

# Read to Succeed!

Monthly reading tips from your Title 1 team

## Falling for our Favorite Books!

To give students even more opportunities to earn a golden coin we held a Favorite Fall Book contest. Students wrote about their favorite book and drew a picture of their favorite part in the book. We are announcing winners every Friday through October and November so there are plenty of winners! Check out the bulletin board with our October winners.



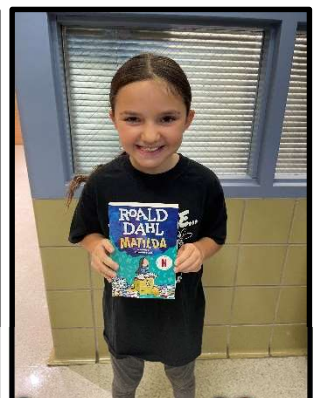
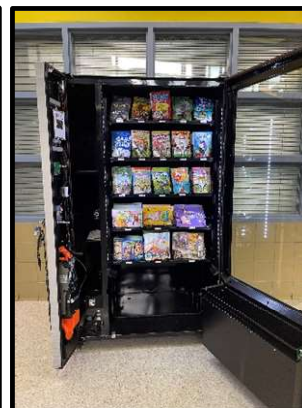
## From Golden Coin to Book Prize

Kids ask us all the time, "How do the books get in there?" So we're here to reveal the mystery!

First we want to be sure that the books that are in the vending machine are books the kids want to see! Last year students gave us recommendations of their favorite books and Mrs. Wagner and Mrs. Thornton used these recommendations when buying books this year.

We have a special key that opens the machine and then we can fill it with all of the great books that kids can choose from!

We love to see the smiles when the book drops and they grab their treasured prize from the shelf below.



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## Parent Teacher Conference Tips

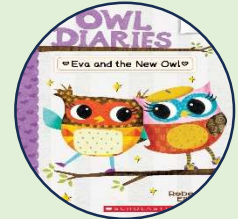
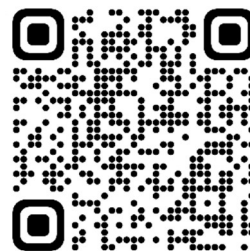
Please be on the lookout for information about upcoming parent teacher conferences. Teachers will reach out to schedule this important time. Here are some tips to make the most of this valuable time with your child's teacher from the Compass Learning Parent Workshop book.

1. Make notes before the conference to remind yourself of things you want to discuss. Make notes during the conference so you can review plans and information afterwards.
2. Talk with your child's teacher about goals.
3. Tell your child's teacher about problems at home that may be affecting your child's classroom behavior or work. This insight will help the teacher support and assist your child.
4. Share positive comments as well as concerns. If your child came home all excited about something he or she did in class, let the teacher know!
5. Each conference is scheduled for 15 minutes so teachers can meet with all parents. Your child will do their best to start and end your conference on time. It is helpful to choose two or three items you want to make sure get covered. If you feel that you have further questions, please feel free to make a future appointment with the teacher.

We appreciate that you take the time to attend parent-teacher conferences and are active partners in your child's education. We look forward to welcoming you in November.

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### Book Spotlight #1!

The Owl Diaries series features vibrant illustrations, easy-to-read text, and fascinating owl facts! Perfect for ages 5-7.



### Book Spotlight #2!

Check out how these amazing real-life creatures match up. Who's the strongest, fastest, biggest and "baddest"? In a fight to the finish, who would win? Ages 7-10



### App Spotlight!

Sounder & Friends is a PBS show that highlights phonemic awareness. It has short episodes and a fun app to play! Appropriate for PK-2<sup>nd</sup> grade.