



# Mrs. Dafoe's



# CLASSROOM NEWS

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## Week of August 12, 2024

### A PEEK AT OUR WEEK

Reading: Dan Has a Plan

- Retell
- Setting

Writing:

- Adjectives- describing words
- Writing a complete sentence
- Formation of letters correctly
- Punctuation

Foundations:

- Blend, read and spell short vowel words with 3 sounds.

Math:

- Addition number sentences
- Story problems
- True or false

Social Science:

- Good Citizens
- Communities & belonging

### SPELLING WORDS

Short i words spelling test Friday

- in
- pig
- did
- sit
- dig
- big

Challenge  
words

- ship
- fish
- spin

### REMINDERS/EVENTS

#### Important Dates

- Aug. 12 – Volunteers start
- Aug. 21 & 22 – Parent Teacher Conferences, ½ days will release at 11:40am
- Aug. 21 - Riggs Restaurant Day
- Aug. 23 – First grade shirt order and money due \$15
- Sept. 2 - No school Labor Day
- Sept. 5 - NFL day
- Sept. 6 - Riggs Spirit Day
- Sept. 20 - Pancakes with Peeps
- Sept. 21 - Oct. 7 - Fall Break
- Oct. 8 – Students return



August Birthday  
Callen 17



### Note from your teacher

#### First Grade T-shirts

First Grade t-shirt orders and money are due by Aug. 25. *No orders will be taken after Aug. 23<sup>rd</sup>.* We will wear these shirts to field trips and spirit days, etc.

Handwriting has been a challenge, and we are working so hard writing letter formations correctly, etc. Please help me by enforcing this at home when your child is doing homework or writing. We want the kids to get in the habit of writing the letters correctly and creating sentences using a capital letter to start, spaces, and punctuation. For reference, the letters are in your child's homework folder.

Have a great week!  
Warmly, Mrs. Dafoe

