



# First Grade News

September 1, 2020



## Oatmeal Containers

If you use or know of someone who eats oatmeal, I am looking for the empty large drum containers (42oz size). Please save the lids too. We will not need them until 2<sup>nd</sup> semester, but I wanted to get this out there.

## Plain T-shirt Needed

First graders will need a plain t-shirt for art on September 18<sup>th</sup>. We will be making school spirit shirts to wear on special event days. Your child may bring in any plain color. White and gray shirts work out best. We will be using orange and blue paint on them. Please remember to label your child's shirts. In the past, I have found that parents who wash the shirts with no fabric softener before sending them to school have paint that adheres better. (When you prewash them, you wash out the sizing on the shirt.)

## Allergies

Several parents shared that we do have some food allergies in the classroom. I am also asking about dog allergies. We have a comfort dog in the building. If your child has any allergies, please let me know.



## Readers

First graders are bringing home their readers next week. (Tuesday to Friday evenings. During a 5 school day week, it will be Monday to Thursday.) Please **initial** on the line after they have read to you. We



will spend a couple of days on each story. I want adults to do the initialing not the child. On Fridays of a 5 day week, we will bring home 'little books' (These are paper run off booklets.) to read over the weekend. These need to be signed and returned back to school on Monday.

## Snack



Thank you to the parents who have helped their child make health choices in the snacks.. **I would like to discourage the following choices Fun Fruits (those in the little pouches), Rice Krispy Treats, cookies of any kind including the ones that are saying '100 calorie' pouches of cookies, or chips.**

**Please remember to have a plastic shoebox with lid for your child to keep their snacks in at their lockers.**

## Spelling Words

**The week of Sept. 7<sup>th</sup>:**  
(unit 1)

an     can     man     ran  
         had     dad  
bonus words: ant     lap  
                 tag     pants



**The week of Sept. 14<sup>th</sup>:**  
(unit 2)

am     cat     has     at     hat     and bonus  
words: bag     pan     mat     lamp

**The week of Sept. 21<sup>th</sup>:**  
(unit 3)

let     get     net     pet     pen     men  
bonus words: hen     den     wet     fed



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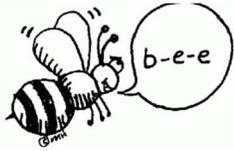
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## The week of Sept. 28<sup>th</sup>:

(unit 4)

jet met yes set bed leg  
bonus words: led vest mess mend



A note about spelling tests -- Students will be writing the words for their test on Fridays. It

is a good idea that when you go through the words with your child, you also have them write out the words besides orally spelling it to you.

## Memory Work



Reminder that we will be handling memory work differently this year. We will working on it at school. I would strongly suggest that you go over it with your child at home. We will not be saying it individually at school due to Covid. As restrictions hopefully loosen up, we will evaluate if the children individually recite it.

### Week of Sept. 8<sup>th</sup>

Our Father who art in heaven,  
Hallowed be thy name,  
Thy kingdom come, ...

### Week of Sept. 14<sup>th</sup>

... thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread; ...

... and forgive us our trespasses  
as we forgive those who trespass against us;  
and lead us not into temptation, ...

## Week of Sept. 21<sup>st</sup>

...but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

You did not choose Me, but I chose you.  
John 15:16

## Week of Sept. 28<sup>th</sup>:

Be obedient ... show perfect courtesy toward all people. Titus 3:1-2

Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world! John 1:29

## Week of Oct. 5<sup>th</sup>:

When I am afraid, I will trust in You.  
Psalm 56:3

[God] provides you with plenty of food and fills your hearts with joy. Acts. 14:17

## Week of October 12<sup>th</sup>:

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. Matthew 22:37

Be glad in the Lord, and rejoice.  
Psalm 32:11

Have a good week.  
Miss Schultz

