

First Grade Newsletter

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Weekly Goals

I Can...

- read words by finding the syllables.
- draw my own conclusions for a story.
- tell time to the half hour.
- solve number grid puzzles.

Spelling

mouth	house
found	our
out	cloud
ouch	shout
round	count

Reading

How can we look at things in a different way?

- **Phonics** – continue with the /ou/ sound using the letters **ow** and **ou**
- **High Frequency words** – door, loved, would, should
- **Reading**- use background knowledge, look for evidence in a text, draw conclusions when reading
- Social Studies themes in stories and various texts

Math

- Tell time to the hour and half hour
- Find more advanced patterns on a number grid
- Add and subtract tens mentally
- Solve number grid puzzles
- Create bar graphs
- Answer questions about data collected

Important Reminders

Congratulations to the following students who've returned all of their Book-It calendars on time for 6 straight months; **Parker A., Henry C., Willa C., Layla D., Maren S., and Zoey W.** These students will participate in a FREE pizza party at lunchtime on Tuesday, April 25th. Thanks SO much for all your hard work and keeping track of your extra reading at home!

Camp Invention - Looking for a fun summer activity for your child? Look no further. GC has partnered with Camp Invention! An informative letter came home recently. There are still openings for this fun week of learning!! Please contact the school if you have any questions or need further details.

End-of-year NWEA testing - May 1st & 2nd
Final movie night - May 17th

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Zoo field trip - May 18th
Spring Awards Program - May 25th
Eden field day - May 26th
Last student day - May 26th