



Our Class Newsletter

★ August 12-16, 2024

★ UPCOMING DATES

- August 19-30: Kindergarten color days (more info will be shared in Remind)
- August 29: School picture day

★ REMINDERS

- Remember: all transportation notes must be turned in with students' binder or to the office. We cannot accept changes on the phone, via Remind, or email.
- Students MUST wear closed-toed shoes for P.E.

★ SUPPORTING YOUR STUDENT AT HOME

Welcome to first grade! This is going to be an exciting year for all of us, but especially for your little one! In first grade, we will not only learn a lot of necessary academic skills, but students will also learn more about responsibility and working to control their emotions. There are rules and routines to learn as well. Please be patient as we learn to navigate new waters and work to become first grade leaders!

★ OUR LEARNING

- Reading- I can listen to a story. I can answer questions about a story.
- Phonics- I can say the names of letters and their sounds.
- Writing: I can my first and last name. I can write my letters correctly.
- Math- I can write numbers 1-20. I can add sums within 5 fluently.
- Science/Social Studies- I can learn the rules and expectations of my classroom and my school.

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OR

Message me on
Remind

This section will have a math problem or challenge for students to work on during the week. This is opportunity for parents to have their child answer the problem and then, on another day, change it so they can solve another problem.

High-Frequency Words

This section will have the sight words, or high-frequency words, that we'll be learning for the week. The goal is for students to read them automatically and to spell them. I will sometimes call them "popcorn words" because the words should "POP" right out of their mouths!

Words to Practice

This section will have a list of words for students to practice reading. Later in the week, parents could call the words out for their child to spell. As the year progresses, this section will build into sentences for students to read.