

# First Grade Facts

## April

18<sup>th</sup> Midterm 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter  
22-25<sup>th</sup> STAR will visit PE classes  
26<sup>th</sup> Early Release  
27<sup>th</sup> PTO Garage Sale  
30<sup>th</sup> Pizza Orders due

## Here is what we will be studying:

### Math

Concepts for this week: Writing # sentences for equal groups, intersecting lines, perpendicular lines, subtracting 3 digit #s and \$ amounts, dividing a set into equal groups, multiplying by 3. Practice facts until they become **automatic**.

**Standard being assessed: Measuring and drawing using centimeters.**

### Language Arts

Students are practicing using “mental action” skills to increase comprehension. Our 1st person Narratives are posted right next to a fabulous weaving art project. Our next writing project will be a 3<sup>rd</sup> person Narrative.

**Poem**- Poem of the month and our last poem “Mosquito, Mosquito”.

### Social Studies-Exploring the West

We will start with Daniel Boone and end with Louis and Clark.

### Geography

“A Supermarket Map”

**SEL – Currently on hold until we can catch up with our science and social studies curriculums**

### Green Team Challenge for April

EA is taking on the challenge of reduce, reuse recycle. Challenge for the month of April: Bring a “green lunch” 3 days a week. **We are seeing change.** Lots of Bento Boxes in First Grade, parents are taking the challenge seriously!

## Specials Schedule

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

## Volunteers

**Needed:** Thursday morning check in clerk.

**Thank you** for our April Pencil toppers Mrs. Ivey. They are adorable and practical.

## April Birthdays

2<sup>nd</sup> Livy  
6<sup>th</sup> Lucas

## Homework:

Math, Baggy Book, Spelling (List 17)  
**Homework in First Grade is not optional!**

**Transitioning** We are transitioning from winter to spring. Snowsuits are not required. Please dress for the weather whatever the weather might be. Break up boots or an extra set of outdoor shoes are a must. The playground is not ready for school shoes-yet!

