



O.R.E.O Project

Our first graders really enjoyed the O.R.E.O Project that we did this month. The students made predictions, then used tally marks to keep track of how many oreos they could stack. Some of our classes were able to stack quite a few before their tower fell! Most classes had an average of around 17 cookies in a tower. The highest stack in Mrs. Adamson's class was 24, Mrs. Hutchinson's class had up to 23, Mrs. Owens' class had up to 21 and Mrs. Farmer's class stacked 26 oreos!

Thank you to all of the parents for donating the cookies!

Bats, Spiders and Pumpkins...Oh, my!



First Graders have been studying a variety of topics this month. We learned that bats are nocturnal and how they use echolocation to guide them. We learned about the characteristics of spiders, how they make their webs and how they catch their prey. Right now, we are studying pumpkins and each class is spending time in our Science Lab exploring the pumpkins. We will estimate, measure circumference, weigh and observe the pumpkins. Then, the students will measure the pumpkins to find how their predictions matched up with the actual measurements. They will use standard (inches) and non-standard (unifix cubes) units to measure.



Students in Mrs. Farmer's class worked carefully to stack as many oreos as possible!



Don't Forget
As the weather cools, please remember to send a jacket to school with your child and keep a spare set of seasonably appropriate clothes in your child's locker.

NOV-30

Trunk or Treat is Friday evening at 6:30 pm in the parking lot. Dress up and join us (please, no scary costumes!). Teachers will be handing out candy, so we hope to see everyone there!

We will be having a **Thanksgiving Feast** coming up in November. Look for notes in your child's folder in the next few weeks for more information!