

# ~First Grade~

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## November Newsletter



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### Classroom News - What We're Learning!

- Reading - In Superkids, we just finished Units 1 and 2. In Units 3 and 4, the students will continue to learn more digraph sounds such as -ng and -le. We will also be introducing endings -ed/-er/-ing as well as how to distinguish between nouns and verbs.
- Math - We are finished with Topics 1 and 2. Students will be moving on to learning about addition and subtraction facts to 20. They will be exploring different strategies to use when solving problems.
- Science - We will be planting our Brassica Plants and begin observing its plant cycle.
- Social Studies - Students will be learning about communities. Moreover, we will be discussing about the neighborhood, leaders, and special things they do in their community.

### Upcoming Dates

- No school on Friday,  
**November 3 - School Improvement Day**
- Report Card Pick-Up - **Wednesday, November 15**
- No School **November 22-24 - Thanksgiving Holiday**
- Picture Day Retake - **November 30**



*In an effort to keep our students, teachers, and staff safe and secure at Haines we are implementing new rules in addition to our existing safety and security rules.*

1. *Parents must have an appointment to speak to any teacher.*
2. *If a parent does not have a scheduled appointment, they are welcome to leave a note for the teacher in the office.*
3. *The office will not be calling up to the classroom if there is no meeting set.*

### Reminders

- Please continue to practice reading with your child every night and fill out the book log sheet in their homework folder. A new book log for November has been passed out.
- Spelling Test every Friday.



### First Grade Stars of the Week for November



Room 208	Room 210	Room 212
November 6 - Wenli Huang November 13- Yiting Huang November 20 - Minghui Lei	November 13 - Nathan Chen November 27 - Eric Chi	November 6 - Owen Chen November 27 - Joshua Griffith