First Grade Newsletter

November 2026

Reminders

Dismissal: Dismissal is every day at 2:10 pm. Please ensure that whoever is picking up is on your child's Blue Card.

REMIND/Google Classroom: Please make sure to join your classes remind in order to receive important information throughout the school year.

Folders: Please make sure you are checking your child's home folder every night. Important notices will be sent home in this folder. This folder must come back to school every day.

Homework: Please make sure you are checking their Math Workbook, Reading Notebook, and Reading Log. Homework must be completed every night and is checked daily.

iReady: Please be sure to complete 45 minutes in reading and 45 minutes in math every week.

Congratulations to Our October Bucket Fillers:

101: Emily Chango Palate and Elliott Estaba
102: Aubrey Soo and Haroon Alawi
103: Scarlette Liang and Jason Wang



Upcoming Dates

11/03: Election Day (Remote Day for All)
11/11: Veteran's Day (No School)
11/12-11/13: Vision Screening
11/16: Coin Wars Begin
11/19: Family Night at 6pm
11/26-11/27: Thanksgiving Break

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HMH Into Reading

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Assessments

HMH Module 2 and 3 Weekly Assessment/Writing
Math Topic 3 Assessment
Fundations Assessment: Unit 3 and 4

At A Glance

Module 3 - Amazing Animals
Essential Question:
How do animals' body help them?

What We Are Learning

Reading, Writing, Math, Social Studies

Reading

In Reading this month, students will explore their roles within their families and communities. They will learn about different communities and places that make it special. Students will also discover how people and community helpers work together to make their community better for everyone.

Writing

In Writing this month, students will explore the five senses they use to experience the world around them. They will use vivid and descriptive language to create a writing piece that highlights what makes their world unique and special.

Math

In Math this month, students will deepen their understanding of the relationship between addition and subtraction as they practice subtraction facts up to twenty. They will learn and apply strategies such as counting back, making a ten, and using addition to help solve subtraction problems.

Social Studies

In Social Studies this month, students will be learning about how many families are different. Students will also learn about what a tradition is, and how different families have different values that are set in their home. Students will take all their information they have collected and create a quilt that represents their family.