# First Grade

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## **Book Reviews & Authors**

#### Let's Move -

Next week first graders will be exploring movement. During this time, they'll learn about different ways that people stay active and exercise. The Big Question is, "How does your body move?"

During the final week of October, the class will be reading books about Halloween and completing their first reading assessment ...

Good luck on the test!

#### Words to Know:

jump move run two

#### Comprehension:

Evaluate Key Details

#### Phonics Skill:

Blends with /r/ & /s/

Possessives

### FRESH OFF THE NEWSWIRE

• Conferences:

October 11th-17th

• Quarter End:

November 3rd

• No School:

November 6th



## **Math & Science Frontiers**

#### Geology -

In approximately 3 weeks, Mr. Cole's first graders will be taking a break from the study of life cycles and begin focusing on earth materials. This will include the collecting of rocks, gravel, sand, and soil. Students will be observing the properties of these materials, comparing their similarities and differences, and communicating both orally and in written form the things that are discovered. Your child may ask for your help in finding a rock or two for the class collection. You might take a walk with your child around the neighborhood, or look for rocks during a trip away from home. Together you can look for sand, gravel, and soil, as well as places where people have used earth materials in structures and landscapes!



# Quote of the Week

Weekends don't count unless you spend them doing something completely pointless.

- Calvin & Hobbes