



# 1ST GRADE WARRIOR NEWS

October 2020 - LPCS



## Math

Your student is continuing to learn different methods of counting by counting on, using 5-group cards, ten frames, rekenrek bracelets and number bonds. As a reminder, your student is to complete four ZEARN lessons per week.

## Reminders

-Hybrid students be sure to bring charged Chromebooks to class daily.

### -Virtual Students

Binders will be ready on Tuesday, October 6th.

## Distance Learning

Be sure to log in to your ZEARN. You should have four Zearn lessons completed by Sunday night. Please read with your students and fill out the Reading Log. Be sure to indicate the title of the book as well as the level of the book on your students Reading Log.

## From the desk of the Counselor

I am Ms. Clarkson, and I am very excited and grateful to serve you and your family as Elementary Counselor! I know that the last five-six months have been hectic on us all, and I assure you that we are meeting your little one right where they are. If you need to contact me, please call me at 318.841.7639 or [sclarkson@linwoodcharter.org](mailto:sclarkson@linwoodcharter.org).

## ELA

Over the past few weeks your student has been an author and an illustrator during ELA. Our day starts with a Morning Message. Within our morning message our students not only identify Power Words but blends as well. We continue to identify and read fiction texts while exploring what makes the text fiction. Our students are now exploring different types of texts such as biographies, non-fiction and other informational texts. We are also about to kick off our 100 Book Challenge. There will be amazing prizes for our students who achieve this goal. So be sure to read, read, read and read some more.

## Science

Over the last two weeks your student has studied about various types of dinosaurs, as well as the time period in which they lived. We have expanded our vocabulary and our knowledge of how paleontologists continue to find fossils to teach us things we never knew! We continued to learn about habitats and how the bones of dinosaurs were shaped. We wrapped this unit up by exploring living and non-living things. Next week, we will take an in depth look at the life cycle of butterflies.

## Social Studies

We are currently in the My School & My Community Unit theme for Social Studies. We are continuing to learn how rules apply in and out of the classroom. Your student will soon begin to learn about school leaders as well as leaders within our community.

## Google Classroom

Be sure to check Google Classroom daily for any assignment that may have been posted. All assignments are due by 11:59 p.m. on the day they are assigned.

## Social Emotional Learning

Social Emotional learning will start on Friday, October 9, 2020. Students are to log on from 8-8:50. The curriculum we are using is called Second Step. Second Step provides instruction in social and emotional learning with units on skills for learning empathy, emotion management, friendship skills, and problem solving.

## Ms. Ecklund's Corner

It is so important we are at school each day and that we are logging into virtual classes. Every minute of instruction counts towards your child's success.