

First Grade Facts

January

21st M.L.King, Jr. Holiday

Here is what we will be studying:

Math

This week is -10 from any #, measuring and drawing accurately to the nearest inch, adding 2 digit #s with a sum greater than 100. **Practice facts until they become automatic!** We did a baseline assessment of identifying coins and their value and only 4 students out of 27 were able to accurately identify the name and value of a penny, nickel, dime and quarter. **Standard being assessed: measuring and drawing inches.**

Language Arts

We have started using the Spalding Comprehension assessments. They are a step above our other comprehension paragraphs. Students are being taught to use their “mental action” skills to complete these assessments.

New poem- “Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening”.

Physical Science

The “Battle of the Bubbles”, Solid or Liquid?, Evaporation, Sound.

Geography

“A Land and Water Map of Arizona”

SEL – Finding Feelings

“Encouraging Empathy”

For the first lesson, students will learn to use verbal, physical, and situational cues to identify the feelings of others.

Green Team Challenge for January

EA is taking on the challenge of reduce, reuse recycle. Challenge for the month of January: “Pack a Waste Free Snack”.

Specials Schedule

Monday: Technology
Tuesday: Music/PE
Wednesday: Art
Thursday: Music/PE

Volunteers

We love our volunteers! Thank You! The January Snowmen are adorable. Thank you Mrs. Shontz!

January Birthdays

8th Abby Andrews
27th Addison

Welcome!

We have a new student: Katie Carter. Be sure to say “welcome” when you see her.

Homework:

Math, Baggy Book, Spelling

Homework in First Grade is not optional!

Winter Gear

Label your winter gear if you want to keep it! It goes to Lost and Found if not claimed.

Box Tops

We won the 2nd Quarter Challenge, thank you! Keep sending in those Box Tops



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