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**Language Arts**

**Essential Question: How can you communicate in different ways?**

**Stories:** Helen Keller & Talking Tools

 *Target skills*: Author’s Purpose & Biography

 *Target strategy*: Summarize

**Vocabulary:** knowledge, curious, motion, silence, illness, imitated, darkness, behavior

*Strategy*: Suffix -ly

**High-Frequency Words:**  all, food, front, hair, never, party, sky, started,

stories, warm

**Phonics:** Long o (o, oa, ow)

**Grammar:** Using Proper Nouns

**Spelling:** own, most, soap, float, both, know, loan, goat, flow, loaf, throw,

 coach, so, grow, swallow, ocean

**Math**

**Essential Question: How can I record and analyze data?**

**Vocabulary:** bar graph, data, key, line plot, picture graph, survey, symbol, tally marks

Skill and Strategies we will work on:

* Take a Survey
* Make Picture Graphs
* Analyze Picture Graphs
* Make Bar Graphs
* Analyze Bar Graphs
* Problem Solving Strategy: Make a Table

**Essential Question: How can I add two-digit numbers?**

**Vocabulary:** Regroup

Skill and Strategies we will work on:

 Take Apart Tens to Add

 Regroup Ones as Tens

 Add to a Two-Digit Number

 Add Two Digit Numbers

 Rewrite Two-Digit Addition

 Add Three and Four Two-Digit Numbers

 Problem-Solving Strategy: Make a Model

**Important News**

In a few weeks, Miss Jess will be teaching full time in the classroom to fulfill her requirements with the State of Ohio as well as Kent State University. This will be a joint classroom with two qualified teachers collaboratively working to allow students to grow their brains. Please encourage your student to welcome Miss Jess in this capacity.

**Important Dates**

**January 15** Grade Cards Issued **January 18 NO SCHOOL**

Martin Luther King Jr. Day