

Welcome to Ms. Vela's Class

**Park Village Blended Learning Academy
First Grade
2022**



Our Park Village Family



First Grade Teachers

- ❖ Ms. Aldis
- ❖ Ms. Vela
- ❖ Ms. Weidower



Staff Members to Know

- ❖ Ms. Scott, Principal
- ❖ Mrs. Hernandez, Assistant Principal
- ❖ Ms. Bailey, Counselor
- ❖ Mrs. Mendez, Academic Dean
- ❖ Mrs. West, Academic Dean
- ❖ Ms. Cooper, School Nurse
- ❖ Mrs. Martinez, RTI Teacher
- ❖ Coach Sanchez, P.E.
- ❖ Mr. Ford, Music Teacher

Our Campus

- ❖ Students will need to bring a water bottle to drink water throughout the day.
- ❖ Doors open at 7:00 AM
- ❖ Students will eat breakfast in the classroom from 7:00 AM - 7:30 AM. Please be on time.
- ❖ Dismissal is at 2:55 PM
- ❖ You will need to contact the front office about any transportation changes.



Our Campus

- ❖ Park Village has become a Blended Learning Academy. Our campus has adopted Amplify Reading as our Reading curriculum and Eureka Math as our Math curriculum. Both include the lessons that blend and incorporate the many ways students learn. Our lessons will include high-quality instructional materials and technology practices.



Our Campus

- ❖ As part of our Blended Learning requirements, our campus also provides a Social Emotional Learning block (SEL) to promote healthy communication skills.
- ❖ Lead with a PAWSitive Start!
 - **P:** Positive Start
 - **A:** Affirmations
 - **W:** Well Wishes
 - **S:** Second Step





Daily Folders

- Folders will include weekly newsletters campus letters, campus calendars, homework/projects (when assigned) and behavior calendars
- Folders must be viewed and signed daily

Conferences

- ❖ Conferences can be scheduled ahead of time or you can reach me between the following times:
 - ❖ 12:50 PM - 1:40 PM, Monday - Friday
 - ❖ 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM, Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays only
- ❖ Please be respectful and understand that any contact after 5 PM will likely not be responded until the next morning.



WAYS TO CONTACT ME

Email:

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Phone:

210-637-4890

Class Dojo

Daily Folder - Notes

WHAT DO WE LEARN?

First Grade includes all of the following subjects:

- ❖ Reading/Writing - Skills and Knowledge
- ❖ Mathematics
- ❖ Science
- ❖ Social Studies



Reading/Writing - Knowledge Components

- ❖ Fables and Stories
- ❖ The Human Body
- ❖ Different Lands, Similar Stories
- ❖ Early American Civilizations
- ❖ Astronomy: Space Exploration
- ❖ The History of the Earth
- ❖ Animals and Habits: The World We Share
- ❖ Fairy Tales
- ❖ A New Nation: American Independence
- ❖ Frontier Explorers
- ❖ Adventure Stories



MATHEMATICS

- ❖ Sums and Differences to 10
- ❖ Introduction to Place Value Through Addition and Subtraction Within 20
- ❖ Ordering and Comparing Length Measurements as Numbers
- ❖ Place Value, Comparison, Addition and Subtraction to 40
- ❖ Identifying, Composing, and Partitioning Shapes
- ❖ Place Value, Comparison, Understanding Income with Addition and Subtraction to 100



SCIENCE

- ❖ Scientific and Engineering Practices
- ❖ Reoccurring Themes and Concepts
- ❖ Matter and its Properties
- ❖ Force, Motion, and Energy
- ❖ Patterns in Weather and Weather Tools
- ❖ Earth and Space
- ❖ Organisms and Environments



SOCIAL STUDIES

- ❖ Social Studies Skills
- ❖ Science, Technology, and Society
- ❖ Culture
- ❖ Citizenship
- ❖ Government - Rules, Laws, & Public Officials
- ❖ Economics - Goods & Services
- ❖ Geography - Maps, Landforms, & Bodies of Water
- ❖ History - Historical Figures & Customs



**Thank you for
stopping by!**

