



## **Read All About It!** **September News for Room 12**

I hope that everyone had a fun and exciting summer. I am looking forward to a wonderful year here in First Grade. This is what we will be working on in September:

**Math:** We will be working on Addition Concepts (chapters 1-2). On Back to School Night I will be giving you the Table of Contents from the math workbook. This will show you exactly what we will be learning in each unit.

**Language Arts:** We have started our first unit in *Open Court* which is called *Let's Read*. In this unit the students will be exploring sounds, letter patterns, and literature that encourages a love of reading.

**Spelling:** We are working on letter formation and spelling dictation.

**Science:** We will be learning about our five senses and colors.

**Social Studies:** We will be learning about how to make rules, our countries flag, and respect.

**Music:** We will have Music for Minors taught by Mrs. Bosch. Thank you for volunteering!

### Reminders:

- ❑ The first homework packet will go home on Monday September 17<sup>th</sup> and will be due on Friday the 21<sup>st</sup>. Homework is due on Fridays, and your child will receive a new homework packet on Monday.
- ❑ Please have your child wear or bring tennis shoes every Monday, Thursday, and Friday for P.E.
- ❑ On Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday school is dismissed at 2:50. On Wednesday school is dismissed at 1:15. On the first Wednesday of the month dismissal is at 12:05.

### Special Events

- September 21: We will have a substitute teacher.
- September 25: Back to School Night

### Calling All Volunteers

Thank you to all the parents who signed up to staple Take Home Decodable Books. I will be sending home ripped out books for you to staple. I will include directions. There will be more information about the curriculum, in-class volunteers, and classroom procedures during the Back to School Night Presentation.