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First Grade News

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WHAT A GREEN WEEK! I AM SO PROUD! :)



HIGH FIVE to the class on working so hard to have green days this week!

- Please be sure that students are working on their homework and practicing their words and math. They know that it is **their** responsibility to come to school prepared and also turn in their homework on Friday. Please don't let them leave their work until the last day— spread it out a little each night :)
- Families who have a student in **HOMEWORK CLUB**, please be sure to keep Homework Packets in green folders so that we can work on it together.
- **"Book in a Bag" is coming home.** These baggies **MUST** be taken care of and **kept in green folders after practice each night.** If I have a volunteer available, books will be getting switched out. If a baggie is missing, your student misses out on reading aloud to an adult and new books.
- Reading is getting harder for some of my friends because they are not coming knowing the **HIGH FREQUENCY SIGHT WORDS**—this is **SO** important. Please keep this a part of nightly work.
- In science this week, we investigated **PUMPKINS!** We had so much fun discovering the life cycle, weighing and measuring our pumpkin **AND** counting the seeds inside! :)
- Next Tuesday is **APPLE DAY!** Please send in 1 apple for your student to use!
- I look forward to seeing you at our scheduled conference :) Our partnership is so important to me!

Important Dates:

Book Fair open during conferences!

Tuesday:

11/30- Book Fair class visit
11/30- Apple Day

Weds- Friday: No School
Thursday- Friday: conferences

11/9: Homework 9 Due

THANK YOU First Grade Parents!
Ms. Prorise



Math

This week's math focus:

- Chapter 3: Addition Strategies
- counting on...
- adding doubles
- doubles plus one
- doubles minus one
- making ten
- Apple Math

Lesson 9: Spelling and High Frequency Words

This week we will be reading "Plants Can't Jump"
Focus: (short vowel /u/)

1. bus
2. us
3. must
4. cut
5. cub
6. club
7. with
8. then
9. don't
10. says

New

High Frequency words:
**be, does, food,
grow, live, many**

