



Mrs. White's Classroom News

The Week of September 6-9, 2016

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Notes from Mrs. White

1. Please read the homework letter that was sent home on Thursday, September 1st. We will have limited homework in first grade. It will consist of a quick math review and a reading log. Please be sure to review the "Trick Words" listed on the bottom of the Reading Log and to the right. Graded papers will begin coming home now.
2. **JOIN PTA!!!!** Our class would love to earn a prize for being the class with the highest participation. Please consider joining PTA to help Jackson!

This week in 1st grade

Phonics: Combining a consonant, vowel, and a consonant to make a word. (CVC word → example: gap)

Reading Groups: Story Elements- characters, setting (where the story takes place), plot (beginning, middle, and end)

Math: Solving for the missing addend in a word problem

IB: "The Recess Queen" story study

TRICK Words

a the as has and
his of to into he
we she be me or for

Dates

September 5th
No School- Labor Day

September 15th
Back to School Dinner
Jackson Primary
5:00-7:00pm
*note the time change!

Something to practice

Practice the trick words.



Solve math problems with missing addends.



Tell the main character, setting, and plot of a story that you read.





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Homework:

*We will not have a spelling list for you to study each week. Studies show that students memorize the words, but struggle to truly apply the skill in their writing when that format is used. Instead, I will list the phonics/spelling skill that we will be studying each week on the front of this newsletter in the "This Week in 1st Grade" section. Students will be given a quick-check each week to assess the weekly phonics skill. Feel free to practice the skill at home, if you would like.

Tuesday:

- *Reading Log
- *Math Review Homework Sheet

Wednesday:

- *Reading Log
- *Math Review Homework Sheet

Thursday: *Wear tennis shoes today for PE*

- *Reading Log
- *Math Review Homework Sheet

Friday:

Have a great weekend!

Miscellaneous

I hope you all
had a
wonderful
Labor Day
weekend!

Specials Schedule

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| Monday: PE | Thursday: PE/Art |
| Tuesday: Library | Friday: Extra Recess |
| Wednesday: Music | |

