



Grade One News

October 8, 2015

What We Are Learning

Language Arts

The students were excited to begin reading in our new anthologies this week. We are working with the short e sound in phonics and spelling. We discussed characters, setting, and events. We learned about adding -ed to the end of action words to tell about the past. In grammar we are learning about nouns. Our main story this week was The Red Hat. Due to fall break, we will take our final spelling test on **Thursday** next week..

Math

The students have used ten-frames and counters to model numbers up to 10. They learned to recognize the numbers on a ten-frame, and the relationship of those numbers to 5 and 10. We practiced showing 10 as two parts. We also used counters and part-whole mats to find missing parts of 10.

Religion

We celebrated two feast days this week. October 2 was the Feast of the Guardian Angels and October 4 was the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi. In our religion books, we worked on our Unit 1 Review. We reviewed everything we have learned so far this year in religion.

Social Studies

October is Fire Prevention Month. This week we spent time learning about fire safety. We read several books about firemen and fire safety. We also made a fire safety book to help remind us what to do in case of a fire. We enjoyed our visit with the PFD and visiting the Safe House.

Vocabulary Words

there
again
help
use
new



Special Points Of Interest:

- October 9
End First
Grading Period
- October 15
Parent-Teacher
Conferences
- October 16 -19
Fall Holiday
- October 23
Fall Festival