequency Words:
Review words

Things we will be learning

Religion: Preparing for the Birth of Jesus

Reading: Review

Story: Your choice of story this week

Phonics: review

Grammar: Sentence review

Math: Place Value/Addition/Subtraction

Social Studies:

Science:



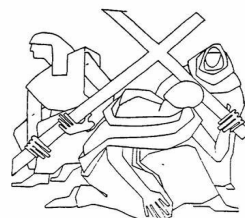
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