

# —WELCOME— BACK TO SCHOOL

**Litel Elementary First Grade**  
**2022 - 2023**

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**Mrs. Barbosa**  
**Mrs. Tachias**  
**Mrs. Whippo**



**Principal – Mr. Durkin**  
**Assistant Principal – Ms. Graham**





# CLASS

*schedule*



## Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

7:50-8:20 DELD/Morning work

8:20-9:20 ELA-Wonders

**9:20-9:33 Morning Recess**

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9:33-10:00 ELA-Wonders Cont.

10:00-10:20 Physical Education

10:20-11:10 ELA/Writing

**11:10-11:50 Lunch**

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11:50-1:20 Math

**1:20-1:33 Recess**

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1:33-2:30 Science/S.S.

**2:30 Dismissal**

## Wednesdays

7:50-8:20 DELD/Morning work review

8:20-8:50 Second Step

8:50-9:10 Physical Education

9:10-10:00 ELA-Wonders

**10:00-10:30 Lunch**

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10:30-11:20 Math

**11:20 Dismissal**

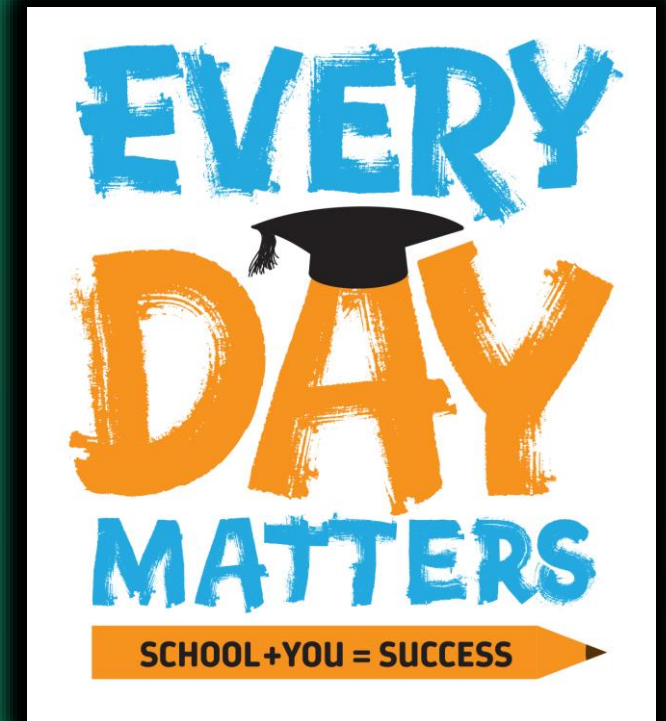




# Attendance



- Build the Habit of Good Attendance Early!
  - School and Student **Success Depends on it!**
- Please contact the office to report an absence at **(909) 591-1336**.
- Contacting the teacher about an absence is **not the same** as clearing the absence with the office.
- If your child is **feeling sick**, please **keep him or her home**.



# CLASSROOM

# NORMS



# Litel Lions **ROAR** with Pride

## In a 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Classroom



Be

**R**esponsible

- ✓ Always do your best
- ✓ Finish work
- ✓ Speak using complete sentences
- ✓ Clean up

Be

**O**ptimistic

- ✓ Never give up
- ✓ Check your work
- ✓ Keep trying
- ✓ Be Positive

Be

**A**ccountable

- ✓ Ready to learn
- ✓ Learn from mistakes

Be

**R**espectful

- ✓ Be Kind
- ✓ Listen to others
- ✓ Keep your hands and feet to yourself
- ✓ Raise your hand to speak



# Behavior

## *Rewards and Consequences*



### Rewards

- Verbal Praise
- Class Rewards
- Group Rewards
- Stickers
- Leaders of the Pride tickets



### Consequences

1

Warning

2

Miss part of  
recess (Review  
ROAR  
Expectations)

3

Miss part of  
recess (Parent  
Notifications)



# CURRICULUM





# Curriculum

## Language Arts

- McGraw Hill Connect Ed (Wonders)

## Math

- SAVVAS Easybridge

## Social Studies

- Understand the concepts of units taught:
  - Civics
  - Government
  - Economics
  - History
  - Geography

## Science

### New TWIG Science Curriculum

- Plant Shapes
- Animal Sounds
- Shadows and Lights
- Patterns of motion of objects in the sky.



# Writing

- Please have your child **write** as **independently** as possible.
- Have him/her **sound out the words** the best they can
- Detail sentences should have **at least 5 words**

## Writing Format



Topic Sentence

First, ...

Next, ...

Last, ...

Conclusion Sentence



*A detailed Step Up to Writing info sheet is located on our Classroom website.*



# Curriculum (continued)



## Second Step

- Skills for Learning
- Empathy
- Emotion Management
- Problem Solving

## Physical Education (PE)

- You have the opportunity to join the 100 mile club!

## Prodigy Math Accelerated Reader (AR)







25 Miles =

T-Shirt

50 Miles =

100 mile club pencil

75 Miles =

100 mile club bracelet

100 Miles =

**Gold** Medal to  
commemorate the hard  
work all year long!

- Our school is sending home information about The 100 Mile Club.
- All students will be participating by running at P.E. time with their class along with other activities.
- This is a great way for students to have a goal and be celebrated along the way.
- The fee, if you choose to have your child join, is **\$12.00**.
- Your child may receive the following once he/she achieves to the miles listed.
- We will be running as a class for P.E. without enrollment in 100 Mile Club.

