

# First Grade News

## January Newsletter

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### Upcoming Events

January 21-No School  
January 30-1/2 day

### Our Learning

**Reading:** This month we will practice reading our stories and checking to make sure our stories make sense.

**Math:** In math we will begin to look at making tens to solve three addend addition problems. For example:  $6+4+3=...$  The kids will be able to look at that and know that  $6+4=10$  so, the answer is 13.

### Phonics

Our focus for the next few weeks will be long O long U words. We will work on o-e words such as rode, rose and pole and u-e words such as tube, rude and rule.

### Science

This month in science we will look at the parts of plants and why they are important.

### Writing

We will continue to work on our teaching books this month. We will learn that teaching books have a table of contents, captions and illustrations that go with the information in books.