



Mrs. Boyer's First Grade Newsletter

October 7, 2016

Upcoming Events

Monday, October 10th: No School –
Columbus Day

Friday, October 14th: Scholastic
Order due

Friday, October 28th: Tip Off

Monday, October 31st:
- Spirit wear
- Halloween (details coming soon)

Tuesday, November 1st:
- All Saints Mass

Next Week's Word Wall Words

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What We Are Learning

Reading: The students were engaged in visualizing stories. We also explored poetry and discussed the use of rhythm and repetition.

Language Arts: We began our study of nouns. The students recognize that nouns name people, places, things and animals. We also began plural nouns.

Math: We began our study of subtraction. I have uploaded a song/chant that we have learned to remind students to begin with the whole to the class website.

Social Studies: In honor of Monday's holiday, the students learned all about the famous explorer, Christopher Columbus.

Religion– We have begun our discussion about Saints. This will carry us through the next few weeks in preparation for All Saints Day.

Notes

There have been some questions from students about the recent news items regarding scary clowns. Some students are more nervous by this than others. If this is a concern for your child, please consider discussing it at home. In preparation for Halloween, we will review safety tips and "stranger danger". Please know that our message at SJS is that school is a safe place. If there is imminent danger, the AHPD notifies the school. We will then be advised to pass that along to you. Thank you for your help in reassuring our students!