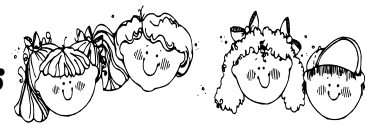


Mrs. Hall's First Grade Weekly News



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Plan Time: 12:55 – 1:45

We leave this week feeling empowered and proud as we learned about the important work and contributions of civil rights activist -- Martin Luther King Jr. and Rosa Parks. Exploring a new genre of books, we enjoyed reading biographies about both of these people and most importantly learning about the important work that they did for us! Because of their dedication and contributions, today we are..... stronger/better TOGETHER!

Your shell does not determine your importance!

Taking our learning from Martin Luther King Jr. and Rosa Parks a bit further Friday afternoon we had fun experimenting and exploring with a white and brown egg?

Before cracking the two eggs open to see the insides ARE the SAME; just because the outsides look different, we observed how the eggs were the same and how they were different. Then the FUN part came and Mrs. Hall cracked both eggs open for us to observe and connect the important work of Martin Luther King Jr. and Rosa Parks. Our shells do not matter! It is what is on the inside that counts. We are all the same, equal and loved!

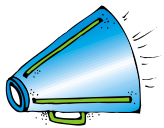


The last few weeks we've been exploring Topic D of Module 3: Properties of Operations to make easier problems.

We've been busy exploring two-digit numbers and the units of tens and ones. We've moved from identifying 10 ones to creating a unit, group, of 10.

The unit of 10 is the foundation for our whole number system. All units (tens, hundreds, thousands, etc) are composed of ten. Seeing, reading and drawing the ten as a whole, a unit, a group will help us to understand, represent and work with larger numbers.

We practice and apply our learning of tens and ones each morning during calendar time as we work together to model and record how many days we've been in school.



AMP Rotation

1/27 – 1/31

Mon.
Art

Tues.
Music

Wed.
PE

Thurs.
Art

Fri.
Music

GO TEAM GO!



Life's most persistent and urgent question is, 'What are you doing for others?'

~ Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

'a cup
of
cheer'



Did You Know...

Martin Luther King Jr. was the youngest person to receive the Nobel Peace Prize at the age of 35.

The Montgomery Bus Boycott, ignited by Rosa Parks refusal to give up her seat to a white man, lasted for 381 days.

DON'T FORGET!

☆ Coats, Hats and gloves!

We will have outside recess as long as the 'feels like' temperature is 20+

☆ LIBRARY DAY is on Mondays.

Please return library books so new ones can be checked out.

☆ Planetarium field trip
permission slip and \$5 DUE

☆ Field Trip to Rockbridge
Planetarium -- Friday, January 31st

