



# First Grade Newsletter

## Week of October 24, 2022



Dear Parents,

Keep selling the **PTO Calendar Raffle** tickets. The class that sells the most tickets will receive an award. This is the last week to sell the tickets.

Friday the students may wear their Halloween costume to school. Make sure to read the costume guidelines on the school app.

Since we are starting a new unit in our reading books. We have decided to focus on sounding out words. Instead of giving the students a list of spelling words to memorize and then forget how to spell them we are going to work with them on sounding out words. There will no spelling test on Fridays just a phonics test over the skill they have been working on during the week. See the Word Study letter to help you study with your child each night.

### Homework this Week

- Mon. ~ Go over Graded Papers, Read **Good Job, Ben!** pages 10-23
- Tues. ~ Math Worksheet, Reread **Good Job, Ben!** pages 10-23
- Wed. ~ Review Spelling Words, Read **The Red Hat** pages 6-19
- Thurs. ~ Reread **The Red Hat** pages 6-19



### October Birthdays

- Talon B ~ 1
- Elliemae C. ~ 8
- Cian R. ~ 12
- Aubrey S. ~ 13
- Sophie B. ~ 23
- Jimena S ~ 27
- Kylie T. ~ 29



### Events Coming Up



- Oct. 24 - 2 Hour Delay
- Oct. 28 - End of first quarter
- Oct. 28 - Halloween Party 1:20-3:00
- Oct. 31 - Halloween shirts with uniform pants.

### PHONICS WORDS

Word Study evaluation Fri. Oct. 28

Words with the short e sound spelled e or ea

#### High Frequency Words

again, help, new, there, use

### Things we will be learning

- **Religion:** Pharisee and the tax collector
- **Reading:** Make Predictions, Character, Setting, Events
- **Story:** Move and Grin  
Move It!
- **Phonics/Spelling:** Short Vowel e ~ e, ea
- **Grammar:** Nouns
- **Math:** Subtraction Concepts
- **Social Studies:** History
- **Science:** Scientific method