



First Grade News

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Skills Strand in Reading

- I can segment words into phonemes (initial, medial and final sounds)
 - I can blend phonemes into words
 - I can read one syllable words and match to a corresponding picture
 - I can identify common nouns that name people
 - I can write my letters using the correct strokes.
- (remember to start lines from the top down)

Continue to practice Unit 1 Sight Words and Tricky Words on purple/orange sheets, located in take home folder.

Listening Strand in Reading

Students are working from a domain focusing on Fables and Short Stories. Ask your child about their favorite story and the lesson that the character learned. (The Boy Who Cried Wolf, The Maid and the Milkpail, The Goose and the Golden Eggs, The Dog and the Manger, The Wolf in Sheep's Clothing, The Fox and the Grapes, Medio Pollito, Peter Rabbit) We will begin our next domain at the end of the month which focuses on the human body.

Math

- I can identify numbers as two parts, write the number bond and number sentences
- I can list the partners to make the numbers 0 -10
- I can solve word problems using drawings

Science

Students have observed the different stages of the butterfly life cycle. Ask your child to name and describe the four different stages. Engage in a conversation about what metamorphosis is and where/why butterflies migrate.

Social Studies

We are beginning a unit on our families and our involvement in our community. We have also discussed our role in our school community.

Open House

Thursday, October 10th 6-7:30 pm