



# Weekly Update – Week 3

## September 10

We're settling into our routines and are starting to really move forward into content. As this year really gets rolling, please always remember that I'm here for anything you might need. Your students are my top priority, and I want to support you the best way I can.

1<sup>st</sup> Graders will begin their first round of NWEA testing on Monday morning. Please help us out by making sure your child has had a good night's rest and is at school on time to start their day.

### Look at what we're learning!

#### Math

We have started diligently working our way through Chapter 1 which focuses on addition concepts. So far we've discussed using objects to add, writing number sentences, and adding zero. Your kids obviously had an incredible kindergarten teacher because they are doing AMAZINGLY well!

#### Reading

I hear every day how badly these kids want to learn to read! They're constantly telling me that they want to get better and learn more, and I know they're on their way to doing just that. We've been working a lot on phonemic awareness this week (working with words through listening rather than print) and they're catching on to some concepts that will help them a great deal later when words are applied.

### Looking Ahead

September 13 – 1<sup>st</sup> Grade NWEA Testing

September 20 – 1<sup>st</sup> Grade NWEA Testing

September 22 – Full Day of School  
(No afternoon bus)

September 28 – Happy Birthday, Alyssa!

September 29 – Non-Uniform  
Virtuous Student

October 26 – Kindergarten & 1<sup>st</sup> Grade  
Country Mill Field Trip

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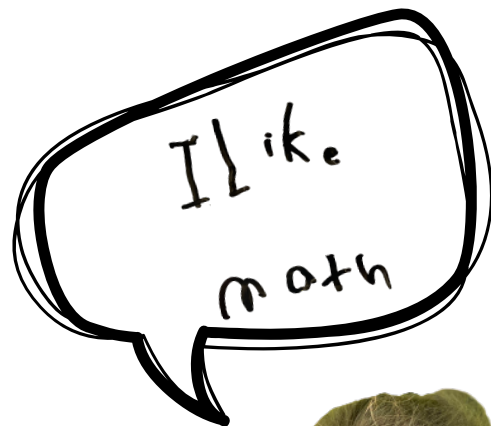
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# September

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
13 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade NWEA Testing	14	15	16	17
20 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade NWEA Testing	21	22 <i>Full day of school – no afternoon bus</i>	23	24 Scholastic Orders Due 
27	28 Happy Birthday, Alyssa! 	29 Non-Uniform Virtuous Student Celebration	30	1
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## Student Spotlight Meet Aurora!

When asked what Aurora's favorite part of first grade was, she said she likes math.



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