



1ST GRADE NEWS



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First Grade Classroom Newsletter

Reading Conference

First grade teachers will be attending a reading conference on Monday and Tuesday. We will be back ready to use the new information we learn on Wednesday. We are looking forward to learning about the latest research on the science of reading.

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Conferences are right around the corner. Please be looking for information on the scheduling of conferences. We are looking forward to meeting with you!

Dates to Remember

Viking Voyage 5K

- Friday, March 9th

Wendy's Dine Out

- Wednesday, March 14

Parent/Teacher Conferences

- Wed, March 14 & Thurs, March 15

Spring Break

- March 19-23

What We Are Learning

- Reading/Phonics: Vowel pair: oa, ow (continued)
- Writing: Informational Writing
- Red bird/ sight word: where, there
- Math: Strategies for Solving Change or Addend Unknown problems

Spelling

Rule: When two vowels are together in a word, the first one usually says its long name and the second one is quiet. This week we are focusing on oa, ow.

Rule: Spell the long /o/ sound oa in the middle of a word and ow at the end of the word **most of the time.**

***We will continue working with oa and ow another week.**

Examples:

Boat
Float
Coast

Show
Blow
Throw

If you ever have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact your child's teacher at denniea@conwayschools.net, ortegal@conwayschools.net, williams@conwayschools.net or 501-450-4870.