

September 21 ~ 1st Grade

Along with cooler weather, and more frequent days with rain or drizzle during recess times, please ensure that your child brings or wears a coat to school. Students may wear hats and rubber boots to recess, but umbrellas are not permitted.

Snack reminder: please send a healthy-ish snack to school for your child. We have snack every day around 1:30-ish. Candy, cookies and potato chips are not appropriate snacks. Some snacks currently being enjoyed in class: yogurt or Gogurt, crackers, fruit, fruit leather and fruit snacks. Students are also welcome to eat their lunch left-overs, as long as they are healthy-ish.

Contact me with any questions-
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An information sheet came home today from Mrs. Kane, our Technology teacher. It is your child's code for an online typing program so they can practice at home. Students will spend a little time practicing at school.

PICTURE DAY – MONDAY

Please return the photo envelope sent home last week to school on Monday.

Even if you have paid online, return the photo envelope with your choice of background colors checked (last year the photographers were still not able to access color choices from online orders). Having the appropriate box checked on your photo envelope, or sending a note indicating your choice, will ensure that your child's photos are what you hope they will be.

What rule/law would we create?

Continuing our discussion of rules, this week we talked about and wrote rules (laws) that we would like other people to follow. See a snapshot on the next page.

The Week in (some) Pictures

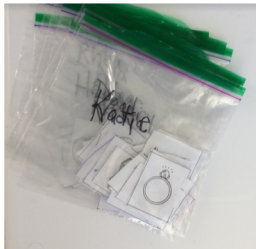


In honor of International Dot Day, we created dot art and turned it into a Partner Dot

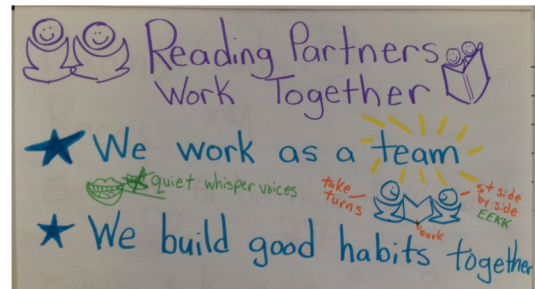


We wrote laws that we thought were important and that everyone should follow

(example of a word/picture sort)



We started practicing our word sort routine using a concept sort: fruit or not fruit



Continuing our work of building good habits as readers, we added Partner Reading to our routine

PLEASE NOTE:

We go to Library on Tuesday. If your child still has library books at home, please have them turn them in first thing Monday morning.

Picture Day will be Monday, September 24th

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Conferences: Oct. 24 & 25

This week we should be getting our conference sign-up information.

Conference sign-ups will be done electronically, using the PTCFast.com-Conference Scheduler.

We will be asking that parents with multiple siblings attending Sato sign up for conferences first, so that they can try to coordinate among multiple teachers.

All families will be asked to sign-up the following day.

If you received a conference/interpreter letter from Mrs. Wesner, then your conference has been pre-scheduled, due to interpreter constraints.

Conferences will be 20 minutes in length.

Next week a planning sheet will be sent home for you to start thinking about what goal you feel is most important for your child to focus on first this year. Please fill out the goal sheet that will be attached to the letter next week and return it to school in your child's Homework Folder no later than Wednesday, October 10th.

**See you in
October!**