# Homework



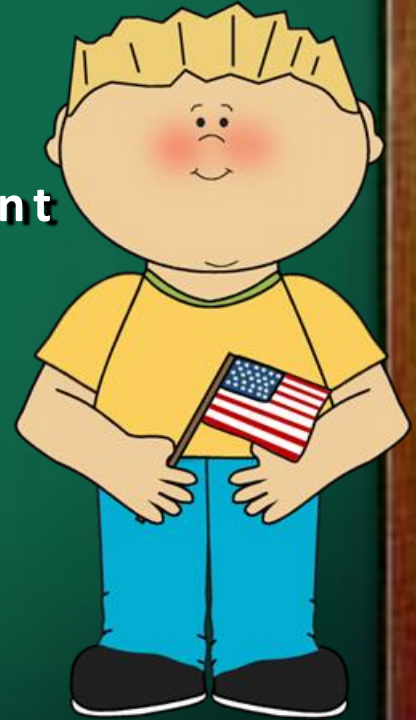
- Homework is given on **Monday** and due on **Friday**.
- You will have a **Weekly Writing Assignment**
  - Please use the Step Up to Writing guidelines.
- **Read Every Day!**
- You may also do:
  - Prodigy



# Homework (cont.)



- **Speaking Assignment**
  - One per month.
  - It will be assigned at the beginning of the month and due the last week of the month.
  - Please practice the speech daily and be prepared.
- **Student of the Week**
  - Each week there will be a student of the week, that student will present a poster, provided by me.
  - They will bring in their favorite book, or pick from my library, to share with the class.
  - Information will be sent home the week prior.





# Grading Scale



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## Excelling

- Students are consistently performing at grade level, can demonstrate independence, and can extend the grade level standards.

3

## Achieving

- Students have an adequate understanding of, and ability to, apply skills needed to meet grade level standards.

2

## Progressing

- Students are partially meeting the grade level standards.

1

## Beginning/Not Met

- Students are not yet meeting the grade level standards.



# 1:1 Chromebook

- Each student is issued a Chromebook for **in-class use only**.
- Please bring headphones (inexpensive) to school that will be **left at school all year**.



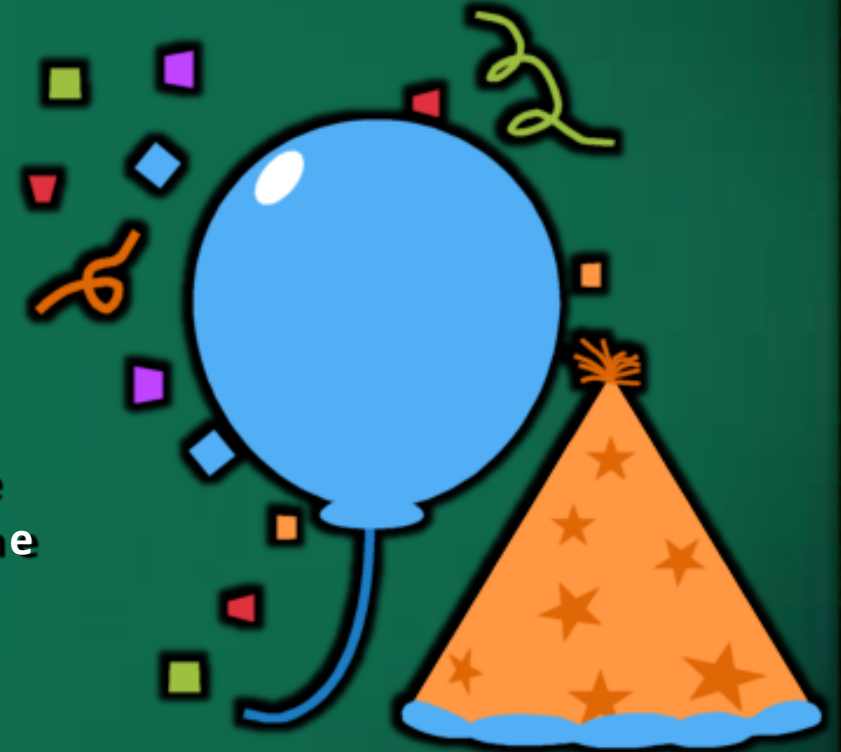
# Classroom Celebrations



- ★ Literacy Day Parade/Fall Party (Oct. 28<sup>th</sup>)
- ★ Winter Party (Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>)
- ★ Friendship Party (Feb. 14<sup>th</sup>)
  
- ★ We must adhere to nutrition guidelines found on the district website.

## Birthdays

- If you would like to bring goodie bags to celebrate your child's birthday, they will be passed out at the end of the school day.
  
- Due to a variety of student allergies, food items should be limited. Please no food containing NUTS.





# Litel PTA



- Support our school and join the PTA today at [litelpta.com](http://litelpta.com). You can also go to Litel's webpage.
- Contact Info:
  - Please like us on Facebook ([Gerald F. Litel-PTA](#)) and visit our website ([litelpta.com](http://litelpta.com)) to sign up for our newsletters.
- Spirit Wear:
  - Spirit wear can be ordered online at [litelpta.com](http://litelpta.com).

A decorative border surrounds the central image, featuring various school supplies and cartoon characters. At the top, there's a row of items including a pencil, a red triangle character, a ruler, several colored pencils, a red apple, and a pencil. On the left side, there's a red alarm clock and a green backpack. On the right side, there's a large cartoon notepad character and a pink backpack. At the bottom, there are more colored pencils and two small yellow cartoon characters.

*Looking Forward to a*  
***GREAT YEAR!!***

Mrs. Whippo

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**ABC**