# News from Room 1

## September 14, 2015

Hello! Our year is under way and off to a great start! We have been busy learning classroom and school routines and rules, as well as making new friends. Each week I will post a classroom newsletter on our classroom webpage to help keep you up to date on the happenings in our room— find out more tomorrow night at Meet the Teacher!!

#### Reminders from Mrs. Eubank:

- Meet the Teacher Night is Tuesday 9/15 from 6-7:30. Hope to see you there!
- Please remember to pack healthy snacks for your child (no chips, cookies, or candy).
- Remember to wear gym shoes on Thursdays.
- $\bullet$  Picture Day is next week on  $9/24\ldots$  more information to come.

### Language Arts:

This week we will begin reviewing colors. We will read and retell lots of stories about colors including *Brown Bear*, *Brown Bear* by Eric Carle and *Pete the Cat-I Love My White Shoes* by Eric Litwin. Students will create their own version of these stories to practice reading and writing their color words.

#### Math:

In math this week, we will be sorting objects . . . including ourselves. We will also learn about the defining properties of shapes (number of sides, etc.) and have an opportunity to sort



shapes. As we work to launch our math centers students will have the opportunity this week to explore different math manipulatives. We started this exploration last week with unifix cubes. The students will be introduced to pattern blocks, treasure boxes, and geoboards.