

# Welcome to First Grade!

## Reader's Workshop

In Reader's Workshop, your child will read independently on their reading level as well as with partners each day. Students will also read with the teacher in guided reading groups. Your child will learn to have conversations about books as well as listen respectfully to the thinking of their classmates.

## Writer's Workshop

During Writer's Workshop, students will learn how to write personal narrative stories, informational books, persuasive reviews, and poems. They will also learn much needed grammar basics including capitalization and punctuation skills.

## Math

During math, your child will be learning addition and subtraction facts, geometry, place value, measurement, telling time to the hour and half hour, solving word problems, and addition and subtraction of 2-digit numbers.

## Science/Social Studies

In Science, your child will learn concepts about the Scientific Method and using science tools, weather, plants and animals, water, light, sound, and magnets. Social Studies concepts include our national heritage, our countries past and present, and historical figures.

First Grade Teachers