This week, in First Grade Math, we learned to regroup numbers into tens and ones as an easier way to count. We also continued to practice addition and subtraction. In Language Arts, we focused on compound words, the use of "ea" to make the short "e" sound, and the use of prepositional phrases to tell "where" or "when" in a sentence. We continued to practice reading fluency and comprehension through our story "Little Rabbit’s Tale". In Science, we began a new unit about objects in the sky. We looked at the differences and similarities of the day sky and the night sky. We continued to have Computer Lab with Dr. Smith on Wednesday afternoon. We had fun and learning so much! In Chapel, Pastor Hess discussed the meaning of the Lenten Season and provided ashes for those wanting to participate.

Today is D.E.A.R. Day (drop everything and read)! Children are allowed to wear pajamas (shoes please) to school and bring their favorite book(s), small stuffed animal, and blanket if they want. Please label any items brought to school. We have some great activities planned to encourage reading!

Today, February 28, is a minimum day. All students will be dismissed at 12 noon. Please make sure your child has a healthy snack to "carry" them through their longer than usual morning.

Permission slips for our walking field trip to see "Frozen Jr." went home on Wednesday. Please sign and return your child’s slip as soon as possible, along with $8.00 (CASH ONLY, EXACT CHANGE). The field trip is at the Vacaville Performing Arts Theater on the morning of Thursday, March 19th. We will walk to the theater. Another field trip permission slip will be going home soon for another trip to the VPAT to see a stage production of "Mary Poppins". Watch for it and all the details!

The usual "Homework Packet" will go home today, and is due next Friday, March 6.

Thank you for your continued support!

Mrs. Thomas