

CHALK TALK NEWSLETTER

1st Grade Newsletter

Word Study

Our spelling rule for the week is: A vowel in an open syllable is long.

Words to practice:

go, no, so, we, me, be, hi

**Jailbird Words are words that cannot be sounded out.

Our "Jailbird Word" is: **you**

**We will have a weekly spelling assessment over our "jailbird words" and words that we have been working on in class. This assessment will also include a Dictation Sentence made up of words (both past & present) that we have worked on in class.

Math

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

**We will solve addition word problems with the missing number in different places (ex: $__ + 1 = 5$, $4 + __ = 5$, $4 + 1 = __$)

**We will work with number bonds.

**We will practice ways to make numbers up to 10. (ex: Ways to make 4: $0+4$, $1+3$, $2+2$, $3+1$, $4+0$)

Story Writing

**We are working on Writing Complete Sentences.

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

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

Week of **September 10-14**

Bateman

our activity schedule is:

**Monday - Art **Tuesday - Music
**Wednesday - P.E. (Please make sure your child dresses appropriately) **Thursday - Library (Don't forget your library book!) **Friday - G/T

Groce

Don't forget that the fundraiser deadline is September 17th. Once your child sells 5 items, they can win a backpack monster. Thanks for all you do to support Carolyn Lewis.

Kirkland

Keep selling that delicious cookie dough and other treats! Order forms are due back September 17th. Thank you to all the families and, especially the kiddos, for helping me feel special on my birthday this week! You all are amazing!

Echols

Cookie dough fundraiser forms are due back on September 17th! Please remember, no door to door selling! We are also in need of red, green, blue, yellow, black, and white construction paper. Have a great weekend.

Wells

For every 5 items sold with our fundraiser, your child will receive a monster for their lanyard/backpack. Order forms are due on September 17th!

Events/Reminders

**September 17 - Fundraiser forms are due.

**September 18 & 19 - First Grade NWEA Testing - Please do not schedule any morning appointments on these days.

**September 28 - Sweet Treat Day / Snacks for August & September birthdays

**Please remember that students are considered "tardy" if they are not in their classroom by 8:10.

**Please have your child's name on any jackets, backpacks, lunch boxes, etc. brought to school.