Here's what we are up to in 1K this week!

March 14th - March 18th





<u>Reading:</u> This week in our "Bringing Stories to Life Through Fairytales and Folktales" unit we will be paying close attention to the characters we read about to understand them more deeply. We will talk about how characters talk and act, as well as look for characters that are present in more than one folktale. You can ask you reader to tell you about some of the fairytales and folktales we have been reading in school!

<u>Writing:</u> 1K friends are loving our new unit writing fiction stories! This week we will talk about how to start our stories with a great beginning and end our stories with an ending that completes the story. We will also talk about having problems with solutions in our pieces. You can ask your writer to tell you about the fiction story they are writing!

<u>Math:</u> We will wrap up our place value unit in math this week! We will play some games to practice our addition and subtraction fluency and talk about related facts.

Thank you for helping your child practice their fact fluency at home 3 nights a week!

<u>Science</u>: Students will continue working in Tech Time turning their animal research project into a fun riddle project!

Word Work: New words: after, been, before, saw, there

Word work focus: compound words

Special Notes:

- We will be going on a fieldtrip to the Downtown Cabaret Theatre on Wednesday, March 23rd to see James and the Giant Peach. We will be eating lunch at the theatre and students will need to bring a **Nut free** lunch from home this day. Please make sure your child's lunch is labeled with their name!
- Friday, March 25th there will be no school in observance of Good Friday
- Wednesday, March 30th, Thursday, March 31st, and Wednesday April 6th will be early dismissal days at 1:40 for conferences.