



# October News

## Grade 1

### Reminders

- \*Kids Helping Kids Food Drive begins on October 1. It ends on October 31.
- \* PTA book fairs will be held from October 14 to 18.
- \* Red Ribbon Week is from October 23 to 31.

### Upcoming Events

- Oct. 4- Early Release Day (12:55 pm)
- Oct. 9- No School
- Oct. 10- Quarter 1 Interims distributed
- Oct. 11- First Grade MAP-RF testing
- Oct. 14- Open House (9 am-11 am)
- Oct. 17- Fall Academic Night (6:30-8 pm)
- Oct. 23- Fall Pictures
- Oct. 25- Principal's Book of the Month
- Oct. 25- Fall Fest

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### This Week's Focus

#### **Reading-**

- \*We will be working on Unit 1 and Unit 2 of our new ELA curriculum.
- \*We will be focusing on asking and answering questions about key details in an informational text (RI.1.1) We will also describe characters, settings, and major events in a story, using key details (RL.1.3)

#### **Math-**

- \*We will be focusing on place value. Students need to understand that the two digits of a two-digit number represent amounts of tens and ones (1.NBT.B.2). 10 can be thought of as a bundle of ten ones — called a "ten." The numbers from 11 to 19 are composed of a ten and one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, or nine ones. The numbers 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, 90 refer to one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, or nine tens (and 0 ones).

#### **Social Studies-**

- \*We are working on community building and the roles and responsibilities of people.

#### **Science-**

- \*Students will observe and learn about patterns of the sun, moon, and stars in order to describe patterns that can be predicted.