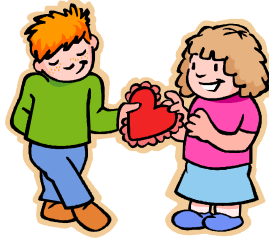


First Grade News

Feb. 13-17, 2012



Reading: Our story this week is "The Tree" from Poppleton Forever. This week we'll work with r-controlled vowels.

Spelling: See list and dictation below. There will be an extra surprise dictation sentence given on Friday for bonus points.

Math: This week we'll relate addition to subtraction and work with fact families of 11 and 12.

English: We'll work with irregular verbs.

Social Studies: We'll finish our "Lincoln and Washington" unit this week.

Science: We'll learn how matter can change from one state to another.

Other:

- **Tues., Feb 14- Valentine Party @ 2:30!** Your child will need to bring a Valentine bag or box to school on Fri for the Valentine exchange. There are 11 children in the class.
- **We'll exchange Valentines right after lunch at 12:00 to allow enough time for games and treats at the party.**
- **Reminder:** "Pennies for Patients" Please remember to bring back your collection boxes. All donations must be turned in by Feb. 24th.

Spelling:

far	arm	art	bark
jar	card	barn	*smart
bar	yard	yarn	*chart

Dictation:

1. Cows live in a barn.
2. How far is it to school?

