

K/1 News
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A peek at the upcoming week...



Dear Families,
Making friends is a big part of Kindergarten and 1st grade. This week is all about friendship. We will be reading and discussing Matthew and Tilly by Rebecca Jones. What makes a good friend? How can we use the text to support our answers to this question? We will describe characters, setting, and major events in the story.

In whole group math we will continue learning about counting, recognizing, identifying, comparing, and writing numbers 0 – 10. We will work on counting up to 10 and down to 0, along with identifying one more and one less. I understand that not all students will need practice with this. I am working on completing and analyzing assessments to determine individualized student needs. This information will drive small math and reading groups where I can focus on what your child needs most. The groups have been working on learning the routines of our math and reading workshop. They have been practicing using materials, transitioning to various stations, and cooperative learning activities with their peers. Practicing these routines is vital so that students can participate in independent activities confidently, without interrupting valuable small group instruction.



Dates to Remember

- August 28th
 - Picture Day
- September 3rd
 - Labor Day, **No School**
- September 5th, 5:30 p.m.
 - Redwood Board Meeting

Looking ahead: October's field trip to Evan's Orchard will be on 10/12 at 11am.

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