



## <u>The First Grade Forecast</u>

We had a wonderful time at our Halloween party on Monday. The students looked so great in their costumes. The students enjoyed lots of yummy treats and we did a fun craft too! Thank you to everyone who helped make this party a success with your donations of time and refreshments. You're generosity is greatly appreciated!

Here are some of the other activities we have been doing this week.

This week during centers students worked on the short vowel u sound, action verbs, and handwriting. Next week we will move on to short I, nouns, and we will continue to work on handwriting practice.

Our word of the week was jab. Students have acted this word out and brainstormed different times when the word jab would be appropriate. They have added the word jab to their vocabulary notebooks.

In Math we have been working on fact families and related facts. This is a very challenging concept for some so we will continue to practice this next week, to ensure complete understanding.

The students received five new Dolch words to add to their word bag. Please be sure you are practicing these

words each night. Next week we will add five new words to the word bag.

The weather continues getting much colder now, and we will be going out for recess unless the temperature reaches below 10 degrees. Please make sure that your child has the appropriate clothing for cold weather.

I am sending home a conference signup sheet today. Many of you scheduled your conferences at parent night. For those of you who have not scheduled your conference time, please select 3 times that will work best for you and I will try to arrange a schedule that works for everyone. Thanks so much for your understanding. ©

Have a wonderful weekend! 😳

Warmly,

## Upcoming Events:

Nov. 4- End of the 1<sup>st</sup> Trimester

Nov. 21&22- Parent Teacher Conferences

Nov. 21-25- No School

