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FABULOUS FIRST GRADE NEWS

Important Messages

- ◆ Check the CIE website
<https://www.browardschools.com/countrysies> for important dates and events.
- ◆ Please be sure your child arrives promptly to school at 8:00am
- ◆ Check (and sign) your child's agenda nightly.
 - ◆ Send in a water bottle/snack daily (including utensils for the snack)
- ◆ Please assist your child in completing & returning their homework on time.

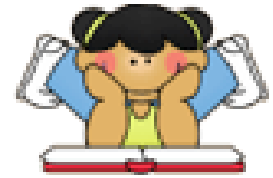
Reading Strategies

Stuck On A New Word?

When your child gets "stuck" on a word, remind him/her to use their reading strategies.

Reading strategies:

Stretchy Snake
Chunky Monkey
Eagle Eye
Lips the Fish
Skippy Frog
Tryin Lion



Upcoming Events & Dates

April 15-19th: Autism Awareness Week
 April 17th: Tijuana Flats Night
 April 18th: Field Trip to Old Davie (Judd, Diaz, & Rodriguez)
 April 19th: Field Trip to Old Davie (Rossi, Salbe, Orlando, Eugenio)
 April 25th: Take Your Child to Work Day
 April 30th: STAR Reading Assessment
 May 1st: STAR Math Assessment
 May 24th: Early Release Day @12pm
 May 27th: No School- Memorial Day
 June 10th: Last Day of School (Early Release Day @ 12pm)



Writing Tips

Try This with your child:

- Journal Writing-encourage your child to keep a daily or weekly journal of their thoughts or activities they have done. This is a great activity to do over the summer. They can also decorate the outside of their journal.

Math

Topic 12: Time & Money

- Tell the value of a penny, nickel, dime, & quarter
- Find the value of a group of coins
- Find the value of combinations of bills (\$1, \$5, & \$10)
- Tell time to the hour and half hour

Topic 13: Analyze Two-Dimensional & Three-Dimensional Figures

- Use attributes to identify & describe figures
- Define & Sketch 2D figures by their attributes
- Put 2D figures together to make another figure
- Define 3D figures by the number of edges, vertices, faces or flat surfaces
- Put 3D figures together to make another 3D figure

Topic 14: Understand Fractions

- Determine whether shapes are divided into equal parts
- Divide shapes into 2 and 4 equal parts and use words to describe those parts
- Understand that more parts of the same whole create smaller parts
- Use drawings to show and solve problems

Science & Social Studies Update

Science:

The Sun

- Is it possible to count all of the stars in the sky?
- Are all the stars evenly scattered in the sky?
- Can we see all the stars?

Classifying Matter

- How can objects be described based on their properties?
- How can objects be compared to one another based on their properties?

Social Studies:

Economics

- How has the way we buy things changed over time?
- How do I make choices about what I will spend money on?
- Why do people need to save money?
- Why can't we always find things we need to buy?

