

Our First Grade Crusade

January 23-27, 2023



TYPICAL First Grade Test Schedule:

Monday: Reading Test
 Tuesday: Practice Spelling Test
 Wednesday: Math Test
 Thursday: Phonics Test and First Try Memory Verse
 Friday: Spelling Test and Memory Verse

REMINDER! This week is School Choice Week! Help spread awareness! ☺

Bible Memory Verse Luke 18:16-

But Jesus called them to Him and said, "Let the little children come to Me, and do not forbid them; for of such is the kingdom of God.

Reading: TEST Monday (1-23)

There is no 'studying' for these tests. Please continue to work on reading with expression, accuracy, and fluency at home. Sentences are longer now. Weekly Reading homework strips will continue to come home.

Spelling: PRACTICE test will be on **Tuesday (1-24)**. FINAL test on **Friday (1-27)**

ARITHMETIC: TEST on

Wednesday (1-25). In-class preparation. **Please practice All Addition and Subtraction Fact Families at home!** Other concepts to practice: adding 3 numbers; money-value of pennies thru quarters; adding by 15's counting by 3's. Time to the 3/4 hour.

This week's Spelling List 16:

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 the
 come
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 you
 of
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 two
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 was
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 to

Language/Phonics: TEST on THURSDAY (1-26) written and oral, we will prepare for this test in class. Phonics this week: *Continue learning Suffixes -es, -ed, and Root words; compound words, alphabetizing; special sound- o in shove; a in banana.*

Writing/Penmanship: Cursive writing- lower case letters beginning with vowels. Students are moving quickly through the letters. However, proper form needs practice. Slant of the letters is important.

History/Science/Health: We will have History and Science lessons on alternate days, with Health lessons 2-3x/week for the rest of the semester.

Classroom Behavior: Check your child's **Planner** each day. Behavior notes/stickers will go in that **Planner** from now on. Daily praise and encouragement build strong character and behaviors. **Please write your initials in the box or any notes for the day after daily homework is completed!**