

NO SCHOOL FRIDAY OR MONDAY!!!

Grade K-3 Newsletter

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## **Math**

Kindergarten: 10 frames; Making 10; Rote counting; Simple addition

Grade 1: Practice the addition strategies; Adding 10 and more; Making a 10 to help with addition; Adding 3 numbers

Grade 3: Equal groups-finishing up our multiplication posters; Multiply with 1 and 0; Ch. 3 Test Friday, Oct. 16

**Language Arts** - Oct. 2 - Oct. 14 **SPELLING TEST WED., OCT. 14**  
(see last weeks newsletter for the spelling words)

THIS NEW UNIT STARTS THURSDAY, OCT. 15TH

Story: *Verdi* by Janell Cannon

Genre: fantasy

Kindergarten

Skill: Plot

Phonics: Nn

Grammar: Proper Nouns

Poem: *Boa Constrictor* by Shel Silverstein

Spelling Words: you, what

1st graders

Skill: Plot

Phonics: Review short i; Clusters with r  
Grammar: Sentence parts: Naming and Action  
Poem: *Boa Constrictor* by Shel Silverstein  
Spelling Words: in, will, did, sit, six, big

2nd/3rd graders

Skill: Plot

Phonics: Three-letter clusters

Grammar: Verb tenses

Spelling Words: three, scrap, street, spring, thrill, scream, strange, throw, string, scrape, spray, threw, strong, scratch

## **Chapter Book:**

*Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone* by J.K. Rowling

## **Project:** Social Studies and Science

Monday: Assessing sight words

The Midwest

Answer questions; Word search

St. Louis Arch

## **Monday Art:**

No School Monday

## **Stem Monday:**

No School Monday

## **General Information :**

I will be sending out an email regarding our Oktoberfest party. Please keep a lookout for it next week. Remember anything brought into the classroom

must be prepackaged or from a baker (in the box). I will have parents sign up to bring items in. We will have parties for Oktoberfest, winter, and Valentine's Day. So if you can't sign up for this party, you can always sign up for another one.

We are starting the first Harry Potter book. I am considering watching the movie for our **pajama day on Thursday, Oct. 29th**. This is always a fun way to compare books to movies. If parents have any concerns please let me know.

#### REPEATED INFORMATION:

Remember that if your child is showing any symptoms that look like COVID, it is better to keep them home for a couple days. If you have any questions regarding this please feel free to contact me.

On October 9th I am facilitating a Love & Logic training. This is the tool we use to help shape student behaviors. It is also recommended as a tool for parents to use. This training is available for parents to attend. Please see the Friday office newsletter for more information.

### **Calendar of Events:**

Oct. 9: No School

Love & Logic Training

Oct. 12: No School

Oct. 29: Pajama Day

Oct. 30: Noon Dismissal/No Childcare

### **Classroom Wish List:**

Paper towel

Disinfecting spray cleaner for desks, tables, chairs, and drawers

