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IC Imagine First Grade News

This Week We...

ELA

- Discussed *key details* within a text!
- Completed a self-assessment about speaking and listening.
- Continued opinion writings!

Math

- Continued discussing place value!
- Dived deeper into “rods and dots”.

(A rod represents a group of ten, a dot represents leftover ones)

NEXT WEEK WE WILL...

ELA

- Begin learning different Reading Strategies to figure out tricky words! This is our second ELA Unit of the year!

Math

- Continue “rods and dots”.

(A rod represents a group of ten, a dot represents leftover ones)

- Discuss what the equal sign means! The equal sign lets us know that both sides of an equation have the same VALUE! ($5 + 3 = 8$)
- Begin our greater than, less than, equal to unit!

Mrs. Flood's Class

Baggie Books

Ask your child:

Spanish words for the week!

- Mira! (Look!)

Place value

- In the number 25 what is the value of the 2? What is the value of the 5?
(The 2 represents 2 groups of ten. $10+10=20$. The 5 represent 5 left over ones. $20 + 5 = 25$)
- Ask your Champion if they know the digit that is in the tens place and the digit in the ones place for the number 14.

Social Studies

- What state do we live in? What country? What city? What planet?

ELA

- What is a “key detail” when reading a text?

Learning Targets

- I can explain the value of each digit in a two-digit number.

I have had the opportunity to read with all of the Champions in our room! This means that your Champion will be picking out their first baggy book beginning next week! ☺

The book should **not** be too easy or too hard. They should be using strategies to figure out tricky words :) - the book level will match the instructional level that your Champion is currently reading at!

Return the book the next day **UNLESS** they want to continue reading that book or need more practice with the book!

For next week, please find a place to write the title of the book they read, the day, and how long they read for somewhere on their HLO packet!

Alex DeRobertis and Amy Nemec

Alex DeRobertis and Amy Nemec are our room parents this year! Sign ups for volunteering and providing classroom needs are up and running! ☺

If you have any questions in regards to the sign ups, please contact them! Below, you will find their emails.

Also, please do not fret if you cannot contribute to our room, this is not required and I totally understand that it is hard to find time! Thank you to those of you who can!

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- I can find the Reading Strategy that works for me.
- I can write my opinion about a topic.

Reminders

Absences: Be sure to email attendance@icimagine.org if your child is absent along with your Champion's Collegiate Leader

Fundraiser

Middle School is selling citrus fruits for a fundraiser! If you are interested, check out the link and pay online: <https://shop.floridaindianrivergroves.com/ecommerce/570843>. All orders will be in the week of November 13th for pick up at school- we will announce when the fruit is here for pick up!

FIELD TRIP

Please sign and return the Field Trip Permission Slip for Old Salem: **DUE SEPTEMBER 12**

*Check the back for Chaperone Opportunities!

*Use orgsonline.com to pay!

We are a NUT FREE SCHOOL please be mindful when packing your Champion's snack/lunch

Volunteer/Contribution options!

If you would like to volunteer and need to complete training contact your Champion's Collegiate Leader.

Upcoming Dates

- September 29th – Early Release/
Fall break
- October 9th – return to school
- October 12th – Old Salem Trip ☺

Important Announcements

Lunch/Snack

Please be sure to pack a lunch and snack for your Champion that provides a nutritional protein and carb! **Please pack a full water bottle** with *only* water. We are going to try having snack towards the

end of the day since our lunch is earlier this year (11:00) Please be sure your Champion eats a nice breakfast before school.

Uniform

We highly encourage families to write your Champion's name on the tag of their sweater or jacket!

Monday Folder

On Monday an orange folder will come home with the work they completed the previous week! Please take a look at their work, remove the work from the folder, and return the folder in their backpack the next day!

Moments to celebrate

- Doing our **first grade best** on beginning of the year assessments!
- Writing our opinions about different topics!
- Completing our first spelling test!