



Noticias de la Semana

1er

grado

Srta. Bera

6 de noviembre, 2008

FYI...

- Nov. 10- PTO Meeting, 7pm
- Nov. 11 - ISLA Board Mtg., 7pm
- Nov. 15- Barnes and Noble PTO Fundraiser
- Nov. 18- Late Start and McDonald's Night 4-7pm

Matemáticas/Math

This week we continued our studies of clocks and telling time by the hour. Your first grader should know how to tell the time by looking at an analog clock that is exactly 1, 2, 3...12:00.

We also began exploring the use of rulers. We learned how to draw straight lines using rulers, and many different reasons people use rulers.

Coming up:

- Learning about money—specifically pennies and nickels.

Lectura/Reading

This week our "Book of the Week" was "La paloma y la luna." I am so impressed with how the first graders are progressing in reading! It is a lot of fun to see them improve their fluency and comprehension, as well as enjoying reading! Remember that when your child's book comes home with a smiley face, it means they have mastered that book (read it to me, along with the flashcards, without errors). After mastering a book, each 1st grader will come home with a (borrowed) leveled reader that should be returned to ISLA at some point. Your child should practice reading this book aloud each night!

THANK YOU!

A big thank you to Katie Gitler and April Corona for helping out during our Halloween party.

The kids had a GREAT time!

More book gifts have come in this week! Thanks again to the Gitler and the Schaffler families for the donations to our classroom. We love reading!!!

Ask Your First Grader:

- What is "Día de los Muertos?"
- What did you make in science this week?
- Is a top more stable if it weighs more or weighs less? Why?
- Why do we use rulers?

Palabras de la Pared

Regla (ruler) Vuela (flies)
Llega (arrives) Girar (to spin)
Empujar (to push) Jalar (to pull)