

First Grade News

Reading – Our focus is on long vowels in phonics and spelling. Students are learning to read and spell words with cve patterns and vowel teams. We are focusing on comprehension strategies such as sequencing, identifying the main idea, key details and comparing ideas in a text.

Students are beginning to read independently on the reading comprehension test. All text on the test is decodable. Students must also answer questions in complete sentences. We practice this daily in class. Please have your child read to you to practice the skills they have learned in class.

*** Please continue to practice sight words with your child.

Math- We are wrapping up Module 2(Properties of Operations to Make Easier Problems) Also continue to practice math facts daily. We are continuing to practice drills and the students are excited to see improvement in themselves.

Social Living- We just finished up our science lessons and will start social studies again in the second nine weeks.