

First Grade News November 2023

The students continue to work hard every day and I'm so proud of them! We are moving along nicely in the school year. Here's what's ahead in November!

ELA- Next week, we will be moving into Unit 2 in My View and the theme is I Spy and we will read stories of informational text as well as poetry and drama. We will be focusing on long vowel sounds. We continue to do writing assignments in our journals as well as in writer's workshop with a focus on handwriting, grammar and spelling.

Math- We are continuing our unit on addition and subtraction to 10. Please review math facts at home using flash cards. Next, we will move onto Module 2 which is place value to 20 with addition and subtraction. We are using Zearn in the classroom as well to reinforce the concepts being taught.

Religion- We will be discussing the Saints and also becoming members of the church at Baptism. We will also talk about all of the special things that we are thankful for.

Science- We are continuing our unit on living things-with a focus on plants and how we care for them and use them. We watch videos and do activities through the discovery education program.

Social Studies- In social studies we are discussing rules and responsibilities within the community and our next unit will focus on geography, maps, and directions. We will also spend some time discussing and doing a compare/contrast of the First Thanksgiving with our Thanksgiving of today.

Book Report- For the November/December book report, the students will need to read a holiday book and create a holiday tree book report. All directions will be sent home soon! These book reports will be due on Fri. 12/8.

Wishing you all a very Happy and Blessed Thanksgiving!

