



# 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Newsletter

September 4, 2023

## TEACHER'S CORNER

We appreciate your teamwork in sending in items requested for projects and activities. We also appreciate your willingness to support our first grade planned trips this year as you complete your disbursement for our school trip fees on the district portal. These items allow our classrooms to be equipped with the resources and the exposures that have a positive impact on student success. Thank you.

## IMPORTANT DATES

Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> School Holiday (no school)  
Sept. 11<sup>th</sup> -Breakfast w/Buddies: RSVP  
Sept. 13<sup>th</sup> -Fall Pictures w/uniform

## OTHER ITEMS

- Please become familiar with the CTA dress code in the online handbook.
- Please have your child go directly to the playground when they arrive at school. Gates open at 8:00.
- We are paperless again this year. Please be sure to sign up for the parent portal to monitor grades and view reports.
- Fridays are very important school days, mornings, and afternoons. We do our weekly assessments on Fridays.
- Please have name labels on everything.
- Be sure to pack a healthy morning snack.
- All make up work during absences, vacations and extended time off will be distributed upon return to school; and given extra time to be completed.

<http://www.cusd80.com/Domain/5058>

## PHONOGRAMS

a,e,i,o,u,y,g,c,s,th,ee,ch,ay,ea,ir,oo,ear,ur

### Spelling

big, bag, beg, bog, bug, three, land, cold, hot, hat child, ice, play, sea, see, bird, cool, earth, feed, fur.

## MATH

### Unit 1/Chapter 1

Unit Wrap-up

Review Unit Applications:

Adding two- and three-digit numbers,  
Subtraction

Fact Families.

Fact Fluency

Missing Addend

### Math Vocabulary:

add, Addend, Missing Addend, Related Facts, Fact Families, Count On, Count Back, Subtract, Difference, Sum

## READING

Blue Bird and Coyote

Whose Eye am I

## SOCIAL SCIENCE STUDIES

Amazing Animals

How Animals use their Bodies

### Helpful Links

<https://www.spellingcity.com/colellac/>

<http://www.phonogrampage.com/>