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# FIRST GRADE CLASS NEWS

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## We're Flying High Over...

### Special Topics We're Studying

\*\*\*In math we are working on Topic 17 which is about Subtraction Facts to 18.

\*\*\*Practice writing numbers to 120 by ones, tens and fives. Practice counting by twos up to 30. Practice counting backwards from 30.

\*\*\*Practice saying the greater number. Our spring goal is to be able to say **29 numbers** in one minute.

\*\*\*Continue practicing addition and subtraction facts. Our 4th quarter goal is **12 facts** in one minute.

\*\*\*Continue to have your child practice recognizing coins, telling how much each one is worth, and counting change up to \$1.00.

\*\*\*Practice telling time to the hour and the half hour on analog and digital clocks.

\*\*\*We are learning about the rainforest for unit time.

### Specialist schedule:

Day 1 - Science and Library

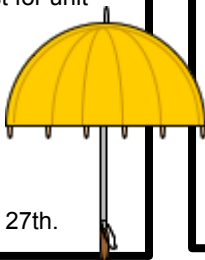
Day 2 - Gym and Music

Day 3 - Computer and Music

Day 4 - Learning Lab and Gym

Day 5 - Music and Gym

We will be on **Day 2** for Monday, April 27th.



## Upcoming Events

**We will be collecting coins for the rainforest until May 8th. See attached information.**

April 30 - Junior High POPS Concert

May 7 - Elementary Band/Choir Concert

May 8 - Senior High Band POPS Concert

May 10 - Mothers' Day

May 14 - Senior High Choir POPS Concert

May 15 - Field Day

May 21 - Graduation

May 22 - Jazz in the Park



## Three Cheers For...

-Earth Day!!!

-all of the children who are bringing in coins for the rain forest!!!



Pine City  
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## Next Week...

Remember to have your child work on their **April book log**. Remember to work on your child's **April math calendar**. Practice saying the greater number, complete the addition and subtraction timings that are sent home every Friday. Do the math homework and play the math games that come home with each newsletter. They all count for math minutes. **Both are due at the end of the month.**

Homework is attached. Return it by Wednesday. Newsletters and homework can be found online at [mrsosterdyk.weebly.com](http://mrsosterdyk.weebly.com)

**Please have your child dress for the weather. We go outside everyday unless it is raining.**

Show and Tell will be on Fridays.  
Please call or send a note if you want to share a pet.

**Just a  
Reminder**