

First Grade

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Book Reviews & Authors

Reader of the Week -

Starting the week of November 20th, Mr. Cole's room will be embarking on a new reading adventure - *Reader of the Week*. At this point in the year, first graders are feeling more confident in their reading ability and are very excited about sharing their book knowledge. Every Monday (beginning on the 20th), a designated student will be asked to bring a **short** book to school and share it with the class. The book may come from your bookshelf at home, Mr. Cole's library, the school library, or the public library. Readers will be listed in the newsletter ahead of time and will need to practice at home with their family. On the day that your first grader reads, please remember to send your child's book to school and congratulate them on being a successful reader!

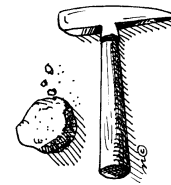
Math & Science Frontiers

Geology -

When students return from the Thanksgiving break they will begin a study of earth materials. The investigation will include components such as rocks, gravel, sand, and soil. They 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 to add to the class collection. You might want to 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!

Vocabulary:

property silt sand gravel pebble boulder



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Reader of the Week:

Erma Storm - November 20th

Bennett Loga - November 27th

Cold Weather

Be prepared to play outside!

No School

November 22nd - 24th

Quote of the Week

Imagination is more important than knowledge.

- Albert Einstein