



# Mrs. Hixson's Newsletter



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## Dates to Remember

2/14 - ½ Day

2/17 - No School

3/5 - ½ day of School

3/6 - No School

## Updates for You!

**Days in School "Celebration":** There have been a couple of questions about the 100th day of school. In first grade, we will be celebrating 120s day as our first grade standard is reading and writing to 120. The celebration will all be in-class celebrations, no home components.

**Valentine's Day:** Our class will be having a student party on Fri, 2/14. More information will go home about it next week along with a class list for valentines if you wish to send those in.

**Monday = Stinky Feet Day!** We earned our first BINGO!!!! On Monday, we will all be able to give our shoes a rest and let our toes wiggle in the classroom :) Chat with your kiddo about how they earn those bingo pieces!

## This Week's Raider of the Week...



# Kinsey



## Congratulations, Kinsey!

Thank you for using your  
**Raider PRIDE!**

You may bring in a photo or an  
item to show the class that's  
special to you so we can get to  
know you better :)

## This Week's Oral Vocabulary Words

Students do not need to know how to spell  
these words, but you should be able to use them  
in a sentence/have a conversation about their  
meaning from what we've learned in class :)

**feature**  
**appearance**  
**determined**  
**predicament**  
**relief**

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## This week's High Frequency Words:

about

animal

give

our

eight

carry

## Our Growth Mindset Phrase of the Week:

Sometimes I will have to work hard at something I don't want to do, but it will help me grow as a learner!

## Words We Practiced This Week:

Please practice reading and spelling these words. Focus on the vowels used and what sound the vowels make in the word.

This week: **long a (a, ai, ay, a\_e)**

gate	pay	braid	able
agent	tray	trait	rake

## Next Week's Specials (A Week)

**M-** Art

**T-** Gym

**W-** Art

**Th-** Tech & Gym

**F-** Music & Library

## Raider PRIDE: Daily 5



- PREPARED** - Keep your Must Do packet in your red folder for easy locating to finish before Fun Friday!
- RESPECTFUL** - Be kind and helpful to others around you, let them finish their work as you work on yours.
- IN CONTROL** - Hands and feet are always to self. Everyone is voice zero except partner readers.
- DETERMINED** - Stay focused and work hard!
- ENGAGED** - Focus on your task and move away from distractions if you need to.