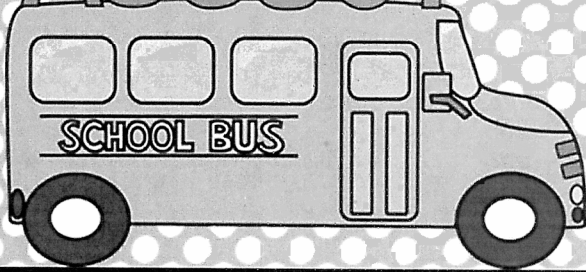


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BACK TO SCHOOL NEWS

from First Grade

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A Note from the Teacher

Welcome back to school!

We had a wonderful first two days of school and are excited for a great year of fun and learning!

Each week, you will receive a newsletter informing you of any special events that are approaching and of everything we will be learning that week.

Please feel free to contact me if you ever have any questions.

We are having two snacks each day due to the late lunchtime. Please send your child with two snacks ☺ Snack donations would also be greatly appreciated, Thank you for your support!

What We're Learning...

Language Arts

In reading, we will be listening to fables and discussing the moral or lesson of the stories. We will also be going over key vocabulary words in the stories. In phonics, we will be practicing handwriting and reviewing letter sounds.

Math

In math, we will be working on creating combinations of the numbers 9 and 10. For example, 5 and 4 and 6, 7 and 3, 1 and 9 make 10, etc.

Important Reminders

Coming up:

- Curriculum Night – **Wednesday, August 14th**
(There will be two sessions at **5:30** and **6:15**)
- PTO Read-A-Thon – **August 16th – September 6th**
(More information will come in packet form on August 16th)
- *Just know that the minutes you read for the Read-A-Thon also count for the classroom reading log.
- **Monday, September 2nd** – Labor Day (No School)
- **Thursday, September 12th** – Ice Cream Social

Writing

In writing, we will be learning to utilize the Fab 5 in writing: proper spacing, spelling words by sounding them out, using capital letters, punctuation, and making sure your writing makes sense.

Social Studies

In social studies, we will be reviewing our school and classroom rules and discussing what it means to be a good classmate and friend.