

Mrs. Thomas's Class  
First Grade Newsletter  
March 2, 2018



Dates to Remember

- 3/2 – Dr. Seuss Day & TIPS Assignment Due
- 3/17 – Garden Day for HLA Community
- 3/19 – Gardening Day in 1<sup>st</sup> Grade
- 3/20 – Last Day of Run Club
- 3/21 – End of Third Nine Weeks
- 3/22 – Parent Night
- 3/26 – 3/30 – Spring Break

Hiker of the Week

All of our students have been Hiker of the Week.

We will take a short break and then resume with a different activity for the students to shine!

Classroom News

Today we wrapped up time and measurement with the exception of measuring with rulers to the inch. Next week we will spend a few days measuring and then go into graphing.

The last day for Run Club will be Tuesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>. I have really enjoyed getting out there with the kids and spending more time with them in the “walk group”.

HLA will have a garden day on Saturday, March 17<sup>th</sup> to clean up around the grounds. Please come out and join us. We will be there from 8:00 – 12:00. You can sign up on Sign Up Genius. There are two different shifts you can sign up for.

Don't get March 17<sup>th</sup> confused with March 19<sup>th</sup>. 1<sup>st</sup> grade is having their own 'gardening day' on the 19<sup>th</sup> and we are planting beans and tomatoes. We are in need of volunteers that day.

Just a reminder that after spring break we will go back to our original dismissal schedule of 1:45 (Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri) and 12:30 (Wed).



Please cut, sign, and return


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Child's Name

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Parent's Name





Spelling Words

Focus: igh – long i

Rule: The vowel /i/ followed by gh has the long i sound.

Hedgehogs:

- 1) sigh      6) high
- 2) night    7) might
- 3) fight    8) thigh
- 4) right    9) bright
- 5) light    10) tight

Bears:

- 1) tonight    6) midnight
- 2) alright    7) lightning
- 3) brighten   8) delight
- 4) highway   9) sunlight
- 5) insight    10) twilight

What We're Learning Next Week



Reading: Cause and Effect

Spelling/Phonics: igh – long i

Writing: Opinion

Math: Measurement & Graphing

Science: Land and Water



Word of the Week

confident

School Days

Please be sure to ask your child about the following activities from this past week: Dr. Seuss, different layers of soil, reading clocks to the hour and half hour.

Class Store Donations

Our next class store is Friday, March 9<sup>th</sup>. I am still in need of 1-3 volunteers in order to run the store. I am also in need of donations again for the store. Your help is greatly appreciated!

