



Week of November 8, 2021

Hello First Grade Families,

It's hard to believe that our **second quarter** of school is well under way! We have a field trip coming up on Tuesday, November 9, 2021 to the Explorit Science Center in Davis. Your child is to wear a Bethany Lutheran Spirit shirt, & jeans/pants. They are to bring their lunch (with snacks) and bring their water bottle with plenty of water. It might rain so a jacket would be very helpful. Please make sure that your child's booster seat (if needed) is clearly marked with their first and last name on it upon drop off.

Revised Consumable Class Supply Request list: Please see the Friday folder for the updated revised list. We are running out of Clorox Disinfecting Wipes. If your child's last name starts with an A—L, please send the supplies in if you haven't done so all ready. A huge thank you goes out to the family who have all ready sent supplies in.

HANDLE WITH CARE: The "Handle with Care" note on a lavender half sheet of paper went home a few weeks ago inside the Friday folder. Please feel free to use this method in the event your child may need it during their day at school.

Mask update: Everyone has been doing fantastic with having their masks each day. This helps keep the students/staff members healthy and safe each day. Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns and I will gladly help. Thank you all for your support

Got Box Tops? Please send in any **unexpired box tops** that you may have collected in the past or presently. Our school goal is to reach \$1,000 ! We have a long way to go and every bit helps. Please be sure to download the box top app on your phone and scan your receipts when you come home from the grocery store. If you'd rather send in your receipt and not add the box top app to your phone you may send the receipts in each week and we can scan them here and return them to you if needed. You can also have friends and family download the app or give you their receipts so they can be scanned.

Got Pie? Pie pick up day is coming up on **11/17** from 3pm – 6 pm

P.E. days are on Monday and Thursday~ The students can wear their spirit shirt or P.E. shirt on these days. The spirit shirts can be worn each Friday, too.

Dates to remember: **11/6** Bethany Craft Fair 9 a.m. – 3 pm. **11/9** Field Trip to Explorit Science Center in Davis. Please be at the school at the regular time. We will go over some guidelines and leave at 8:15 & we should return by 1:30. **11/10** Chapel Day **11/11** Veteran's Day-School Holiday **11/12** No tests on this day since we have our field trip on Tuesday and a school holiday on Thursday. A homework packet (with review items) will come home inside the Friday folder.

November Birthdays: **11/21** Ryen Slover

Spelling List 12: (Digraph ch, tch) chin, chop, much, chip, rich, chick*** Please make sure your child practices the spelling words every day. They can say-spell-say. (Say the word, spell the word and then say the word again) Doing this in the car is fun as you can make a game out of learning each word, too! **Words to know this week:** been, brown, know, never, off, out, own, very (please practice reading the words and knowing what they mean.) **Phonics Focus:** Digraph ch, tch, possessives with 's phonogram -atch

Bible Verse: "The Lord is near to all who call on him." Psalm 145:18 ***the students aren't required to memorize the verse unless you'd like them to*** They do need to draw a picture about their Bible verse & write the Bible verse once. (It's inside the homework packet.)

Water Bottle Reminder & nutritious food choice: Keep on sending your child to school with fresh water and a nutritious food inside your child's lunch each day. This helps your child learn and think better.

Sick or planned absences: Please make sure you email me at betty.beall@gobethany.com when your child won't be at school due to an illness. This is a great help when I do attendance in the morning. Please also let me know if your child is being picked up early, if your out of town/someone new is picking up your child or if your child will be out due to a family vacation, etc. I can make plans according so that the absence(s) is/are seamless

Lovingly Serving Him,

Mrs. Beall