

# 1st Grade Newsletter

Month of:  
October

## Please take note...

**Pop tabs:** help with our latest fundraiser by collecting the pop tabs on your canned beverages. Wait until a ziplock bag is filled to send it in with your child.

**Homework:** please make sure you are checking your child's homework for completion, neatness, and accuracy.

**Labeling personal items:** as the weather is beginning to change students may be bringing in jackets to school. Please make sure to write your child's name on the tag of their clothing in case it gets lost. This includes hats, gloves, water bottles and even backpacks.

**Yearbooks on sale:** yearbook presales have begun. All orders are placed online. Information was sent in the liberty ledger. Use the following link to order: <https://buytheyearbook.pictavo.com/>

## Upcoming Events

### October 15

White out bullying - wear a white shirt with uniform bottoms

### October 20

Fall picture retakes - Students must wear their uniform

### October 20

PTO Restaurant Night @ Some Burros

### October 21

Unity Day - Wear an orange shirt with uniform bottoms

### October 2

Read for the record day - Amy Wu and the Patchwork Dragon

### October 29

Sock out bullying - Wear crazy socks with your uniform

## Curriculum Highlight

**English-Language Arts (ELA):** oral and written phonograms I-70, spelling words, spelling rules, plural nouns, suffixes, proper nouns, present and past tense verbs, conjunctions, irregular past tense verbs, point of view in stories, sequence of events, analyzing texts and finding evidence, asking questions while reading, identifying story elements, visualizing stories, informative writing.

**Math:** Adding 10 to a multiple of 10, finding missing numbers on a hundred chart, identifying pairs, dividing a set of objects into groups, place value for 10s and 1s.

**Science/Social Science:** push/pull forces, balanced/unbalanced forces, friction.

**Social Emotional Cognitive Learning (SECL):** how to handle accidents, showing care and concern, identifying our own feelings.