



MRS. MCGINNIS'S First Grade Newsletter for the Week of SEPTEMBER, 5, 2011

WHAT WE ARE STUDYING:

READING: Please make sure your child is reading for at least 15 minutes each school night.

PHONICS: The letters f, h, g, and r.
Phonics Test: Monday, September 12

SPELLING WORDS:

TEST: September 9, 2011 **Sight Words**

1. on	6. I	1. end
2. no	7. in	2. the
3. not	8. it	3. said
4. top	9. tip	
5. pop	10. pin	

Sentences: 1) Pin it on.
2) Tip it in.

MATH: Counting pennies, identifying a number between two numbers, dividing a solid in half, picturing and combining sets, and graphing a picture on a pictograph.

Math Test: Monday, September 12

CORE: Continuing our unit on Geography

GRAMMAR: Continue working on capital letters and telling and asking sentences.

Open Court: Story elements and beginning, middle and end. We will read *The Chase* and begin our unit on Animals.



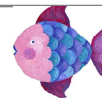
Important Dates/Information:

September 9 – Scholastic Book Order due

September 11 – National Day of Service & Remembrance at 6:00 p.m. Sally's Y

Track Attack – Friday, October 7

FYI: Our kids are growing and they are very hungry. Many children come up to our desks asking for more to eat for lunch. They have asked us to relay this message to you.



SEPTEMBER

monday	tuesday	wednesday	thursday	friday
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5 No School On-line lunch opens	6	7	8	9 Scholastic Book Order Due
12	13	14	15	16
19	20 On-line lunch opens	21	22	23
26 No School	27	28 Field Trip	29	30

We will be going to the Children's Theatre on Wednesday, September 28, 2011. We will be seeing the play *Dr. Seussical*. We will be leaving at 8:30 a.m. and returning at approximately 11:30 a.m. Please provide a disposable snack for the bus ride to the theatre. Field trip shirts and khaki bottoms are what we are wearing.

If you have not turned in your permission slip/payment, please do so. On-Line payment for the field trip opens on September 5.