



# First Grade Newsletter

## Week of November 13, 2023



Dear Parents,

We are collecting items for the Norwalk Food Pantry for items that they need the most. First grade has been asked to bring in Granola Bars. We will present the items at the Thanksgiving Prayer Service on November 21st. Thank you in advance for your support. Thank you to all parents for coming to Parent Teacher Conferences last Thursday. We look forward to talking with the rest of the parents this Tuesday.

There will be no newsletter next week so please check out the upcoming events. First Grade will go to Secret Santa Shop on the Monday right after break.

### Homework this Week

- Mon.~ Go over Graded Papers, Practice Word Study, **Read: The Best Spot pgs 50-63**
- Tues. ~ Math worksheet, Practice Word Study, **Reread: The Best Spot pgs 50-63**
- Wed. ~Math worksheet, Practice Word Study, **Read: At the Pond pgs 48-59**
- Thurs. ~ Practice Word Study, **Reread: At the Pond pgs 48-59**

### November Birthdays

- 03~ Jackson
- 14~ Stephen
- 16~ Kodah
- 28~ Theodore
- 29~ Shelley



### Events Coming Up

- Nov. 14 ~ Early Release 1:00pm/Conferences
- Nov. 21 ~ Jeans/Thanksgiving Shirts
- Nov. 22-24 ~ Thanksgiving Break
- Nov. 27 ~ 2 Hour Delay
- Nov. 27 ~ Secret Santa for 1st Grade
- Nov. 29 ~ Picture Retake



### PHONICS WORDS

Word Study Evaluation  
Fri. Nov. 17th

Words with **End Blends**  
sound

**High Frequency Words:**  
eat, no, of,  
under, who

### Things we will be learning

- Religion:** Taking care of creation
- Reading:** Main Topic, Key Details
- Story: The Best Spot**
  - At a Pond**
- Phonics: End Blends**
- Grammar:** Possessive Nouns
- Math:** Addition/Subtraction
- Social Studies:** Thanksgiving
- Science:** Earth and Space



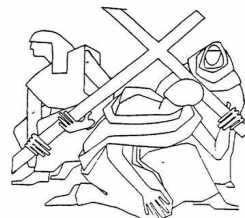
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