

Miss Mathews 1st and 2nd Combo Class

9/23/2022

We are all working on our nice, neat handwriting. I am starting to write on returned papers. If you see a little comment from me on a paper, it is because we have redirected your child multiple times and they need to be working on that direction. This could be a little note about listening, paying attention and slowing down on their handwriting. Please continue to work on these things at home!

First Grade: This week we learned about adjectives and how they help us describe things. We learned that it makes our writing more fun and people enjoy reading what we write. We worked on labels, pictures and captions and how they give us more details and insight on what we are learning. In math, we worked on sides and angles, counting pennies and their value, ordinal numbers, and graphing. Our bible stories this week were, all about Moses. We learned how God saved his people and kept them safe. We learned all about trusting in God. In science, we had a science test, a science tool sort and a directed draw of a scientist. In history, we are working on map skills, continents and oceans.

Second Grade: In ELA, we learned about nouns for people, animals, places and things. We learned how to find the noun in sentences. We also worked on cause and effect. We went through many different scenarios and how the outcome can change. In math, we are working on pictographs, telling time, ordinal numbers, fractions and odd and even numbers. Our bible stories this week were, all about Moses. We learned about how God saved his people and kept them safe. In science, we had a science test, did a science tool guess, and a directed draw of a scientist. In history, we are working on map skills, continents, and oceans.

Missing Clothing: Please check your children's chapel sweaters at home. I have had a couple parents let me know they are missing their child's chapel sweater. If you have a chapel sweater that is not yours, send it back to school as soon as possible so I can try to find the owner! Please remember to label all clothes that come to school. This helps us to return in to its owner.

Class Supplies/Partnership Hours: We have an amazon wish list for our class. If you purchase directly from the list, it will send it directly to the school. All supplies bought from this list will go directly to our classroom. All supplies bought can be used for partnership hours. Attach an invoice to your partnership hours' form and I will initial it off. Here is the link to our wish list: https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/8JDNSCULQVOP?ref=wl_share

Harvest Festival/Trunk or Treat: Thank you to **Amber Myers** who has taken on our trunk for trunk or treat. We will be doing Minions for our trunk. Each child will be creating a minion for our trunk to use for decorations. We will be asking each family to donate candy for the event. We ask for candy with no nuts please!

Consumables: If your child has not brought in their consumables, please have them bring them in. We use these consumables for copying and keeping the classroom clean!

Important Dates:

9/30: Minimum Day

10/26-27: Minimum day/Parent Teacher Conferences

10/28: Minimum day/Harvest Festival and Trunk or Treat

11/2: Picture Re-take Day- Chapel Dress

First Grade Spelling Words (short vowel u):

1. up
2. bug
3. mud
4. nut
5. hug
6. tub

Second Grade Spelling Words (Consonant Blends r, l, s):

1. spin
2. clap
3. grade
4. swim
5. place
6. last
7. test
8. skin
9. drag
10. glide
11. just
12. stage
13. slip
14. drive

Challenge words:

1. climb
2. price

Bible Verse (1st and 2nd):

“When I am afraid, I will trust in You.” Psalm 56:3