**Ms. Roberts’ 1st Grade Newsletter ~ September 2016**

**Dates to Remember:**

**Sep. 5** Labor Day Holiday – School closed

**Sep 15-Oct 15** Hispanic Heritage Month *(Stay tuned for activities & events.)*

**Sep. 23** ½ Day for students/Teacher PD *(Student dismissal at 11:30am)*

Coming soon…

**Oct 3-7** Fall Break *(No School)*

**Oct. 26** ½ Day for students/Teacher PD *(Student dismissal at 11:30am)*

**What we’re learning:**

**Reading:**

*character, setting, events in a fiction story, and main topic and important details in nonfiction text*

**Grammar/Language:**

*Sentences, single syllable words, beginning, middle, & ending sounds, number words, and sight words*

**Math:**

*Numbers 1-120, addition to 10, place value: tens & ones, count by 10s and 5s*

**Science/Social Studies:**

*Energy: electric, light, & sound, Grandparent’s Day, Hispanic Heritage, Fall, Johnny Appleseed*

**Spelling Words**: (*students need to be able to read and spell these words*)

(8/29-9/2) eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen

(9/6-9/9) tap, map, snap, lap, cap, dad, sad, mad, had, bad

(9/12-9/16) can dad, mad, at, cat, am, ran, back, bat, sack

(9/19-9/23) six, wig, mix, fix, lip, it, sit, in, did, pin

(9/26-9/30) hot, pop, mop, mom, hop, ox, got, pot, lock, rock

**Sight Words**: (*students need to be able to read and write these words fluently*)

(8/29-9/2) the, of, and, a, to, in, is, you, that, it, he, was, for, on, are

(9/6-9/9) as, with, his, they, I, at, be, this, have, from, or, one, had, by, words

(9/12-9/16) but, not, what, all, were, we, when, your, can, said

(9/19-9/23) there, use, an, each, which, she, do, how, their, if

(9/26-9/30) review of above 50 sight words – These words must be mastered

**Vocabulary Words**: (*students need to be able to read and use these words*)

(8/29-9/2) healthy, rotten, glanced, row, president, dentist, relax, gentle

(9/6-9/9) reach, tangled, polite, appear, disappear, stared, proud, decision

(9/12-9/16) bay, round, slides, goal, note, flippers, follows, tent

(9/19-9/23) autumn, months, winter, gusts, spring, melts, summer, shade

(9/26-9/30) warm, comfort, peaceful, cares, muddy, check, miserable, fluffy

**News/Reminders:**

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M-F 10:00-10:30am, T & Wed 2:45-3:15pm

Our class has lunch at 11:15-11:45 daily.