



Sunday, January 29, 2023 Weekly Update for 1st Grade

FROM THE TEACHERS:

Catholic Schools Week Mass & Formal Uniform: Our Catholic Schools Week Mass will be held on Monday, January 30 at 10:30 a.m. in the SAC. Formal uniform is required for all K-8th grade students. Parents are invited and welcome to attend and must enter through the School Office and sign in. Students will sit with their Bear Prayer Partners.

Please review the Accelerated Reader (AR) information that went home with your student last week. This information explains the AR reading program and point expectations for each individual student during trimester two.

ELA Unit 4 begins this week. Your student will need to be ready to take a comprehension quiz each week on the stories we assign for Wednesday night's homework. The quiz is 7 questions long and focuses on details and vocabulary words found in the story.

The 100th Day of School is Tuesday, February 7. To celebrate, your student will need to put together a project that displays 100 items of something. This project is due by Friday, February 3. Please review the blue paper that was sent home with your child last week for the details of the project.

Please make sure your students are getting enough sleep so they are able to concentrate and participate during daily instruction time. 9-12 hours is recommended for school-aged children.

Please remember to sign your student's star chart every week and keep them accountable if they forget to fill it in one day.

1st Grade February Volunteer Opportunities

[Mrs. Turner's Volunteer Link](#)

[Mrs. Mazloomian's Volunteer Link](#)

[Mrs. Gosch's Volunteer Link](#)

[Mrs. Oh's Volunteer Link](#)

1st GRADE NEWS & REMINDERS:

Sunshine Flowers: To recognize our wonderful teachers and staff during Catholic Schools Week, we are asking students to bring in yellow flowers on Thursday, February 2, 2023. To ensure each of our teachers and staff receive flowers, please do not deliver directly to a specific teacher/staff; rather drop off your yellow flower donations at the PEB lunch tables during morning drop off. Volunteers will be at the lunch tables to collect the flowers from students and create Always Sunny at St. Serra Sunshine flower bouquets to deliver to all our teachers and staff. Thank you for your assistance in recognizing our amazing teachers and staff.

Birthdays: Ms. Tania Alvarado-Rendon celebrates her birthday on February 4. Please join us in wishing her a very happy birthday! [Ms. Alvarado-Rendon's favorites](#)

Anchor Ball: Please help make Anchor Ball a success! Purchase [tickets](#) and join in on the grade level [gift gathering fun](#). All gift gathering donations of \$50 or more will earn your bear(s) a non-uniform dress day.

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Calendar Reminders:

Sunday, January 29:	Students should wear their formal uniform to today's Mass at their parish, in honor of Catholic Schools Week.
Monday, January 30:	Formal uniform for Mass
Wednesday, February 1:	Minimum day
Friday, February 3:	Spirit shirt day. Spirit shirts are to be worn with school uniform bottoms.

Grace and Blessings,
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