September Fish Focus: Be Kind! :-)  

What are we learning this week?  

**Language Arts:** We will continue with Unit 1 of our Treasures Series, “How You Grew”.  
Skills: (1) Identifying rhyming words, (2) short /i/ vowel sounds, (3) statement sentences, and (4) sequencing story events.  Our reading materials come from the Guaranteed Parish Curriculum and Macmillan/McGraw-Hill Treasures Collection. 

**Math:** Students will practice addition and subtraction. They will relate it to being part of a whole. We will discuss the relationship of combinations such as 4+5 = ? as well as 4 + ? = 9. Our lessons are part of the Guaranteed Parish Curriculum. We also use the programs Everyday Counts and Today’s Math and Investigations.

**Science/Social Studies:** Students will spend time sharing information about families and participate in making a family tree as part of the All About Me Unit. All units are taken from the state’s curriculum along with some units that correspond with the Macmillan/McGraw-Hill Treasures Collection.

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**Vocabulary Words**

**Words To Know:** run ride  
be big once little talk  
learned puppy long

**Oral Vocabulary:** change learn adult imitate practice

**Challenge Words:** bird hatch grow

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**Spelling (Short /i/) -in -it -iss**

**Unit Words:**  
pin win hit  
sit miss kiss  
bin fit be ride

**Challenge Words:**  
twin bit hiss  
skit fin split  
spin quit split  
bike ride be ride

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**Notes and Reminders:**

- **Transportation:** All changes in your child’s transportation must be made in writing. Please include the date of the transportation change.

- **Remember, students will not receive letter grades the first nine weeks of school.** Weekly tests allow for students to practice weekly skills and learn what is expected during test taking time.

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**Upcoming Events In September:**

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**Student Spotlight of the Week:**

_Congratulations, Jackson!_

**Memory Monday:** Bring pictures to share special memories.  
**Teddy Bear Tuesday:** Bring a small stuffed animal from home.  
**Wheely Chair Wednesday:** Sit in a teacher’s chair for the day.  
**Tell a Tale Thursday:** Share a story book with the class.  
**Foodie Friday:** Treat from the teacher for snack time.