

OCTOBER 22, 2021

# 1ST GRADE NEWSLETTER

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## UPCOMING DATES

- 10/22 - MID-TRI REPORTS
- 10/29 - HALLOWEEN FESTIVITES
- 11/1 - ALL SAINTS DAY
- 11/2 - PICTURES RETAKES
- 11/11 - NO SCHOOL, VETERANS DAY
- 11/22-24 NO SCHOOL FOR FALL CONFERENCES

## CLASSROOM NEWS

What a week! St. Luke-a-Thon was a huge success and continues to be so as you can donate money until next week!

Thank you to Mrs. Harbert for bringing in pumpkins for the students to decorate on Wednesday! Both classes had so much fun painting and having parent volunteers in the classroom again.

Halloween is coming! We will be participating in trunk-or-Treat at 1:40-1:50. Students can wear their costumes to school. Classroom parties will happen on Friday at 12:45-1:30, we will clean up and get ready for the next part of the fun.

# WHAT WE ARE LEARNING THIS WEEK:

## ELA:

- Reading
  - Decode and encode sh and tech for /wh/
  - Read and understand literary and informational text
  - Read and understand new vocabulary
- Writing
  - Use question words to learn about an object
  - Write answers to questions
  - Write interview questions
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- HW: Backpack pages 14-17
- Spelling: cash, crash, dash, trash, where, when, what, which, why, who
- Monthly October Reading Log

## Math:

- Start Unit 4: Addition within 20 facts and strategies
- Understand that addition is a more efficient way of determining a total
- Select one addend to start with and count on by the value of the second addend.
- Use double to add numbers within 20.
- Use double facts they know to solve near double problem.
- HW: Practice Pages: 3-1 (Monday), 3-2(Tuesday), 3-3 (Wednesday), 3-4 (Thursday) Use resources on class webpage to practice skills.

## IB Theme: Sound and Light (moving to our science unit)

- How do they make silly sounds in cartoons?
- Where do sounds come from?
- What if there were no windows?
- Can you see in the dark?

## Religion

- Jesus taught the Lord's Prayer, it our most important prayer

## Second Step

- Bullying Prevention