First Grade: What Will They Learn?
Reading and Math
(This list is not all inclusive.)

READING/LANGUAGE ARTS

- Master letter-sound patterns.
- Blending sounds to form words.
- Read first grade high frequency words by sight.
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- Make predictions, state main ideas, draw conclusions and monitor comprehension during reading.
- Recall the sequence of events in oral and written stories.
- Read with comprehension a variety of first grade narrative and informational texts.
- Read with fluency (40-60 words per minute).
- Print words legibly.
- Capitalize the first word in a sentence and use the period and question mark at the end of a sentence.
- Recognize the singular and plural forms of nouns.

MATH

- Count and write to 120
- Count to 100 by twos, fives, and tens.
- Master addition and subtraction facts up to 20 and work with addition and subtraction equations.
  Example: Which of the following equations are true and which are false?
  \[ 6 = 6, \ 7 = 8 - 1, \ 5 + 2 = 2 + 5, \ 4 + 1 = 5 + 2 \]
- Understand place value of ones and tens and properties of operations to add and subtract.
- Compare two two-digit numbers using the symbols <, >, and =.
- Measure lengths indirectly and by repeating length units.
- Tell and write time in hours and half-hours using analog and digital clocks.
- Represent and interpret data.
- Reason with shapes and their attributes.