



2022-2023

Ms. April, Ms. Bailey & Ms. Kayeleigh

Miller County Elementary “Home of the Little Pirates”



About Us

We are experienced teachers who are dedicated to success for the students in first grade. We are very committed to providing your child with the best possible school experience. It is going to be a great year!

Behavior Expectations

We have high expectations for the students in our rooms. We want the students to achieve academically to their fullest potential. In order for this to occur the students must follow the rules set for the classroom. We expect students to contribute in a positive manner to our classrooms. We are using Class Dojo for behavior and parent communication. We will have weekly celebrations for students showing positive behavior at school. Students are required to have 80% positive points to celebrate on Fridays.

Communication

Education is a partnership between home and school. We value parent involvement at every level and encourage you to partner with us. In order for this partnership to be effective, we need to be able to communicate.

Please feel free to send us a dojo, write a note, email us or give us a call if you have concerns or questions about your child's education. We are always available to schedule a conference to discuss any issue or concern you have regarding your child.

Contact Information

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Homework

Your child will have homework assignments each night. The homework will consist of spelling words, sight words and math facts. These items will be in their folder. The students will also bring home a library book. Please read it with them every night!

Lexile Levels & Accelerated Reader

Please be familiar with your child's Lexile Level, a measure that is a valuable tool for teachers, parents, and students. It serves two unique functions: it is the measure of how difficult a text is and it is a measure of a student's reading ability level.

The Lexile Range for First graders is 25-360.

Reading

- Reading Wonders
- Growing Readers
- Write Score
- Istation
- Edmentum
- -Exact Path
- Accelerated Reader



Math

- Illustrative Math
- ILearn
- Fluency



Science & Social Studies

Science & Social Studies core curriculum are both being provided by Teacher Created Materials this year.



Supplementary Materials:

Social Studies- Studies Weekly



Science

- Weather
- Light
- Sound
- Magnets
- Plants
- Animals



Social Studies Topics of Study



- American Heroes
- Maps & Locations
- Goods & Services
- Producers & Consumers
- Earning, Spending & Saving

Things You Can Do At Home To Help Your Child At School

- * Read to your child and allow him/her to read to you.
- * Ask your child about school and take an interest in what he/she is learning.
- * Make sure your child gets enough sleep.
- * Set limits on the amount of television your child watches.
- * Make sure he/she has enough to eat. We have breakfast available every morning for all students.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=79Mva8Wy8_8

[Getting Ready for K-5 guides](#)

<https://www.gpb.org/education/learn/lets-learn-ga/getting-ready>

Do you have any lingering questions,
concerns or comments you'd like to ask
or share?

