NEWS FROM...

The 1st Grade eLc Galaxy

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Skills to practice at home:

Give your child 3 numbers (10 or below) for them to add together. Encourage them to "make a ten" if they can! For example

 $6 + 3 + 4 = ___.$

Think 6 + 4 = 10,

then 10 + 3 = 13.

You can increase the difficulty of 3 addends by adding a 2-digit number into the problem.

26 + 3 + 4 = ____.

- After reading a fiction book with your child, ask about the characters, the setting, and the problem of the story.
- After reading a nonfiction book with your child, talk about what information he/she learned. Have your child practice the skills of reading the illustrations as well as the words, reading with a smooth and lively voice, and rereading to help remember more details,
- ⇒ Counting by 2's, 5's and 10's. If your child can easily count these ways, start on a different number: 2, 7, 12, 17... or 32, 42, 52...
- ⇒ Discuss ways to be Safe, On Task, Always Respectful, and Responsible

This Week in eLc...

We classified rocks according to their properties - color, hardness, luster, and texture. Students enjoyed looking at the rocks and minerals to see the small details. They discovered that some rocks were so soft that they would rub off in their hands! They also learned that the diamond is the hardest mineral, and it can even cut glass!

If your child has a rock collection and would like to show a few of them to the class, he/she can bring them next Monday or Tuesday! Please limit what your child brings to 3.

NO HOMEWORK NEXT WEEK!



Mark Your Calendar!

November 2016

Sun Mo Tue We Thu Fri Sat

		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

Nov. 21—Cookie Dough sale pick up

Nov. 23—25 Thanksgiving Break

December 2016

Sun Mo Tue We Thu Fri Sat

				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

Dec. 2—Half Day Early Dismissal

Dec. 16— FLE Winter Program at the district auditorium at RNE.

Dec. 19—Jan. 2 Winter Holidays

Stay tuned for more items to be added to the December calendar!

Don't forget to put your child's name in all coats, hats, gloves, etc!



WOW! Science Question on FLE Blog!

You and your child may want to participate in this fun information search activity each week! Questions are posted on the FLE and eLc blog pages. When you and your child have found the answer, turn in it to Mrs. Scullion via email or written response. The answer will be announced on the news show each week!

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