

# First Grade News

Classroom Newsletter

October 2021

## WINTER UNIFORMS BEGIN:

**Girls: Jumper or navy slacks, belt, white collar shirt, navy or white tights or socks.**

**Boys: Navy slacks, belt, white collar shirt, navy or white socks.**

**LHCS shirt, sweatpants on gym days (option)**

## What's New...

Wednesday is our library day. This year the children will choose a book to take to the classroom or to bring home. Please return your library books to school on Wednesdays.

Remember.... Lunch is free however milk money should be sent in an envelope with your child's name on it. Please indicate the number of tickets needed.

## NOTE:

**No KCSD Busing:**

**Oct. 29**

**Change for Change: Oct 29**

## Birthdays:

Harper Oct. 5

Wesley Oct. 21





# Corner

## BEGINNING READERS

# Reading

In Unit 1 of the Superkids program, we are learning about the "swinger brothers" ch, tch, and sh.

Unit 2 covers those tricky "swinger brothers" th, and wh.

Continue to practice the sight words at home. Sight words are the building blocks to reading! And read, read, read!

*“Let peace begin with me.”*

We are learning to live as Jesus and to treat others as we would like to be treated. Please review with your child the importance of using kind words rather than words that hurt or words that sound like they can hurt. Words are taken seriously regardless of the intent.



## *You Can Count on Math!*

*We are currently exploring + and – operations and algebraic thinking.*

*We look at the missing part of a whole ( $9 - \_ = 5$ ) by using counters.*

*Next, we will use counters to compare 2 numbers to find the difference.*

*Finally, we will discuss the meaning of the equal sign. ( $4 = 6 - 2$ )*

## Becoming Empowered!

We are learning the value of communication, as we practice these steps in our daily lives...

1. **Talk it out.** (Begin with “I didn’t like it when...”)
2. **Stop the behavior.** (Respect your friend’s feelings)
3. **Get help.** (Ask an adult if you need help resolving the situation)

My goal is to allow the student the opportunity to practice conflict resolution and experience the power of communication!