

# 1st Grade Newsletter

Month of:  
August

## Please take note...

**Water bottle:** should bring a water bottle filled with water daily. It is hot out and they can get dehydrated easily. Water is preferred in case it spills.

**Snack:** Bring one daily. Snack is only 10 minutes long. They do not need more than one snack.

**Binders:** Emptied nightly. Check homework for completion and neatness. Return homework each day to be graded.

**Self-help:** practice tucking in their shirt and tying their shoes with a double knot with them.

## Upcoming Events

**August 2-13**

School City testing (ELA & Math)

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DIBELS testing (reading)

**August 5**

Curriculum Night (1st grade)

session one 5-5:40 pm

session two 5:50-6:30 pm

Pick one session to attend

**August 23-27**

Book Fair

**August 25th & 26th**

Parent Conferences/Early Release @ 11:10

**August 25th**

PTO Restaurant Night

Chipotle 1084 S. Gilbert Rs. 4:00 pm-8:00 pm

We will begin weekly Spelling and Phonogram tests during the month of August. More info to come.

## Curriculum Highlight

**English-Language Arts (ELA):**

reviewing phonograms written and orally, vowels and consonants, narrative and informative text structures, sentence structure and using sentence conventions in narrative stories.

**Math:** number identification to 100, more or less, ordinal numbers, patterns using shapes and numbers, time to the hour and half hour, counting by 1s and 10s.

**Science/Social Science:** rules, laws, and citizenship.

**Social Emotional Cognitive**

**Learning (SECL):** skills for learning, listening, focusing, following directions, using self-talk, and being assertive.