

First Grade Newsletter Week of October 2, 2023



Dear Parents,

Thank you for taking the time to practice the word study skill each week. Keep working on their handwriting and make sure that they are forming the letters correctly.

It is important to spend a few minutes each night to practice math facts. We are currently working on facts up to 10 but will get up to 20.

If your child has a paper in their Graded Paper folder that says "Redo" or "Finish" please make sure they correct their mistakes and return the paper. This way we know they got extra help at home. (The other papers you may keep at home.)

Homework this Week

Mon.~ Go over Graded Papers, Practice Word Study skill, **Read: A Pig for Cliff** pgs. 50-63 Tues. ~Math worksheet, Practice Word Study skill, **Reread: A Pig for Cliff pgs. 50-63** Wed. ~ Math worksheet, Practice Word Study skill, **Read: Flip pgs. 48-61**

Thurs. ~ Practice Word Study skill, Reread: Flip pgs. 48-61

October Birthdays

21 ~ Dominic N.



Events Coming up

Oct. 9-13 ~ Fire Prevention Week

Oct. 16-19~ Book Fair Week

Oct. 20 ~ End of 1st Quarter

Oct. 23 ~ In-Service/ No School



PHONICS WOTZDS

Word Study Evaluation Fri. Oct. 6th

L-Blends (at the beginning of words.)

High Frequency Words:

be, come, good, pull

Things we will be learning

Religion: Faith in God

Reading: Visualize, Details, Sequence

Story: A Pig for Cliff

Flip

Phonics: I-blend words

Grammar: Statement sentences (telling)

Math: Addition strategies

Social Studies: Leadership

Science: Science tools & inquiry

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If you would like to help with one of the stations you are more than welcome to come and help out.

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