

# READ OWL ABOUT IT!

## First Grade



3/6/20

### Upcoming Events

3/6	Scholastic book order due
3/20	School dismissed at 12:05
3/23-27	Spring Break! No School
4/9	Kindergarten Registration
4/10	No School! SIP Day!
5/15	Relay for Life
5/22	Last Day of School



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### L.A. Log Reading

This week we read the story *Butterfly*. This was a nonfiction story about the lifecycles of butterflies. Keep encouraging your child to read at home because the more practice they get, the better their reading will become. I have so many students that have turned in a bunch of reading logs. Keep up the great work! Students need 5 reading logs turned in by the end of the year. Please make sure you are practicing the sight words that your child doesn't know each night. The students should know how to read all of the sight words that we have introduced.

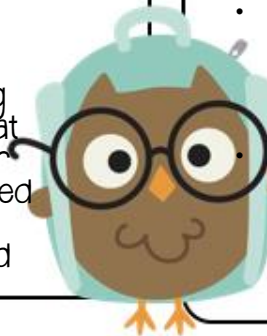
### Writing

We wrote persuasive pieces about an animal of their choosing. The students read nonfiction books about their animals to do research about their animals characteristics. On Monday, the students created an organizer with their facts about their animals to use for their final paragraphs on Thursday.

### Math Minutes

- Math Centers
- Topic 10: Adding with Tens and Ones
  - ❖ Lesson 1: Adding Groups of 10
  - ❖ Lesson 2: Adding Tens on a Hundred Chart
  - ❖ Lesson 3: Adding Tens to Two-Digit Numbers
  - ❖ Lesson 4: Using Mental Math to Add Tens
  - ❖ Lesson 5: Adding to a Two-Digit Number

Please make sure you are practicing addition math facts with your child at night to help with their recall of their facts. After your student has passed the addition facts he/she will move onto subtraction facts for the timed tests.



### Reminders

- Over the next few weeks I will be assessing students on skills for their 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter report card. A few weeks ago I sent home a list of the sight words that they need to work on reading quickly. I will retest these again right before spring break. Please practice these words at home.
- The kids had a blast this week celebrating Dr. Seuss' birthday. They loved dressing up each day and reading the Dr. Seuss book that went along with that days theme. We also learned a little bit about Dr. Seuss' life. Remember that the students are dismissed at 12:05 on March 20<sup>th</sup> for spring break. Please let me know if your child is going home a different way than normal that day.

**REMEMBER TO READ AT LEAST 20 MINUTES EACH NIGHT!**