

CLASS NEWS

First Grade Friday Post | Week of Sept. 16, 2019

EVENTS

Sept. 9–27: Family Conferences

Sept. 23–Oct. 4: MAP Testing

Sept. 26: Picture Day

Sept. 26–28: Book Fair

Sept. 26: Author Night in the Library, 6:30

**Sept. 28: Fall Welcome
(Corrected date)**

Staff Day (no school): Oct. 21

REMINDERS

- ★ Please give your child a family photo for our family wall.
- ★ There is no morning supervision for students prior to 7:45am in the MPR.
- ★ Please practice proper hand washing with your child at home, as cold season is upon us!

JUST A NOTE

Friday, September 20 is the amazing Ms. Sumaira's birthday. Please have your child make a card for her or bring in a flower from your garden. She loves cookies, brownies, and chocolate!

WHAT WE'RE LEARNING

Science

Mrs. Devol's class watched butterflies move through their life cycle, and released them into the garden on Friday. Ms. Gregory's class is wrapping up their mini-unit on the savanna, and got to see a video of her kissing a giraffe. Our joint science and social studies classes will start soon!

Literacy

We started our writing Units of Study in the narrative genre. Your children are writing small moment stories about incidents in their lives. Our writers have written about getting stung by a jellyfish, jumping into a pool, and getting hit by a tennis ball...ouch!

Math

We finished our counting unit and are moving on to addition. We are playing "Double Compare" and "Five in a Row" to practice adding within 12.

