

Welcome to First Grade



We love
First
GRADE!

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Our Goals This Year:

- Having a positive mindset for learning
- Trying our best every day
- Independence
- Learning to set personal goals
- Being a good role model for others

Math

- Number sense
- Hands on
- Problem solving
- Number Talks
- Explain thinking

Science

- * STEAM lab with Mrs. Deevers-Rich
- Stemsopes
- In class

Reading

- Use a Daily 5 format
- Reading strategies
- Phonics
- Sight words – Fry words

Writing

- Writers' Workshop format
- Narrative, opinion, informational
- Inventive spelling

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Assessment/Evaluation Take Home Folder

- STAR Early Literacy
- STAR Reading (after winter break)
- Ongoing observations
- Child's work samples
- Reading, individually with child
- Report cards (3 a year)

CCSS

We follow the Common Core State Standards. You can view them at <http://pta.org/parents/content.cfm?ItemNumber=2583> for detailed information.

Planner/Agenda

- Comes home each night
- Look at child's color and initial
- May write notes/questions
- Send back to school each morning

Money

Please send all money to school in an envelope or baggie with your child's name, the amount, and purpose.

Special Days

Birthdays- Please send treats individually wrapped from a store.
*3 zoo visits at school
*50th Day – Sock Hop
*100th Day
*Old KY Pioneer Village
* Do AZoo
* Fairy Tale Ball

Volunteers

In order to volunteer you must have a background check on file in the office. There is a cost of \$10.00.

Lunch

To have lunch with your child you must make a reservation 2 days in advance. Call the office at 859-282-3333. Sign in at the office on the day of your visit.

Behavior

PAWS:

- *Practice safety
- Act responsibly
- Work hard
- Show respect

*Check planner/agenda for your child's color for the day- please initial

Conferences

Two times a year – Fall and Spring
*Oct. 25 4:00-7:00 or Nov. 3 4:00-7:00
* Apr. 27 4:00-7:00 or May 2 4:00-7:00

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