

Mon★Star Weekly



Mrs. Martin's 1st Grade Class — October 22, 2014

Dates to Remember

Oct 24 - Field Trip to the State Capitol & Visitor's Center & Kids Night Out
Oct 29 – Early Release
Oct 31st – Science Day & PTA Trunk or Treat

What are we learning?

Language Arts

Discovering Elements of Informational Stories (Non-Fiction)

Ask your child about the difference between fiction & informational stories.

Planning and Writing Small Moment Personal Narratives





MATH

Telling time to the Hour

Ask your child about the purpose of hands and face of analog clocks.

Science

Changes from Heat

Ask your child what they did in Science. They will rotate and do a different experiment with each 1st grade teacher this week!



Announcements

State Capitol Fieldtrip – will be this Friday, October 24th. Unless you ordered a lunch, don't forget to send your child with a lunch in <u>disposable</u> bags/containers. Chaperones please fill out the <u>online volunteer application</u> ASAP if you have not done so already.

PTA Reflections Contest – All 1st graders will be participating in this year's themed project. We will use special paper, crayons, and watercolors to create a visual art piece to follow "The world would be a better place if..." theme <u>after</u> our field trip on Friday. Only students who return their signed entry forms by November 3rd will be entered into the contest. You will find these entry forms in your child's Wednesday folder.

Science Day – will be on October 31st! It will be a fun filled day of science themed costumes and science rotations with all the 1st grade teachers! Please check out the flyer for more details and our science vocabulary word list for costume ideas.

Book It! –October Reading logs are due November 3rd!

Library Days – October library days are as follows:

- Friday, October 24th
- Tuesday, October 28th

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