

# CHALK TALK NEWSLETTER

## 1st Grade Newsletter

### Word Study

Our spelling rule for the week is: Spell the final /k/ sound ck after a short vowel.

Words to practice:

Lock, sock, rock, back, tack, sack, pick, sick, lick, duck, luck, buck, peck, neck, deck

\*\*Jailbird Words are words that can not be sounded out.  
Our "Jailbird Word is: have

\*\*We will have a weekly spelling assessment over our "jailbird word" and words that we have been working on in class. This assessment will also include a Dictation Sentence made up of words we have previously worked on in class.

### Math

\*\*We will read, write, and count objects to 120.

\*\*We will add, subtract, and solve word problems within 10.

\*\*We will work with the Commutative Property of addition where the amount on one side of the equal sign is the same as the amount on the other side (ex:  $3+2=2+3$ ).

\*\*We will solve problems with a missing number in different places (ex:  $7+ \underline{\quad} =9$ ,  $\underline{\quad} +2=9$ ,  $7+2=\underline{\quad}$ ).

\*\*We will practice skip counting (counting by 2s, & 5s)

### Story Writing

\*\*We are working on Narrative Writing .

\*\*We will begin our sentences with capital letters and end our sentences with an ending punctuation mark.

\*\*Please have your child practice story writing at home. (sounding out words, using beginning capital letters, and ending punctuation marks.)

### Week of **September 25**

#### Bateman

Our first Snack Day is next Friday!! Please let me know if you would like to send or bring a snack for our class. Keep sending in pop tabs and Box Tops! Have a great weekend!

#### Gray

I am sending home a book order today. If you would like to order, it is due by Friday, September 29th. Next Friday is also Snack Day. Please let me know if you would be able to send or bring a snack for our class.

#### Kirkland

Interim Reports are being sent home today. Please sign and send back the bottom part. We are in need of Clorox Wipes as well! Please practice spelling words and be on the lookout for homework!

#### Echols

Next week will be our first sweet treat day. I will be in touch with parents of children with birthdays in September to see if you would like to bring a sweet treat for the class. Don't forget to send in your box tops. Have a great weekend!

#### Wells

**Book orders are coming home today and are due Sept. 29th. We need Clorox wipes! Also, don't forget about looking for things for our science station. Please sign and return your child's interim report. Have a wonderful weekend!**

### Events/Reminders

\*\*September 25-29 - Celebrate Freedom Week

\*\*September 29 - Snack Day

\*\*October 6 - Fall Picture Day

\*\*October 25 & 26 - Parent-Teacher Conferences

\*\*October 27 - No school / Teacher Inservice

\*\*December 5 - 1st & 3rd grades will perform in a school musical at the Conway High School Auditorium. More information will be sent home at a later date.