

Date: November 25th-26th -Week 15

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Important Dates</u></p> <p>November 27th-29th- NO SCHOOL- Happy Thanksgiving</p> <p>December 2nd - 20th- Holidays Around the World Unit</p> <p>December 13th- Interims are sent home</p> <p>December 17th- Holidays Around the World Learning Experience</p> <p>December 19th- Funny Tummy Program</p> <p>December 20th- School is in session (make-up day for 9/6) Penny Cash In</p> <p>December 23rd - January 1st- No School- Holiday Break</p> <p>January 2nd-3rd- No school for students-Teacher Workday</p> <p>Our Class Website: https://mrswhelansfirstgrade.weebly.com/</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Letterland Words to Practice This Week:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Unit: 11</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; text-align: center;"> <tr> <td style="width: 12.5%;">sk</td> <td style="width: 12.5%;">sl</td> <td style="width: 12.5%;">sm</td> <td style="width: 12.5%;">sn</td> <td style="width: 12.5%;">st</td> <td style="width: 12.5%;">sp</td> <td style="width: 12.5%;">sw</td> <td style="width: 12.5%;">Tricky Words</td> </tr> <tr> <td>skip</td> <td>sled</td> <td>small</td> <td>snack</td> <td>step</td> <td>spot</td> <td>swim</td> <td>what</td> </tr> <tr> <td>skin</td> <td>slam</td> <td>smell</td> <td>snap</td> <td>stuff</td> <td>spin</td> <td></td> <td>you</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>slip</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>stop</td> <td>spell</td> <td></td> <td>down</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>still</td> <td>spill</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>stiff</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>stack</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table> <p>* We have a test every three weeks (Tri-Weekly) These words will be on the test scheduled for: December 6th</p> <p>* The test will include words from units 10, 11, and 12</p>	sk	sl	sm	sn	st	sp	sw	Tricky Words	skip	sled	small	snack	step	spot	swim	what	skin	slam	smell	snap	stuff	spin		you		slip			stop	spell		down					still	spill							stiff								stack			
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Ways to Help Your Child at Home:

- * Ask your child to tell you three things they are thankful for this holiday season.
- * Give your child random numbers from 1-99 and have them tell you how many tens and ones are in each number.
- * Read fiction books and have your child practice retelling the story in their own words.



Mrs. Whelan's
Weekly News

Dear Fabulous First Grade Families,

First and foremost, I wish each of you a happy, healthy and relaxing Thanksgiving. This is a short week, but below will detail what we plan to accomplish. PLEASE consider signing up for an item for our Holidays Around the World unit. It is extensive and we still have many missing items. If you are willing to help, please sign up for item(s) at:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0b48a8aa22a31-holidays5>

This week in **Math**, we will continue to practice place value (tens and ones) and comparing numbers to identify more/less. In **Reading**, children will listen to Thanksgiving stories and write a retell of the story. We will also practice telling a Thanksgiving rebus story. In **Writing**, we will continue to work on writing a persuasive letter for something we want to change or improve at school. In **Letterland**, we'll review the words listed above with sk, sl, sm, sn, st, sp, and sw. In **Science**, we will explore soil. We will gather a soil sample from the playground and examine it. We will also talk about organic and inorganic matter.

Happy Thanksgiving!



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