

Mrs. Gardner's 1st Grade Gazette

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Weekly Curriculum Guide



Math:

In math, students will learn how to measure and take data using nonstandard forms of measurement.

Vocabulary: measure, length, unit

Social Studies:

In social studies, we will begin unit four. In lesson one, students will compare daily life today versus that of the past in areas such as home life, work, clothing, games and festivals.

Journal Prompt:

March is coming in like a lion.

Language Arts:

Trick Words: **how, now, down** (Students will be given a spelling test on Friday containing the above trick words. Additionally, students will continue to be assessed on letter/sound identification and will now be asked to spell words matching the weekly Foundations skill.)

Foundations Skill:

Blending Words with 5 Sounds: (e.g. *clump, trust, plant*) and adding suffixes -s, -ed, -ing (e.g. *clumps, trusted, planting*)

Sight Words: **mouse, our, over, pretty, surprise, three** (Students must be able to read these words and put them into provided sentences on Thursday)

Reading Selections:

-*Shadow in the Snow*

-*Snow Surprise*

(These stories will be read during class and a short comprehension assessment will take place on Thursday)

Robust Vocabulary Words: **bulged, jostled, argue, command, labored, wary** (Students must be able to determine the meaning of these words, in context, on Thursday)

Homework

Monday:

Subtraction Fluency Sheet

Tuesday:

Addition Fluency Sheet

Wednesday:

Math Pages 585 & 586
Study Sight Words &
Robust Words

Thursday:

Math Pages 593 & 594
Study Trick Words

Friday:

Writing Journal Due

Read Nightly:

20 Minutes



Happy Birthday Additional Information



Book It Program:

March is the final month to participate in *Book It!* Read nightly with your child to earn one final personal pan pizza from Pizza Hut.

Right-to-Read Week: March 3-7, 2014

Throughout the week, students may return reading slips for a chance to win prizes.

Book Fair: Friday, March 7, 2014 (9:45 a.m.)

Don't forget to bring money if you would like to purchase any books.