Mrs. Bland's Newsletter May 12-16

Note from the teacher

Good morning families! Happy Mother's day to all the moms out there. Well, here it is...only 2 more weeks left of first grade. I can't even believe it. This week will not be as busy as the last couple of weeks, but here is what is happening.

Monday is Quiet games, I have some fun games to play in the afternoon. Tuesday is Ready for 2nd grade. All the first grades will be visiting the 2nd grade teachers for 45 minutes in the morning. Wednesday is Sunglasses and show and tell. Students can bring one small item for show and tell and a pair of sunglasses. Thursday is Tongue twister day. Students can bring a tongue twister to share with the class. Friday is Undercover reader. We have a couple of guest readers coming to read some fun books to the class. We also have the Lawrence Public Library coming in to talk about the summer reading program.

Please reach out to me if you have any questions or concerns.



<u>This week's Focus Lessons</u> <u>Phonics</u>-Unit S: Review ch, tch, ge, gi, f and ff. Review root words and suffixes.

<u>Story comprehension</u>-Whole class read: The offer, The campfire. Story elements.

Language Arts - Sentence structure

Writing-Opinion writing

<u>Math</u>-Unit 7: Fractions and telling time to the hour and half hour

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Specials schedule

Monday-Music

Tuesday-PE please wear or bring sneakers

Wednesday-PE please wear or bring sneakers

Thursday-Art

Friday-Art

Important dates

S/12-S/16 Camp Deerfield

- 5/12 Quiet games
- 5/13 Ready for 2nd
- 5/14 Sunglasses and show and tell
- S/15 Tongue twisters
- 5/16 Undercover Readers
- 5/13 Transition Day: we will visit 2nd grade 8:30-9:15
- S/19 Crisis Drill: we will walk to our safe space (Lawrence Country Club) with the school

Important links <u>VIP sign-up</u> <u>Class schedule</u> <u>Breakfast Menu</u> <u>Lunch Menu</u> <u>Mrs. Bland's email</u> <u>Mrs. Bland's Webex</u> <u>Mrs. Bland's class wish list</u>

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• Thank you all for a wonderful year!







Picnic Fun



