

First Grade News

KES P.R.I.D.E News

Date: December 2018
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School Improvement Goal: At all levels, we will work to increase parent engagement by improving communication school-wide.



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School Hours:
 7:45 a.m.-2:45 p.m.

English Language Arts

In ELA, we will be learning how to identify characters, settings, and events in the text. We will also be learning about the differences in fiction and nonfiction texts. Please practice sight words and reading 30 minutes every day.

Math

In Math, the learning target is count and write numbers to 120. Students will write numbers in order from a given number. (Example 32, 33, 34, etc.) Keep practicing basic facts to increase fact fluency and gain SMAD levels. Students are rewarded with a SMAD bracelet when they complete a SMAD level.

Writing

Students will write a research paper about the First Thanksgiving. Writing should include complete sentences using correct punctuation and capital letters. Please practice handwriting and creating sentences using their sight words and spelling words.

Science/Social Studies

In Science we will be learning about the sun and telescopes. They are learning about what is in the day and night sky.
 In Social Studies we are learning about maps. Students will be making books about where they are on the map. They will discuss and make several different types of maps.

UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

August 31st- Student of the month lunch

**** January 18, 2019 is the 1st grade field trip to Sea World. If you are thinking about becoming a school volunteer please do it now before the field trip. If you are not an approved school volunteer you will not be allowed to attend.

Kathleen Elementary Cougars:

Persevere, are Respectful, have Integrity, are Dependable, and Encourage one another!

Student of the Month

Daphne R. – Fransted
 Naquon G. – Romanov
 Jayden C. – Taylor
 Mckensie C.- Green
 Gabi - Sanchez

NEWS FLASH!!!

Please make sure that your child is reading 30 minutes every day and that you write the book title in the agenda. Students are working daily to earn 15 red tickets to participate in the December PBIS reward on December 21th.

