




Welcome to 1st Grade!

Mrs. Corbin's Class

Please make sure to sign in! ☺



A string of five yellow bunting flags with black dashed outlines, hanging from the top left corner of the frame.

Meet Mrs. Corbin!

My name is Allison Corbin and I am excited to start the first grade journey with all of you! This year will be my 6th year of teaching and my 2nd at Teasley Elementary. To fill you in a bit, I am a proud Midwesterner originally from southern Indiana. I hold a B.S. in Elementary Education from Indiana University. GO HOOSIERS! After relocating and deciding to make the south my home, I graduated in 2015 from Mercer University with a Masters in Education and a Reading Endorsement.





Arrival & Dismissal Times

- School begins at 7:50. Students should be in their classrooms ready to learn by 7:50.
- Car riders must arrive no later than 7:45.
- Car riders arriving after 7:45 must park and sign their child in at the office.
- Car riders that would like to eat breakfast must arrive no later than 7:35.
- Bus riders will eat breakfast immediately after arriving at school and then will proceed to their classrooms.

Standard Uniform Attire

- Please see the handout in your packet for uniform guidelines.





Reading

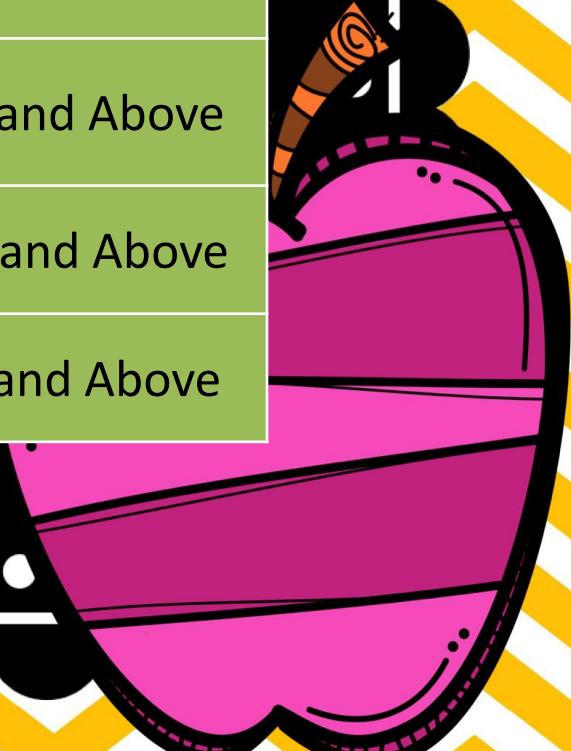
- Sight Words
- Phonics
- Blends & Digraphs
- Syllables
- Rhyming
- Fluency
- Story Elements (characters, setting, problem, solution)
- And more!





Reading Levels

| End of Nine Weeks | Below Grade Level | On Grade Level | Above Grade Level |
|------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| 1 st Mid October | A-C | D | E and Above |
| 2 nd End December | A-D | E | F and Above |
| 3 rd Mid March | A-F | G | H and Above |
| 4 th End May | A-H | I | J and Above |





Writing

- Narrative
- Opinion
- Informational
- Complete sentences, best spelling, and nice handwriting
- Beginning, middle, and end

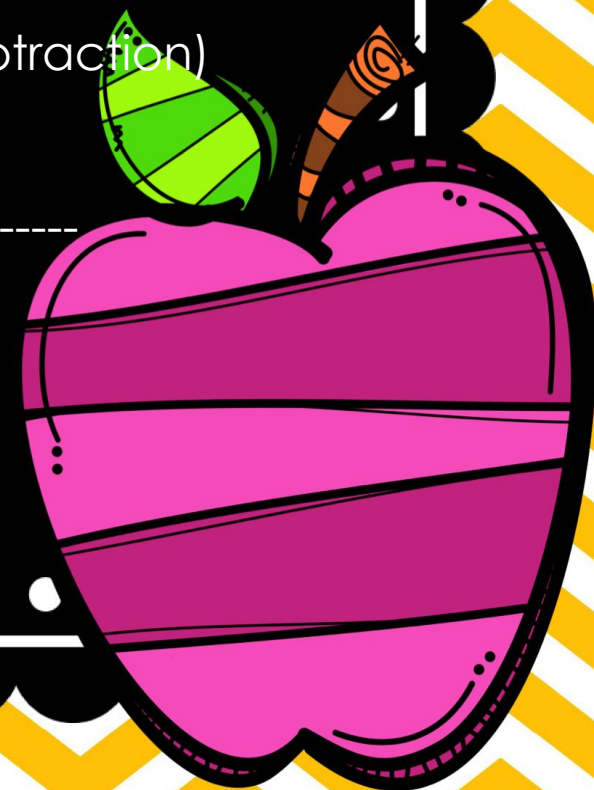




Math

- Creating Routines Using Data
- Developing Base Ten Number Sense
- Sorting, Comparing and Ordering
- Operations and Algebraic Thinking (Addition and Subtraction)
- Understanding Place Value (Addition and Subtraction)
- Understanding Shapes and Fractions
- Review, Mastery and Extend

