



## The First Grade Forecast 🚝

I hope you all are enjoying the nice cool weather. I am so glad that fall is on the way. Please be sure to send weather appropriate clothing to school with your child each day as we do go outside for recess every day, unless it is raining. Thanks so much. Here are some of the activities we have been working on this week.

During Centers this week students continued to practice rhyming words, short a, and worked with 5 new high frequency words. We also began independent handwriting practice. Each group received 3 new books for their book boxes. Next week we will move on to short vowel e, extend some of our language arts activities. Students will also receive 5 new high frequency words.

Our word of the week was group. We worked together to determine the meaning of the word group. Students listed the many groups they belong to. We read stories about different groups and the word group has been added to our vocabulary notebook.

In Math we have been practicing patterns. Students were introduced to pattern units. We have worked on extending patterns, naming patterns, and determining the missing part in given patterns. The students received five new Dolch words to add to their word bag. They now have 20 words in their bag. Please be sure you are practicing these words each night. Next week we will add five new words to the word bag.

We had only two orders for Scholastic turned in today. I will leave the order open until Monday for anyone still wanting to place an order. Thanks so much!

Have a wonderful weekend! 😊

Upcoming Events:

Sept. 22- Market Day Pick Up 5:00 PTC Info Night 7:00

Sept. 30- Book Fair/Costume Sale

Oct. 6- Early Release- Teacher In-service

Oct. 7- No School- Teacher In-service

Oct. 10- No School- Columbus Day

Warmly,

