# 1st Grade News March 4, 2024



#### **Colonial Day**

On March 8th our students will travel back in time to colonial America! Students may dress up in colonial garb or their school uniform. Please remember not to have weapons of any kind as part of the costume.



### In Our Curriculum:

#### **Core Knowledge**

**Colonies:** We will finish up our study of the colonies and start preparing for Colonial Day.

#### **Poetry**

Washington
By Nancy Byrd Turner
Due: Week of March. 18th
\*Paper copy has been sent home in
folders.

#### **Counting Counts!**

Practicing forward and backward will help support your child as they add and subtract numbers. Car rides are a great time to practice! Count forward and backwards by 1s, 2s, 5s, and 10s. It's important to start at different numbers, such as starting at 23 and counting forward by 2s. Or starting at 85 and counting backwards by 5s.

#### Math

We will finish up our chapter on grouping and sharing. Important math phrasing includes;

Groups vs. Groups of

How many groups?

How many in each group?

4 threes = 12 (example)

#### **Spelling**

Spelling Lists: 41 & 42
Spelling lists

#### Concert

All students will see the concert in the morning on the 12th. Please do not check out older siblings from their classrooms until AFTER the 2:00 concert. This ensures there is enough seating for all parents/grandparents attending.

## Important Dates:

March 8th-Colonial Day

Sock Hop @ North 4-5:30 pm

**March 10th—**Daylight Savings

March 12th— 1st/2nd grade concert - 2:00pm

\*dress up day (dresses, suits, ties, etc. or uniform)

March 15th Pi Day -Denim Day

March 25th-29th-Spring Break

**April 5th** Titan Buddy - Denim Day

**April 12th** - Progress Reports Go Home

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"The turning points of lives are not the great moments. The real crises are often concealed in occurrences so trivial in appearance that they pass unobserved."

George Washington