



First Grade News May 9-13, 2016



This Week

Reading/Language Arts/Social Studies

- Reading a Frog & Toad Story with descriptive writing using adjectives
- Writing- District Writing Assessment-narrative writing
- Spelling "r controlled vowel" and high frequency (HF) words.
- Social Studies- USA Symbols- digital product, Good citizens from the past and today

Math

- Number Sense to 120-Place Value to 120, Open Numberline, Counting mixed coins (dime penny nickel)

Science

- Plants-Living System, Parts of a Plant and the function



Words:

art, car, park, hard, star,
farm, barn, yard, playing,
small, called, trying

Test on Friday, May 13



Please make sure your child has "working" headphones and a charged iPad each day. We will be using them for end of year assessments. Thank You!



May 9-11 STAAR Testing-Campus closed to Visitors

May 12 100 Book Challenge due to Mrs. Johnson

May 18-June 2 First Grade Summer Countdown

May 17 ALL Library Books are DUE

May 20 Field Day

May 27 & May 30 NO SCHOOL(bad weather make-up Memorial Day)

June 2 **LAST DAY OF SCHOOL**

(Early Dismissal- 11:45 am)



End of Year Reading Assessments will be given during the school day throughout the month of May.

Please continue to read with your student each and every night. -Students are expected to read a DRA TL 18 and above by the end of 1st Grade. Thank you for your continued support at home!