

# First Grade News

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

**Date: May 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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 7:45 a.m.-2:45 p.m.

### English Language Arts

In ELA, our learning target is to identify the central message and the author's purpose for writing the text. Students should also be able to describe character, setting, and events in a story, with details.

### Math

In Math, the learning target is to compose 2D and 3D shapes and partition shapes into halves and fourths. Please practice basic facts with your kids. SMAD testing of basic addition and subtraction facts is every Thursday.

### Writing

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 trait inheritance and the basic needs of plants and humans. In Social Studies, we will learn and write about Memorial Day and Summer.

### UPCOMING DATES TO

#### REMEMBER:

**May 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>-Teacher Appreciation Week**  
**May 27<sup>th</sup>- 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Awards**

### **Kathleen Elementary Cougars:**

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

**Student of the Month**

**NEWS FLASH!!!**

<p><b>May 30<sup>th</sup>-PBIS Beach Bash</b> <b>June 3<sup>rd</sup>- Early Release AND</b> <b>Last Day for Students</b></p>	<p><b>Fransted:</b> TBA <b>Romanov:</b> Lawson Ammons <b>Lykins:</b> Leah Smith <b>Taylor:</b> Piersen Keeble <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 May PBIS Reward on May 30<sup>th</sup>.</p>
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