

# First Grade NEWS

May 2022

## Important Dates:

- 5/2 – SBMT (5:30) & PTO (6:15)
- 5/4 – Early Release Day (12:15 Pick up)
- 5/5 – NO SCHOOL
- 5/7 – Saturday Academy
- 5/30 – NO SCHOOL

## Scholar Spotlight

Happy Birthday

Blake B. – 5/12

Cashel M. – 5/24

Siegfried A. – 5/28

Jack P. 5/28



## What are we learning?

**ELA-** Students will continue to focus on long vowel sounds (a, e, i, o, u). We will introduce vowel digraphs/combinations such as -- oo, ou, ew, ue, ou, oi, oy, ow, au and aw. Key reading skills/strategies taught include understanding characters, sequence of events, and compare/contrast. Writing instruction will focus on opinion pieces, writing proper letters/sentences, and responding to text.

**Math-** Students will wrap up their study of shapes and time. Moving on to the next module, students will extend their understanding of comparative word problems. Focus will also shift to skills with tens and ones to numbers up to 100.

**Science-** We will continue our study of living things including plants parts, animal parts, and where plants/animals live.

**Social Studies-** Students will focus on the understating of geography including people and places around us.

**"TODAY** is the day to learn something **NEw!**"

## Reminders:

-Equity Monthly Theme: **Family Differences (Socio-Economics)**

*\* To tie into our theme, 1<sup>st</sup> grade will be collecting gently used books to donate to North Buffalo Little Libraries*

-Check student take home folders each night

-Charge student iPads daily

-Please encourage handwashing as well as proper cough/sneeze etiquette at home.



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 SBMT @ 5:30  PTO @ 6:15	3	4 Early Release @ 12:15  NO ELT	5 NO SCHOOL  NO ELT	6	7 Saturday Academy 9:00-12:00
8 Mother's Day	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30 NO SCHOOL  NO ELT	31				

