



# Miss Calkins's Classroom

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September 5

Creekmoor

Elementary

## What's coming up in September?

Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
1 No School- Labor Day	2 PTA Meeting 6:30	3 Book Orders due	4 Culver's Night (5-8) Library Checkout	5 Class Shirt Money Due *Sight Word Olympics Testing
8	9	10 Early Release at 1:15pm	11 Library Checkout	12
15	16	17 Picture Day	18 Library Checkout	19 *Sight Word Olympics Testing
22	23	24	25 Library Checkout	26
29	30	September 13 <sup>th</sup> is PTA Mother/Son Royals Game		

## Ask your child..

Q: What h brother is afraid of snakes?

A: /sh/ ex: "share"

Q: What h brother sneezes a lot?

A: /ch/ ex: "chick"

Q: 5 and 3 is \_\_\_\_\_

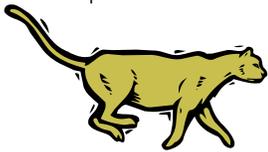
A: 8

Q: What is culture?

A: The beliefs or customs of a particular group.

## IMPORTANT:

\*\*We will begin Cougar Time next week. During this time we will be working on the learning target: I can extend the counting sequence. Students will begin rotating to other first grade classrooms based upon their need.



\*\*You MUST get a background check if you would like to work with kids this year. This includes: field trips, field day, Watch DOGS etc. The cost is \$12 and it is good for 2 years.

## Coming up: September 8<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>

Pathways- We will discuss the consonant sounds m, n, ng, l, and r. We will continue to practice saying the sounds in Vowel Town. Also, we will practice segment and write with the sounds we have learned.

Learning Target- I can segment individual sounds of spoken words.

Math- We will continue our daily math journal prompts and continue Unit 2: Addition and Subtraction to 10. We will practice with part, part, whole. For example, in the problem  $2 + 3 = 5$ , 2 and 3 are the parts and 5 is the whole.

Learning Target- I can add and subtract within 10.

Shared Reading- We will discuss where books take us, recommending books, and different types of books.

Learning Target- I can engage in conversations about age appropriate topics and texts. I can follow agreed upon rules for discussion.

Writing- We will discuss how to write a complete sentence; focusing on capital letters at the beginning of sentences and punctuation at the end.

Learning Target- I can use conventions when writing.

Social Studies- We will continue our diversity unit by discussing how people are different from one another. We will focus on differences between other cultures and our own culture. We will use the vocabulary culture, physical needs, and emotional needs.

Learning Target: I can compare myself to someone in a different culture.