Week of: October 31

Room 117

# Mrs. Krausmann's 1st Grade Classroom News

Important Dates:	Specials for the Week:
<ul> <li>10/31: Halloween! <ul> <li>8:45 Parade</li> <li>9:30 Classroom Parties</li> <li>10:30 Assembly</li> <li>11:30 Dismissal</li> </ul> </li> <li>11/1: Seussical Musical @ 9:30 at Parcells. <ul> <li>\$5/student. Please sign and return permission slip forms a.s.a.p! The play is the day after Halloween!</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Monday: Music</li> <li>Tuesday: Gym-shoes</li> <li>Wednesday: Library (Bring Back Book)</li> <li>Thursday: Art-smock</li> <li>Friday: Music</li> </ul>
<b>Weekly Words:</b> <b>Word Family</b> : -ame <b>Sight Words:</b> as, for, or, on of Spelling tests are given every <u>Friday</u> on the si	
Classroom Info	:
<b>Reading:</b> What a fun week in reading! We've practiced books for independent reading time. Student Halloween themed mentor texts!	

#### Writing:

Halloween has inspired us in writing! We completed activities after reading from mentor texts that included characters such as Itchy Witchy, Teeny Tiny Woman, and The Little Old Lady Who Wasn't Afraid of Anything! Math:

We began unit 2 in math that focuses on addition strategies. We learned the game Roll and Total to introduce the concept of counting on. We also played some Halloween math games!

#### Science/Social Studies:

Students labeled a map our classroom in aerial perspective last week and

continue to practice cardinal directions. We've been inspired by fall and investigated pumpkins, leaves, and enjoyed a fall walk outside!

### Krausmann's Comments:

• Fun Run Thank You! A gigantic THANK YOU to all who helped make our Fun Run such a success! All of your donations help our school throughout the year and make Mason such a great place to be!



# Halloween Plans:

Please make sure that you have sent in your Halloween Donation items! Our class party depends on them! Thank you!!

- 8:45 Parade Students will walk around Mason (weather permitting) shortly after the entry bell. Drop off your first grader as usual then find a good spot out front/by the parking lot/along Charlevoix to capture a great photo!
- 9:30 Classroom Parties: Adults are welcome to join us! Students will make two crafts, eat healthy but fun treats & play Halloween Bingo & Pass the Pumpkin! We will also have a Dance Party!
- 10:30 Assembly: There will be seats in the back for adults if you plan to attend the classroom party.
- 11:30 Dismissal
  - Note: Passing out candy for Halloween is NOT required. If you DO send your first grader in with small treats, pencils, erasers, etc. please be sure you have enough for all 27 students.

Have a great weekend!

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