

# Fridge Facts for 1<sup>st</sup> Grade



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For the week of

August 7, 2017

## Math at the Moment

We will be reviewing Kindergarten skills and learning what it means to be a 1<sup>st</sup> grade mathematician.

By the end of the 9-weeks, your student will be able to:

- use a symbol for the unknown number in objects, drawings, and equations.
- count on from the greatest number to add 1, 2, or 3.
- make ten to solve other equations (e.g.,  $8 + 6 = 8 + 2 + 4 = 10 + 4 = 14$ ).
- count to 120 starting at any number. (1<sup>st</sup> 9-weeks to 99)
- read and write numerals to 120. (1<sup>st</sup> 9 weeks to 20)
- represent a number of objects with a written numeral.
- count backwards from 20.

## Reminders

Please turn in all "beginning-of-the-year" paperwork promptly.

Important notes and papers will be sent home every Wednesday in "Wednesday Folders." Please return folders on Thursdays.

## Coming Up

- Aug. 9 – First Full Day of School
- Aug. 17 – Open House (6:30 – 8 pm)
- Aug. 21 – Solar Eclipse Celebration
- Aug. 22 – House Sorting Day

## Tip of the Week

Reading is more than saying the words on a page. If your child can't read the words, encourage them to "read the pictures" by using them to tell you a story.

## Reading Right Now

We will be reviewing all letter sounds and how to write each sound. We have many books to read as we discuss what makes us unique and different, yet still similar. In addition, we will be reading about ways to be a successful 1<sup>st</sup> grader with a growth mindset.

By the end of the 9-weeks, your student will be able to:

- decode regularly spelled one-syllable words.
- read grade-level decodable text with purpose and understanding.
- recognize and read grade-appropriate irregularly spelled words.
- use conventional spelling for one-syllable words with initial consonant blends and double letters.
- print all upper and lowercase letters.
- write many common, frequently used words and some irregular words.