

Friday News

Upcoming Events:

Sept. 29

Field Trip to Tempe Center for the Arts

Week of Oct. 2

Recitations to be presented

Oct. 6

No school-staff development day

October 9-13

Fall Break

October 16

No School—Staff development day

October 20

Fall Festival

Personal Timelines project

Next week your child will bring home a two-week assignment to turn the information from their small time line (completed this past week), into a big timeline. These timelines make a great hallway display for parent-teacher conferences - coming in October - so please plan to get an early start and encourage careful writing and artwork on the papers.

Paperwork for parent teacher conferences will be coming home next week. This is to get your choices as to when you can meet. PLEASE review the paper and return it to your child's teacher ASAP so that they can begin the planning of your parent teacher conference. YOU WILL be notified when the actual conference is AFTER fall break.

What we do in First Grade!

Recitation coming soon

A reminder that your child is expected to recite a poem in front of the class, from memory, the week before Fall Break (week of Oct. 2 Poems went home in last week's newsletter and are attached below). You can always pull up the newsletter from our class website.

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Phonograms:

i v h g o th
 er ea c a ch ng
 y s ee ay ir h m
 ar ai j p f t

1 day	6 box	11 yes	16 yard	21 law	26 home
2 eat	7 school	12 low	17 bring	22 ask	27 much
3 sits	8 belong	13 soft	18 tell	23 just	28 call
4 sit	9 door	14 stands	19 five	24 way	29 long
5 lot	10 floor	15 stand	20 ball	25 get	30 love

Spelling list 5

Recitation choice 1:

September Rhyme

S-E-P T-E-M B, E, R

Football games, raking leaves

Allergies that make me sneeze!

Achoo! Achoo! Achoo!

I like September.

Recitation choice 2:

Rags

My little puppy's

name is Rags

He eats so much

that his tummy sags

His ears flip-flop

and his tail wig-wags

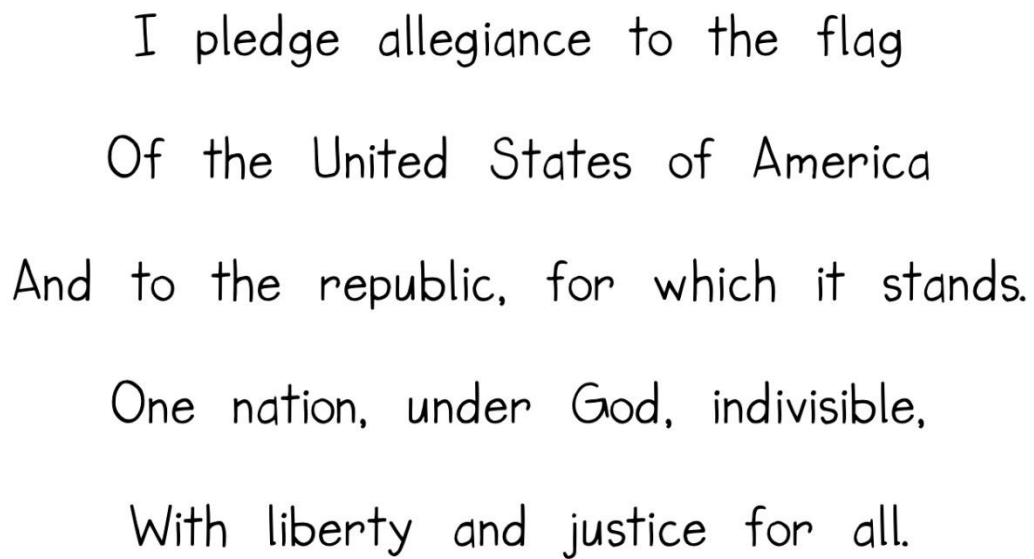
And when he walks

he zigs and zags

Flip-flop ... wig-wag ... zig-zag

Flip-flop ... wig-wag ... zig-zag

Recitation choice 3:



I pledge allegiance to the flag
Of the United States of America
And to the republic, for which it stands.
One nation, under God, indivisible,
With liberty and justice for all.

K/1 Oral Recitation Rubric

Student's name: _____

Completion date: _____

4 point Rubric**4 points**

- Student makes few or no mistakes when speaking.
- Student makes consistent eye contact with audience.
- Student exhibits good posture.
- Student uses a strong, clear voice when speaking.
- Student has memorized passage; needs two or fewer prompts from the teacher.
- Student recites at a consistent rate.

3 points

- Student makes few mistakes when speaking.
- Student attempts eye contact with audience.
- Student exhibits good posture.
- Student speaks at an audible level.
- Student has memorized passage; may need three-five prompts from the teacher.
- Student recites at a consistent rate.

2 points

- Student makes many mistakes when speaking.
- Student makes limited eye contact with audience.
- Student exhibits slumped posture or fidgets.
- Student speaks at an audible level.
- Student has not memorized passage.

1 point

- Student made an attempt to recite passage.
- Student has little or no eye contact with audience.
- Student exhibits poor posture or fidgets excessively.
- Student's voice is not audible to the audience.
- Student has not memorized passage.