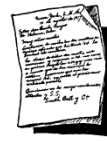


Please return the First Grader of the Week bag on Monday ready for the ENTIRE week. This includes the 7 habits binder and notebook, parent letter, pictures and sharing items.



MONDAY

Parent Letter: Parents will write a letter to the class telling us how special your child is to you. Send the letter in a sealed envelope to school with your child and we will read the letter to the class at the class meeting. The content of the letter is up to you, but you may want to choose from the following ideas: special or funny stories about your child, a silly or serious poem about your child or some neat things we may not know about your child! It is up to you!



TUESDAY

Pictures: Students can bring 5-7 photos of themselves to share with their friends and display on the "First Grader of the Week" board!

WEDNESDAY



Sharing Sack: On the Friday before, the next "First Grader of the Week" will take a backpack home. Students will have the weekend to collect 3 special items with which to fill the bag at home and bring it back to share with their classmates on Tuesday,



THURSDAY

Friendship Letter: The "First Grader of the Week" will be presented with friendship letters created by his or her classmates. The letters will include compliments written by his or her classmates.



FRIDAY

Lunch Buddy: If possible, join your child in the cafeteria for a special lunch on this day. You may also choose to invite a favorite relative to be your child's buddy. You can have the buddy be a surprise or let your child know ahead of time.



The events planned for the week can be swapped in order to accommodate your personal schedules if you are planning to be a lunch buddy during the week. We have also had families in the past send in the sharing sack on Mondays with everything ready to go for the week!