

# FIRST GRADE DISTANT LEARNING: APRIL 13-17TH



We hope you can spend a little time each day practicing some reading, writing & math, and feel free to keep us posted with pictures of your great practicing! Your teacher has sent your child's new weekly packet to your email or classroom platform. If you have questions, your teacher's office hours for each day are noted below, so we will be fast to respond to emails with questions, concerns, or happy share-outs during those hours.

Please note that this packet and any online links will now be given an effort grade. We are asking for you to return this packet, or supply pictures so that we know you have practiced the skills for the week. Our Distant Learning grading system will simply be based on efforts for reading, writing and math, and your child will receive a "Pass" or "Incomplete" grade.

Our first grade weekly packet comes with daily practice pages so your child can continue to work on some of our most important first grade goals:

READING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>+ Phonics</li><li>+ Sight words</li><li>+ Reading fluency with decodable grade level text(s)</li><li>+ Comprehension - Characters, setting, sequencing and main idea and details</li></ul>
WRITING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>+ Responding to a given topic with 3 or more sentences</li><li>+ First grade conventions: capitals at the beginning of a sentence, punctuation at the end of a sentence, spaces between each word, using stretch spelling method &amp; first grade spelling patterns, and proofread sentences aloud to determine if they have good word order</li></ul>
MATH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>+ Operations &amp; Algebraic Thinking</li><li>+ Determining an unknown number in an addition or subtraction sentence (Think: Number Bonds.....Part + Part = Whole &amp; Whole - Part = Part)</li></ul>

This packet comes with choices for your practice, a GIANT air hug, an elbow high five, and lots of happy and healthy wishes! We miss you, but we hope to see you very soon!

Love,

Mrs. Blatner, Ms. Schilling & Mrs. Simonsen

## ONLINE TEACHER OFFICE HOURS:



MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY - 10:00AM-12:00PM

\*WEDNESDAYS WE WILL NOT HAVE OFFICE HOURS, AS THIS DAY IS RESERVED FOR DISTRICT & STAFF MEETINGS & ONLINE TRAININGS

Mrs. Blatner - [tasha@banks.k12.or.us](mailto:tasha@banks.k12.or.us) (or use Remind app)  
Ms. Schilling - [jos@banks.k12.or.us](mailto:jos@banks.k12.or.us) (or use Bloomz app)  
Mrs. Simonsen - [cindys@banks.k12.or.us](mailto:cindys@banks.k12.or.us) (or use Bloomz)

# FIRST GRADE DISTANT LEARNING SCHEDULE:

<p>READING: STORY TIME  (30 MINUTES)</p>	<p>All reading is great reading! <u>We ask that you read and reread the grade level texts provided in your packet daily, in addition to other reading choices.</u> We request you spend a little time each day reading stories by yourself or with a family member. You can also pick review stories from past homework packets, stories you have around your house, or reading stories from our online resources noted below.</p> <p>*Online Resources: <a href="http://www.epic.com">www.epic.com</a> &amp; <a href="https://connected.mcgraw-hill.com/school/3x7e">https://connected.mcgraw-hill.com/school/3x7e</a></p>
<p>READING: PHONICS &amp; SIGHT WORD PRACTICE  (30 MINUTES)</p>	<p>You have all been making great progress with our first grade phonics &amp; sight word practice this year. We encourage you to continue to practice these skills so you stay fresh and fast. <u>We ask that you focus on the new spelling &amp; sight words included in your packet. The handouts included in the packet should look familiar and should be relatively independent for your child. They will need just a little introduction and assistance with the new skills/words.</u> You can find words/skills in stories, make flash cards, make spelling/sight word Bingo, or make up your own favorite way to practice. We also ask that you continue to practice those nonsense words in your packet too.</p> <p>*Online Resources: <a href="http://www.spellingcity.com">www.spellingcity.com</a> &amp; <a href="https://connected.mcgraw-hill.com/school/3x7e">https://connected.mcgraw-hill.com/school/3x7e</a></p>
<p>WRITING PRACTICE  (30 MINUTES)</p>	<p>We have loved watching you get great at first grade conventions; capitals at the beginning, periods at the end, and spaces in between each word. We encourage you to continue to practice these skills, as well as practice your handwriting during this time. <u>Please choose writing prompts from your packet, or choose your own writing topic.</u> Don't forget to write 3 or more sentences for each writing prompt.</p> <p>*Online Resource: Send your teacher an email message</p>
<p>MATH PRACTICE  (30 MINUTES)</p>	<p><u>Please choose items from your packet to keep you fresh on a specific skill.</u> We encourage you to continue to find math all around you, and find easy ways to incorporate counting 0-120, write your numbers to 120, and adding and subtracting facts within 10. We have worked so hard this year on addition and subtraction strategies, so now is your time to show off at home. Make your own number line or ten frame, find your pocket, number bond chart, and have fun!</p> <p>*Online Resource: <a href="https://login.i-ready.com/">https://login.i-ready.com/</a> (we know you all remember your passwords, but if not just email your teacher)</p>
<p>MUSIC &amp; PE</p>	<p>Enjoy some of the fun ideas Mrs. Smith &amp; Mr. Tufts included in the packet, or join them on their links that will be emailed to you.</p> <p>*Online Resources: <a href="http://www.gonoodle.com">www.gonoodle.com</a></p>
<p>SCIENCE EXPLORATION</p>	<p>We encourage you to explore, dig, plant, bake, build, create and play outside or inside on those rainy days too.</p> <p>*Online Resources: <a href="http://www.mysterydoug.com">www.mysterydoug.com</a></p>
<p>ART EXPLORATION</p>	<p>We encourage you to explore, paint, draw, use playdoh, make sidewalk chalk art, dance, sing and play outside or inside.</p> <p>*Online Resources: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9tVfVvmJP7E">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9tVfVvmJP7E</a></p>



**BUT MOST IMPORTANTLY, SMILE & HAVE FUN!**