

# Welcome to Grade 1



August 24, 2016  
Beal Early Childhood Center

This PowerPoint will be posted on the Beal website tomorrow morning.

# Tonight's Agenda

- Grade 1 curriculum and expectations
- A Day in the Life of a Grade 1 student
- Questions
- Optional tour of the building



# Grade 1 Curriculum- ELA

- Guided Reading and Daily 5  
-DRA reading levels
- Shrewsbury Writing Project



Grade 1 Curriculum Night is  
Scheduled for Monday, September  
12<sup>th</sup>. Information and times will be posted  
soon.

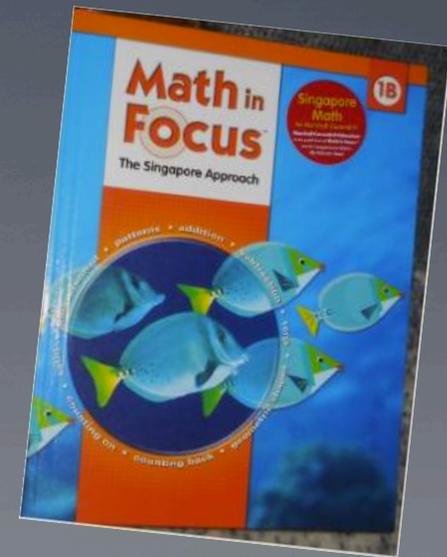
# Grade 1 Curriculum- Math

- Massachusetts frameworks 2011 for Grade 1 math include:

- addition and subtraction
- numbers and operations in base 10
- measurement and data including time and money
- geometry

Math in Focus© curriculum

- Math is Thinking
- Concrete- Pictorial- Abstract
- Differentiation



# Grade 1 Curriculum- Science and Social Studies

- Science

Earth- pebbles, sand, and silt

Life- Bees and flowering plants

Physical- Balance and motion



- Social Studies

Calendars and temporal sequences, holidays and celebrations, community and citizenship, geography

# Grade 1 "Social Thinking" Curriculum

- Social Thinking

Building on the skills of the "Social Thinking" curriculum in the areas of:

- Expected versus unexpected behavior
- Feelings Thermometer
- Whole Body Listening



# Grade 1 schedules

A Day in the Life of a Grade 1 student



# Preparing for Grade 1

- read, read, read!!!
  - summer reading list located on the website
  - school letter coming home explaining "good fit" books
- habits
  - sleep, eating, learning time
- socialization (habits of mind)
- supply lists for first day of school



First day of school for Grade 1 is Tuesday, August 30<sup>st</sup>

# Subscribe to the Principal's List Serv

Here's how:

1. Go to Shrewsbury Public Schools

<http://schools.shrewsburyma.gov/beal/mailling-list.cfm>

2. Fill out form and submit

\*\*This will provide you weekly emails school-wide information.



# Parent Volunteer Opportunities

- classroom volunteer
- media volunteer
- office help



- Parent Teacher Organization

PTO Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/Beal-Early-Childhood-Center-PTO-129600707149081/timeline/>



# Tour and Questions