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- Writing numbers to 120
 - Place value-making numbers with ones and tens
 - Graphing
 - Adding and subtracting without fingers
 - Talking about Math and explaining how
 - Mental Math
 - Number Talks





Science

- Weather and Seasons
- Magnets
- Sound
- Light
- Plants
- Animals





Social Studies

- Our Earth, Our Home
- Personal Finance
- Benjamin Franklin
- Thomas Jefferson, Lewis & Clark with Sacagawea
- Theodore Roosevelt
- Southern US, George Washington Carver,
• & Ruby Bridges





Report Cards & 1st Grade Expectations

- Your child will be graded using the number scores of 1, 2, 3, and 3+.
- 3 + = Exceeds Standards - In addition to the 3, makes applications and inferences beyond expectations
(This level is very rarely achieved due to the rigor of our standards)
- 3 = Meets Standards - Consistently and independently
- 2 = Progressing toward meeting standards
(This level is common as we are still progressing towards meeting our standards)
- 1 = Limited progress or does not meet standards





Take Home Folders

- Please check this folder each night and initial their behavior and homework calendars.
- I check these every morning and this is our main source of communication!
- Transportation changes and absence notes may be placed in these, as well. In the folders, there will be a "Home" side, as well as a "Back to School" side. This helps us to keep this nice and tidy! LOTS of things will be going back and forth between us in these folders this year and they are very important!

Please make sure to keep these folders clean and organized as we are teaching our wonderful students how to care for their materials and to stay organized throughout the school year!





Homework

- Homework will be meaningful practice for student development.
- Reading and sight word practice each night is crucial for student success!
- At the beginning of each month, a homework calendar will be sent home in your child's folder. Please make sure to do this homework and initial in the box when completed.





Absences

It is important that your child comes to school when possible for their education! If your child is sick or is missing school because of a doctor's appointment, please make sure to send in a note or email me explaining the absence so it will be excused.





Behavior Expectations

- [Class Dojo](#)
- Behavior Clip Chart

The Teasley Ten

- The Teasley Ten are 10 goals or expectations for students. These are known school wide and are posted throughout our building. Students can earn tiger paws from anyone in the school if caught doing something great! These tiger paws are posted on a bulletin board for all to see 😊.





Our Daily Schedule

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| 7:20 – 7:50 | Arrival / Unpack and Daily Routines / Morning Work |
| 7:50 – 8:00 | Morning Announcements / Morning Organization |
| 8:00 – 8:50 | Writer's Workshop / Writer Conferences |
| 8:50 – 9:05 | Number Talks |
| 9:05 – 9:55 | Specials (Students split between 1st grade classes) |
| 9:55 – 10:10 | Snack & Restroom |
| 10:10 – 11:15 | Reader's Workshop / Guided Reading |
| 11:15 – 12:15 | Math Workshop / Guided Math |
| 12:20 – 12:50 | Lunch (Table 9) |
| 1:00 – 1:20 | Recess |
| 1:25 – 2:00 | Science / Social Studies |
| *These subjects are also integrated throughout the day in other subject areas.* | |
| 2:00 – 2:10 | Daily Reflection / Wrap Up / Pack Up |
| 2:10 | Dismissal |





Transportation Changes

- All changes should be written, signed, and dated and sent in your child's folder that morning. Please try not to make changes during the day!
- If it is a permanent change, please let me know this important information, as well! I will take notes in advance and will note the changes.
- Pull out changes and put them in your child's take home folder.





Snacks & Birthday Treats

- We love to celebrate birthdays in our class! We ask that if you are bringing in a treat, please do so during our lunch block (12:20-12:50) so that we do not take up academic time. We also ask that you bring mini cupcakes or cookies.
- If you are interested in bringing a treat to school for our class, please email me prior to check for allergies and the number of students we have!
- Additionally, some parents like to plan parties for their child outside of school, however, this is just a reminder that students are not permitted to pass out invitations at school unless the entire class is invited.





Communication

- Student Folders
- Email: Allison.Corbin@cobbk12.org
- Classroom Blog: www.corbinfirstgrade.weebly.com
- Twitter Handle: @corbinteasley





Classroom Blog

For weekly updates, news, and announcements please visit
my website! ☺

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