1L's Weekly News - Week of October 14th

Dates to Remember:

- * This Thursday, October 17th, next Wednesday, October 23rd, and next Thursday, October 24th there will be early dismissal at 1:40 due to conferences.
- * This Friday, October 18th Dwight's first graders are heading to the Bridgeport Cabaret Theater to see <u>How I Became a Pirate</u>. We are leaving Dwight around 10:45 and will return around 2:00. Students will need to bring **lunch from home** this day (no peanut butter or peanuts please). Please pack lunches in disposable bags clearly labeled with your child's name. Thanks!
- * All Dwight parents are invited to our school Walk-a-thon, next Wednesday, October 23rd at 12:15!
- * Dwight's Annual Halloween Parade will take place on Thursday, October 31st at 2:00. All parents are invited to attend!

Reader's Workshop:

In Reader's Workshop we are going to spend the week continuing to talk about reading with partners, focusing on reading fluently and talking about books with our partners.

Writer's Workshop:

We will start our week off with our Weekend News. We will also talk about what makes a good beginning, a strong middle, and a good ending to a story.

Math:

This week in Math we will talk about making the number 10 with three addends as well as numbers up to 20.

Word Work:

Our new Word Wall Words are: all, an, day, see, so.

We will also focus on the at and an word families.

Science/Social Studies:

We are continuing our unit on Sun and Shadows. Last week we went outside and traced our shadows with sidewalk chalk. It was a fun way to spend part of our afternoon!

Odds and Ends:

- * If you are interested in having your reader take home more than two books on Mondays, please send me a note. I can fill their bags with additional books and they can return them at the end of the week, instead of on Wednesday. This is great if you're looking for more books to read at home nightly!
- * A big thank you to our room parents, Mrs. Lubarsy and Mrs. Orban for organizing our volunteers this year. We are SO lucky to have such supportive parents in 1L!