

1st Grade News

October 23, 2023



Egypt Day

Curriculum days are a fun way we celebrate our history units here at TCA. On October 27th we will be enjoying our annual Egypt Day. Students can dress up like Egyptians, and we will explore more about this historical people group. Costumes are optional but encouraged. Please watch for a food/decoration sign-up link from your child's teacher or room parent. If you would like to volunteer in the classroom that day, please contact your child's teacher.

Important Dates:

10/27 Egypt Day

11/3 Titan Buddy Day/ Denim Day

11/10 Veteran's Day assembly

11/17 Progress Reports Go Home

11/20-11/24 Thanksgiving Break

**Looking Ahead:
January 16th
8:30-10:00am**

The Gift of Failure
Book Talk

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0B4DADAD2EA1FE3-the>



The children should have the joy of living in far lands, in other persons, in other times--a delightful double existence; and this joy they will find, for the most part, in their story books.

Charlotte Mason

In Our Curriculum:

Core Knowledge

Egypt: We will be finishing up our study of Ancient Egypt by studying more about Pharaohs, King Tut, Pyramids, and Hieroglyphs. Our unit will culminate with Egypt Day on October 27th (see above)

Math Tip

We just finished up our chapter on subtracting numbers within 10. We will now move on to recognizing and working with numbers up to 20. Please use the link below to read the newsletter from Dimensions Math about this upcoming chapter.

[Dimensions Chapter 5 Parent Newsletter](#)

Spelling

Lists 10 and 11

[Spelling Lists](#)

Math Fact Practice

We would love for our students to be fluent in addition facts to 10 by mid-way through November. Below is a link you can use to print math facts to practice at home. You can set it up to print the problems horizontally, just like we practice in class. We would love any extra help you can give your kiddos at home!

[Math Fact Cafe](#)

Poetry

[The Pasture](#)

Due: week of Oct. 30th.