

1ST GRADE NEWS

News About School Activities and Upcoming Lessons
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NOTABLE EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS

3/2 - Ash Wednesday

3/11 - No School, Teacher In-Service

3/17. - St. Patrick's Day

3/24 & 3/25 Spring Conferences

UPDATES

Wow, March is arriving this week! As March begins, so does our Lenten Season. This season is full of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. A great way to teach your children about the spirit of almsgiving is participating in the food drive the helps St. Vincent De Paul Society. This food drive starts Monday the 28th and will end of March 10th.

Students will also participate in Ash Wednesday Prayer service this week. For the next 40 days, we will discuss why this season is important as we strengthen our journey with Jesus.

In math news, we will be starting our new math unit, addition within 100. In this unit, we will be learning how to add 1- and 2-digit numbers using different strategies. The students will be adding with tens and ones base-ten blocks, breaking numbers apart, and regrouping to add.

What we are learning the week of February 28th

ELA:

- Decode and encode CVVC words with *ue* and *ie*
- Analyze CVVC words with -ing and -ed endings
- Read fluently and understand literacy and information texts
- Generate ideas for a debate
- Plan reasons to support a side
- Plan and write for a debate
- Participate in a class debate
- Spelling words: heat, keep, tie, blue, some, one, were, could, new, would
- HW: Backpack pages 66-69, Reading Log

Math:

- Use mental math to find 10 more
- Represent adding tens
- Represent adding tens and ones
- Decompose addends to add
- HW: 9-1, 9-2, 9-3, 9-4

IB Theme: How families live around the world is shaped by environment.

- Explore Asia and Europe

Religion:

- Learning about Ash Wednesday and Lent

Second Step

- Was it an accident?
 - With adult support, students will be able to identify problems caused by accidents and demonstrate an appropriate response.

OUR IB NEWS

IB Attribute:



Central Idea:

HOW FAMILIES LIVE AROUND THE WORLD IS SHAPED BY ENVIRONMENT.



Key Concepts



IB Theme

