

Mrs. Gardner's 1st Grade Gazette

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Weekly Curriculum Guide



Math:

In math, we will begin chapter three. This chapter will teach students techniques to mentally solve addition facts through twenty. The goal of this chapter is to help students work towards committing basic addition facts to memory.

Social Studies:

Students will take part in their first social studies test on Wednesday, October 23, 2013. Please be sure to review the study guide that was sent home last week with your child. This study guide will help your child review for their first test in this subject area.

Language Arts:

Trick Words: you, your, I, they, was, one, said *(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: Glued Sounds:
-all (e.g. ball, call, tall)

Sight Words: how, make, of, some *(Students must be able to read these words and put them into provided sentences on Thursday)*

Reading Selections:

-A Tall, Tall Wall

-All on the Map

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

Robust Vocabulary Words:
commotion, muffle, overflowing, locate, search, symbol *(Robust words are taught during class, but will not be tested at this point in time.)*

Homework

Monday:

No Homework

Tuesday:

Math Pages 221 & 222
Study Social Studies

Wednesday:

Math Pages 227 & 228
Review Sight Words

Thursday:

Math Pages 233 & 234

Friday:

No Homework

Read Nightly:

20 Minutes



Happy Birthday



Additional Information

Extra Clothes: As the weather begins to change, please send in an extra set of clothing (shirt, pants, underwear and socks all labeled in a plastic bag) to keep in your child's locker at school.

Character Counts: We will be celebrating National Character Counts week October 21-25, 2013. Please have your child wear their character counts shirts on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Conferences: If you have not done so already, please return your conference verification form.

Book Fair: Friday, October 25th at 9:45 a.m.