

1st Grade Newsletter

**Lewis Center for Educational Research
Norton Space and Aeronautics Academy**

This month we will be learning about:

November 2014

Language Arts:

(Spanish):

Reading: This month we will be working on our unit on American icons, symbols, traditions, & holidays. We will be discussing the different ways in which people celebrate holidays.

Writing: This month we will begin working on narrative paragraphs. We will be writing about how people celebrate a holiday tradition.

Math:

(Spanish): . This month we will begin our Engage

Math Curriculum
Module 3 (Ordering and Comparing Length Measurements as Numbers).

Science:

(English)

We will be learning about how animals and plants are interdependent on each other, their adaptations and their diverse habitats in which they live in.

GLAD Strategies

Social Studies:

(Spanish)

Thanksgiving unit:

We will be learning about the Thanksgiving holiday and traditions and how it is celebrated throughout the United States.



Character Trait:
Honesty

Monthly project:

This month your child is to create a poster (no greater than 12x12 in size as they are difficult to display in the classroom) of **one** of their family traditions they most enjoy during the holidays. Be creative! Students must write 3-5 sentences describing their family tradition.

Students must be ready to present their project to the class in their **language of choice**.

Important reminders:

- **No school** on Nov. 11, 2014 (Veteran's Day)
- Parent-teacher conference days (Nov. 14-21) will be minimum days and students will be dismissed at 12:30
- Thanksgiving break: November 24-28
- Have students log onto
- Math Facts in a Flash at home
- Please check your son/daughter's backpack for important information
- Please make sure that your child is reading from their
- weekly reader every night and brings it to school on the days specified by your child's teacher.
- Homework is due every Thursday.

*Optional: Students may use technology (PowerPoint, etc.) to present their family tradition.

Due date: Thursday,
December 11, 2014

*Please note that late projects will NOT be accepted.

