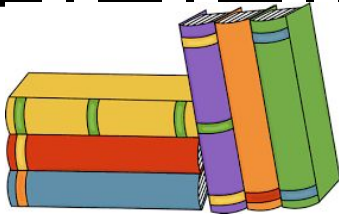


First Grade October Newsletter



ELA

Readers' Workshop

Tackling Trouble Words and Tricky Parts- Students will be using all they know about letters, sounds, and patterns to help them read. They will work on fixing words when they know something is not right, and becoming stronger readers by sharing books with friends.

Writers' Workshop

Small Moments- Students will continue to write personal narratives. The focus of their writing will be on small moments, concentrating on adding details and dialogue.

Please continue to support your child's reading by having them read 15 minutes each day.

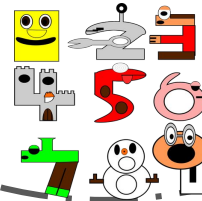
Fundations

This month students will be practicing tapping and blending consonant-vowel-consonant words. For example, c-a-t.



Math

This month in math students will continue to work on addition and subtraction strategies. Please practice number facts to 10.



Social Studies and Science

· Christopher Columbus

Fall

· Lifecycle of a pumpkin

Fire Prevention & Safety



Special Area News



Music

For the month of October the children will be learning about rhythm and steady beat. They will learn this through singing games and playing wooden xylophones.



Library

Students have begun to check out library books.

Students may visit the library and exchange books at any time. Your child's teacher may designate a special day for them to return and check out a new book. Please help your child be responsible and return their library books weekly.

Happy Reading!!

Technology Tips

Please download Google Slides to the device you are using at home.

If you have any questions or need help you can call 631-345-9224 or email the help desk at

helpdesk@longwoodcsd.org



Physical Education

This month we will be working on:

- Ball Skills including tossing, catching and throwing
- Ball Handling Basketball Skills rolling, bouncing, catching, passing and shooting
- Introduction to Fitness Concepts, activities and a preview to Fitness Challenge in Spring.

