

Mrs. Croft's 1st Grade Classroom Newsletter

Week of
4/27-5/1

Important Dates & Reminders

***Please check our Classroom Facebook Page (Mrs. Croft's 1st grade classroom) for my read alouds/activities!**

***Monday, April 27th: My new Youtube Channel is up and running! I created this to post videos for our class. This will allow everyone who is not on Facebook to see the videos! You can view and subscribe by going to BuddyTheElephant (no spaces) on Youtube! The newest video is on how to create a bird feeder!**

***Tuesday, April 28th: Scavenger Hunt during our Zoom Class Meeting! This is a shortened, optional meeting. Hope to see you there! This one is just for fun!**

***Tuesday, May 5th: History Project Presentation during our Zoom Class Meeting. This meeting will be a little longer, so that all of the students will have time to share.**

Online Resources

***EPIC Reading!** I love this reading program. It has 1000's of books for the students, it is free, and easy to use. It gives me a daily log of the minutes/books that students read.

***The Math Learning Center**
Go to the "home learning resources section" of the site. This is the math curriculum that our school's K-4 uses. There are great practice problems and math game ideas on it!

Khan Academy
This is another way to practice math facts. Use the log in information that I sent to you.

Zoom Meetings

Tuesday, April 28th at 10:00 a.m.: Community Building Day/Event. This will be a short, optional meeting! Hope to see you there for some fun!

Thank You!

Thank you so much for joining our school's Virtual Auction, and thank you for your generosity! I am so grateful for the grace, and patience from everyone as we work through distance learning.

Religion and P.E.

Friday (15 minutes):
Complete a page in your religion book, or watch a Beginner's Bible video.
Friday (15 minutes):
Do one of the P.E. activities from Coach Cronin's sheet.

Math

Tuesday (30 minutes):
Practice math facts by doing the activity of the day on The Math Learning Center, or by working on the problem of the day on Khan Academy, or by practicing with your family!

Reading

Monday-Thursday (15 minutes each of those days):
Read stories that you are interested in. Use the EPIC reading program, or any book that you love!
Reading is ESSENTIAL!

Social Studies

Thursday (30 minutes):
Keep working on your May History Project. We will share these on May 5th during our Class Zoom Meeting!

Science

Wednesday (30 minutes): We are learning about Washington's State Bird this week- The American Goldfinch! Please watch my video on how to create a bird feeder. The video will be posted (by Wed.) on our class FB Page, as well as on my Youtube channel, called BuddyTheElephant.

After watching the video, I hope you can build a bird feeder too!

Contact Me!

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