

Dear Parents,

- In our classroom we have been learning about insects. The students are very excited about our pets in the glass jar. Have your child describe the butterfly life cycle to you, and ask which stage our butterflies are in.
- Continue to encourage reading at home and fill out the "furry friends" sheets. The book orders are attached for SeeSaw and Lucky. You may order from both book clubs but only need to write one check for the total to Scholastic Book Clubs. Do not write a check to the school or me. If the class total is less than \$20, I will return your check and we will not order that month. **Book orders will be due Sept. 9.**
- Read and sign the permission form for our two field trips this fall. (Information is included on the permission form.) Return the sheet to school as soon as possible.
- School pictures will be Sept. 12. See the attached order form.
- Please look over the class parties sign-up sheet and return it to school with your child.
- Our library day is Tuesday, so books need to be back by then if your child wants to check out new ones.
- Remember to contact me at school if you have any questions or concerns about your child (515-325-6234). Our first, full week of first grade was fantastic!!!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Schimp