

Fridge Facts for 1st Grade



October

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

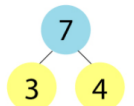
For the week of

October 23, 2017

Math at the Moment

We are beginning to incorporate subtraction facts to the related addition facts. Sometimes we call these "fact families."

Addition/Subtraction



Represents these fact families

$$\begin{aligned} 3 + 4 &= 7 \\ 4 + 3 &= 7 \\ 7 - 3 &= 4 \\ 7 - 4 &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

In this example, the gray number is the "whole" and the white numbers are the "parts." When we add, we put the parts together to make the whole. When we subtract, we take the parts away from the whole.

Math Strategies:

- Count all
- Count on or count back
- Make a 10
- Doubles and double +1

Reminders

Red Ribbon Week is coming up. Each day has a focus and a 'dress up' opportunity.

Tuesday, October 24th

"Team up against drugs" - wear your favorite team shirt.

Wednesday, October 25th

"Hats off to drug free" - wear a hat.

Thursday, October 26th

"No drugs in our house" - wear your house shirt.

Coming Up

Oct. 26 - Early Release at 10:45 a.m.

Oct. 31 - Book Character Dress-up (Must be a book character. More info provided.)

Tip of the Week

Dice, cards, and board games can help your child learn addition combinations. Christmas is coming and it's the perfect opportunity to buy card games or board games to play as a family AND help improve math skills.

Reading Right Now

Phonics (Spelling) Skill of the Week: short u

These are example words.

mud tub luck rug truck bug up snuck

High-Frequency Words: could live one then three

Sentence Fluency - Read like we talk.

1. Russ is as snug as a bug in his bed.
2. Gus plays drums and hums in the sun.
3. A hen clucks, but a duck quacks.

We are reading: *Stellaluna*, a variety of nonfiction texts about bats, *Cubs in a Hut*, and *The Pigs, the Wolf and the Mud*.

Primer Sight Words (NEW!!)

all	am	are	at	ate	be	black
brown	but	came	did	do	eat	four
get	good	have	he	into	like	must
new	no	now	on	our	out	please
pretty	ran	ride	saw	say	she	so
soon	that	there	they	this	too	under
want	was	well	went	what	white	who
will	with	yes				

Science Integration: This week we are reading several books about bats and comparing bats to birds. We are defining the traits of mammals as animals that nurse their young, are covered in hair, and are warm-blooded.