

First Grade Newsletter

January 15, 2021

This week, in First Grade, we learned about Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and why we celebrate him every year during the month of January. We practiced addition and subtraction in Math and began learning about measurement. We had fun measuring familiar objects in the classroom. We worked on reading fluency and comprehension through this week's curriculum story, "The Big Race". In Bible, we read about the baptism of Jesus and learned what baptism means for us.

Please continue to make "Word Waves" a part of your child's weekly reading routine. It helps with sight words vocabulary. I have placed a current copy in your child's homework folder today. The children like bringing these in, earning a sticker and reaching the next level.

This week's Spelling Test will include sentence writing. Students will be asked to write a sentence using a Spelling word determined by me. Students can earn a bonus point on their Spelling Test if they write a sentence showing good structure, proper capitalization and punctuation.

Priority registration for the 2021/2022 school year begins February 8 through February 21. Returning families may register at GoBethany.com to ensure a spot for the next school year.

Monday, January 18th, is a school holiday to honor Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. School will resume on Tuesday, January 19th.

Blessings

Mrs. Thomas