

# First Grade News

## KES P.R.I.D.E News

**Date: February 2021**  
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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, our learning target is to describe characters, setting, and events in fictional stories and to identify the main topic and key details in informational texts. Students should also be able to identify who is telling the story at different parts in the text.

### Math

In Math, the learning target is to subtract multiples of 10. Students will also be learning how to add a two-digit number with a one digit number and/or a multiple of 10. Please practice basic facts with your kids. SMAD testing of basic addition and subtraction facts is every Thursday.

### Writing

Students will practice writing informative/explanatory papers. Students are completing graphic organizers for stories read in class. They are completing sentence frames to explain information gathered from their organizer.

### Science/Social Studies

In Science we will be learning about the harmful and beneficial properties of the Sun. In Social Studies, we will learn and write about President's Day.

### UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER:

**2/3: Early Release @ 12:15**  
**2/4: Virtual Math Night**

### **Kathleen Elementary Cougars:**

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

**Student of the Month**

**NEWS FLASH!!!**

<p><b>2/15: President's Day-No School for Students</b> <b>2/26: Student of the Month Lunch</b> <b>2/26: PBIS Reward (Popcorn)</b></p>	<p><b>Fransted:</b> Halie Coker <b>Romanov:</b> Kapri Gordon <b>Lykins:</b> Charity Robinson <b>Taylor:</b> Kaiden Tidwell <b>Sanchez:</b> TBA</p>	<p>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 February PBIS Reward on February 26<sup>th</sup>.</p>
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