First Grade November News



Upcoming Events:

- November 3 ~ Daylight Savings ends ~ Fall back
- November 5 ~ Election Day
- November 7 & 8 No School~ NJ Teacher Convention
- November 11~ Veterans Day~Wear Red.White.Blue
- November 13~ World Kindness Day~Wear Green
- November 14 ~ Picture Retake Day
- November 14 ~ Evening Conferences
- November 15 ~ No School ~ P-T Conferences
- November 22 ~ Board Game Day
- November 27 ~Thanksgiving Feast
- November 27 ~ Early Dismissal~ No ACE
- November 28 & 29 No School ~ Thanksgiving



Monthly Reminders:

- Check your child's folder every night for notes and classwork. Take completed work out
- Homework Assignments are due the next day unless indicated otherwise



Supplies Needed:

- Small Water Bottles
- Napkins



Word Study

Red Word Practice: Read & Write Link

Magic e

Review short vowel CVC Review long vowel CVCe Word Families: ip, ig, ill

Introduce the 1-1-1 Rule

To double the ending consonant, must have:

- 1 short vowel
- 1 one syllable
- 1 ending (-II, -ss, -zz, -ff)



Math:

- Parts-and-Total Number Stories and Strategies
- Exploring Counting, Matching Pairs and Ordering by length
- Counting on the Number Line to add and subtract
- Skip Counting to Add and Subtract
- Counting Applications: Frames and Arrows
- Counting with Calculators



Reading Workshop

Unit 3: Learning About the World of Nonfiction Reading

- Nonfiction readers become super smart about topics
- Nonfiction readers don't let anything keep them from learning a lot, not even super hard words
- Nonfiction readers read aloud to others like experts



Writing Workshop

Unit 3: Nonfiction "Expert" All About Books

- Writers will write and use pictures to teach all about a topic
- Writers will include multiple facts and use domain-specific words
- Writers will use a variety of nonfiction text features
- Writers will revise and edit



Science and Social Studies:

• Waves: Light & Sound

• Block Buddies: Wants/Needs

Thanksgiving

• Community Circle: Word of the Month: Accountability

