

The Fabulous First Grade Times

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Hello Families,

Last week the class collaborated to write our classroom rules. The scholars all came up with wonderful rules, which remind us how to treat others and be respectful with each other. By signing our rules we each showed that we would follow the rules. Scholars have been making great effort to do so.

We started our classroom jobs last week also. The scholars were extremely excited about them, which tells me that they will work hard to help keep our classroom and supplies in great order. We certainly are showing our classroom community with this enthusiasm!

The work board was introduced and practiced often last week. The work board is used during reader's workshop. While a group is at the guided reading table the other scholars are moving themselves through stations designated on the work board. It is a wonderful way for scholars to stay active in their learning and gives them responsibility.

God bless,

Ms. Mills

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Upcoming Events:

- Sept. 19 **Back-to-School Night 6-8 pm**

'Umuatu ngumuntu
naga antu' 'A
person is a person
because of other
people.' Zulu
saying

Please note:

We will begin to use a math log on Monday, September 19. Scholars will practice math facts every night for 15 minutes. Parents must sign each night showing it was completed. Similar to the reading log it will be due on Friday or the last day of the school week. I will send home a copy on Monday, but it can also be