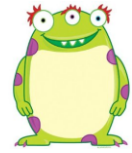


# Mon★Star Weekly



Mrs. Martin's 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Class – November 12, 2015

## Dates to Remember

Nov 17 – 20 – Book Fair Open for Sales  
 Nov 17 – Picture Retake Day & Book Fair/Art Night  
 Nov 23-27- No School – Thanksgiving Holiday  
 Dec 3 – Mrs. Hays' Last Day

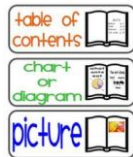
## What are we learning?

### Language Arts

#### Identifying Non-Fiction Text Features

(table of contents, indexes, photographs vs. drawings, captions, diagrams, etc.)

#### Writing "How-to" Procedural Stories



### MATH

#### Using 10 as a Unit & Place Value of 2-Digit Numbers, Connecting Dimes and Pennies with Place Value Concepts



### Science

#### Identifying & Graphing Weather

(This week = thermometers, temperature, & wind)



## Announcements

**October Box Top Winners** – Our class has also won the award for most box tops for the month of October!!! PTA will be providing us with an Ice Cream party on November 19<sup>th</sup>. Keep those box tops coming!

**XtraMath** – This Friday, I will be introducing XtraMath to our class. We will use this program in class to increase speed and accuracy with their math facts. After they have completed their assessment to set a pace and goal, I will send home the parent flyer's home for you to try the program at home.

**Splash Math** – I have subscribed for a free trial of Splash Math for our class. This website gives our kiddos access to appropriate curriculum based games. Usernames and passwords will go home on Friday. We will explore this on Friday if we are able during our technology time.

**Bring Your Dad to School Day** – Wow! We had a wonderful time with the dad's who were able to come today. We reviewed some text features of non-fiction text and created windsocks while following procedures. It was such a great morning!



Our Class' Next Library Days:  
Tuesday, Dec 1<sup>st</sup> & Tuesday Dec 7<sup>th</sup>

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