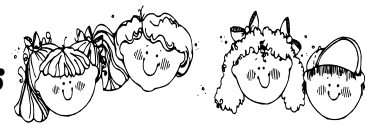


# Mrs. Hall's First Grade Weekly News



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Plan Time: 12:55 – 1:45

**BRRRRRRRRRR!**

Please send coats, mittens, gloves and hats..... Every day!

We will continue to have outside recess unless the temperature falls below a 'feels like' 20 degrees.

We have a morning and an afternoon recess daily!



Smiles  
to YOU  
this  
Christmas!



**= MATH**

This week we began exploring Module 3: Properties of Operations to make problems easier.

Module 3 marks a critical moment in grade 1 when students transition away from finding totals by counting all (Level 1 strategy) or counting on (Level 2 strategy) to finding totals by making an equivalent yet easier problem (Level 3 strategy).

To use level 3 strategies successfully, students must think about numbers flexibly. This involves decomposing and composing numbers. While we are adding to what we have already learned in Module 1 and 2 and our level of skill and thinking is higher, we will continue to use pictures, counter and/or cubes to help us solve for a total.



**AMP Rotation**

12/9 – 12/13

Mon.  
PE

Tues.  
Art

Wed.  
Music

Thurs.  
PE

Fri.  
Art

**GO TEAM GO!**

**Happy Birthday**



Jude Miller - December 7th  
Gabe Aiman --- December 8th

**Super Scientist**

We have loved exploring our Unit 2 Science curriculum this week! We have been reading, observing, discussing and learning about Earth and Space.

Vocabulary covered: daytime, nighttime, sun, rotate, planet and why we have day and night.



Supper Talk: As you eat dinner with your kiddo ask them about our science learning and if they can define – tell you about – the vocabulary terms above.

**DON'T FORGET!**

☆ Library book Swap --

Wednesday, December 11th.  
Please return library books so new ones can be checked out

☆ EVERY DAY COUNTS

JC Schools Attendance Matters

☆ Times to remember:

7:45 School Begins

11:15 Lunch

12:55 AMPS

2:45 Dismissal

