# First Grade News

## Mrs. Asher's Class

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#### We're Flying High Over...

We are learning about strategies to find the answers to facts to 18 in Topic 16 during math. Please practice counting pennies. nickels, dimes, and quarters to a dollar. Your

child should also know the value and name of these coins. Keep on working on touch

addition and subtraction and flash cards.

Please finish the timings that are sent home as extra practice. Work on saying the greater

number.

We are learning about caring for our earth during unit time. We learned about recycling, reducing, and reusing to help with waste management.

 April 20-May 8 -We will be collecting bennies and coins for the rain forest.

## Homework

- 1. Reading daily Take Home sheets or other reading homework.
- 2. Practice saying and writing numbers from 1-120.
- 2. Work on saying the greater number and memorizing math facts.
  - 4. Work on Math Minutes for April.
  - 5. Read for fun!
  - 6. Practice tying shoes.

### **Upcoming Events:**

April 20-May 8-Coin collection for the rain forest.

May 15-Field Day

May 26-Dragon End Zone May 27-Field Trip to Como Zoo

May 28-Last Day of school



If you are interested in chaperoning on the Como Zoo field trip please let me know. We will need about 2 more chaperones.

\*We will soon be doing a lot of testing in reading. One way you can help your child is to have him/her retell a story you have read.

#### Just a reminder:

\*Homework due on Wed.

\*Please be working on MATH minutes and read at least 5 books for April.

\*If you are interested in ordering books from the book club, please make checks out to Scholastic Book Clubs. This is the last book order for the vear.