

## Week 2 Distance Learning First Grade Walnut Acres 3/24-3/27

### Monday 3/23

- 30 minutes reading (see “what can daily reading look like?” chart below)
- Writing: Make a list of things that are cold, illustrate them! (include 6+ things) Write for AT LEAST 10 minutes in one sitting
- Math: [Math Journal v.5](#) pages 11, 18
- [Scholastic - Learn at Home](#) Week 1 Day 1 Animal Studies - Spiders

### Tuesday 3/24

- 30 minutes reading (see “what can daily reading look like?” chart below)
- Writing: Write facts about the beach. (4+ facts) Write for AT LEAST 10 minutes in one sitting
- Math: [Math Journal v.5](#) p. 7,15
- [Scholastic - Learn at Home](#) Week 1 Day 2 Earth Science - Weather

### Wednesday 3/25

- 30 minutes reading (see “what can daily reading look like?” chart below)
- Writing: Would you rather eat an ant or a worm? Why? “I would rather eat \_\_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_\_” (make sure you include 3+ reasons) Write for AT LEAST 10 minutes in one sitting.
- Math: [Math Journal v.5](#) p.16,19
- [Scholastic - Learn at Home](#) Week 1 Day 3 Physical Science - Sound and Music

### Thursday 3/26

- 30 minutes reading (see “what can daily reading look like?” chart below)
- Writing: Why do people get sick? (3+ reasons) Write for AT LEAST 10 minutes in one sitting.
- Math: [Math Journal v.5](#) p.9,10
- [Scholastic - Learn at Home](#) Week 1 Day 4 Social Studies - Communities

### Friday 3/27

- 30 minutes reading (see “what can daily reading look like?” chart below)
- Writing: Some things I want to know about my teacher are... Write for AT LEAST 10 minutes in one sitting.
- Math: Solve this word problem and draw a picture to match the equation: “Penguin has 6 fish, he eats two and catches one more. How many does he have now?”
- [Scholastic - Learn at Home](#) Week 1 Day 5 Life Science - Bones

# What Can Daily Reading Look Like?

Our goal is for our first graders to be reading 30 minutes each day. The 30 minutes does not have to happen all in one sitting. You can break it up into 20/10 min or 10/10/10. You might also combine two ideas such as silent read for 20 and partner read for 10.

- Silent reading
- Raz Kids or i-Ready lessons
- Read aloud to an audience (parents, stuffed animals, pets, younger siblings, etc.)
- Partner Reading (read at the same time, echo reading, take turns)

## Fun Card Games!

### Make the Sum

- Choose a sum between 6 and 10
- Take out any cards that are higher than your sum
- Put a pile face down in the middle
- Take turns drawing a card and flipping it face up

The object is to make the target sum with any available cards. If a player makes the sum, he/she gets to take those cards. Play continues until all of the cards that can be used to make the sum have been played. Players count their cards, and the winner is the one with the most. You can use more than 2 cards to make the target sum.

### Go Fish (for 10)

- Take out face cards or make J,Q worth 10 and A,K worth 0.
- Deal 5 cards to each player (or 7 if there is only 2 of you)
- Place the rest in a pile face down
- Each player asks for a desired card ex. "Jane, do you have a 3?" Jane will give her card or will respond with "Go Fish" leading the asking player to draw a card from the pile.
- The game ends when the deck runs out and there are no more matches to be made. The player with the most matches wins.

### Top It! (Addition or Subtraction)

- Deal each player a card until the whole deck is split
- Hold your pile in your hand face down
- Say, "1,2,3 Top it!"and each player flips two cards down in front of them.
- Each player adds their sum and whoever has a greater sum wins all the cards face up.
- The player who has the highest sum collects all of the flipped over cards and adds them to the bottom of his/her stack.
- If there is a tie, flip again and the winner will take the tie cards from the previous round as well.
- Play on until the whole deck is in one person's hands.

## Extras

These are some great links that the students have used in our classroom.  
Feel free to use these when you want to provide an extra learning  
experience or two during the day. :)

### **Links:**

Mystery Science: <https://mysteryscience.com/school-closure-planning>

Go Noodle: <https://app.gonoodle.com/> \*great for movement/P.E.

BrainPop Junior: <https://jr.brainpop.com/>

Directed Drawing: <https://www.artforkidshub.com/>

Check out our [Home Learning Bingo Board](#) for great ideas

\*Visit our Walnut Acres website for more links!

### **Other Ideas:**

- Jumping jacks (count out loud by 2's, 5's, 10's stop at 120)
- Practice tying shoes!
- Make up songs
- Cooking with parent help
- Chores