



First Grade

News

What's Happening in
Mrs. Gascon's Classroom



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Issue 6: Christmas Time is Here!



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Twass the Week Before Christmas Break...

It is hard to believe that next week is our last week of school before Christmas Break! I just wanted to fill you in on some things that will be different next week. First of all, there will be no spelling list or test next week. Spelling words will resume when we come back in January. Also, next week we will have Christmas themed homework instead of our usual Saxon Homework. As a reminder, the Christmas Party will be Friday from 2-3:15. Thanks to all the parents who have signed up to help out and to all of you for bringing in one bag of candy for decorating! One final note about next week, our class is making a *very special and fragile* Christmas keepsake for your Christmas Tree! After the Christmas Concert on Thursday, please come by my classroom to pick up this craft! Thank you very much!

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Mrs. Gascon's Reminders

Reading Log

Please remember to fill in the Reading Log each night! *Instead of being due on the December 21st, please have your child's log **signed and totaled** for Wednesday, Dec. 19!!*

Library

While we had a couple weeks with a mixed up schedule, we are now back to our usual library routine. We have library every Thursday afternoon. Please help your child remember to pack their library book on Wednesday night. First graders can always turn in their book early to avoid missing a Star Point. Thank you!

Sight Words

When we get back from Christmas Break, it will almost be the end of the second quarter. Here is an updated list of sight words for you to practice at home. Thank you!

Am	could	get	one	the
Are	do	have	of	to
Be	does	he	our	this
Because	done	I	people	their
Been	didn't	into	said	there
Brought	don't	like	sure	two
Bought	from	my	says	they
Come	friend	me	she	your
Color	goes	know	some	very
Can	give	no	should	will
Thought	you	where	won't	want
Won't	with	who	would	what

Odds and Ends

Hats, Gloves, Snow Pants and Boots!

As the first snow of the season begins to fall, I would like to remind you to label all of your child's snow gear! As a school policy, if there is significant snow on the playground, your child will be required to wear snow pants and boots to play. If they are missing these two articles of clothing, they will be able to use the black top only at recess. In the past, I have had many students bring in similar snow pants, boots, etc. Thank you in advance for labeling all snow gear, as it will make it much easier for our class to get outside and pack up at the end of the day!