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MRS. TEEMS  
FIRST GRADE

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# Introduction

My name is Eman Towfik–Teems. This is my eighth year in teaching and my third year in first grade. I am so grateful that there is so much I enjoy about being a teacher and I am lucky to be part of such a wonderful school like Heard's Ferry! I can't wait to meet my new first grade recruits! I am looking forward to a year of learning, fun and adventures!

I was born in San Francisco but moved to Georgia when I was young. I graduated from Kennesaw State University with a degree in Early Childhood Education in 2012. In previous years, I have taught Pre-K and Kindergarten in Fulton County Schools. I live with my husband and my cat in our new home in Hiram, GA.

A few of my favorite things:

- Favorite color: black
- Favorite season: Fall
- Favorite animals: cats, elephants & blue whales
- Favorite hobby: Hiking, Reading & Yoga
- Favorite snack: Chocolate-covered cashews/almonds, potato chips



# 2

# Classroom Tour



## Classroom Library & Computers





# 2

# Classroom Tour



Back of the Classroom



# 2

# Classroom Tour



Front of the Classroom



# 3

# Daily URL Schedule

8:00– 8:15	Log-in & Morning Journal
8:15– 8:30	Morning Meeting
8:30– 8:40	Read Aloud (Hands-on Phonics)
8:40– 8:50	Math– Number Talk
8:50– 9:15	Math Mini Lesson & Exit Ticket Activity
9:15– 9:30	Break
9:30– 9:45	Reading/ Phonics Mini Lesson
9:45– 10:00	Break (Optional– Independent Reading)
10:00– 10:30	Specials
10:30– 10:45	Break
10:45– 11:00	IB/Social Studies/Science
11:00– 12:00	Lunch
12:00–12:45	Independent Math & Reading Stations

Small Group Sessions Monday– Friday	
9:45–10:45	Reading
12:00– 1:00	Math

Small Group Sessions will be scheduled weekly.



# 3

# Daily URL Schedule

## Specials

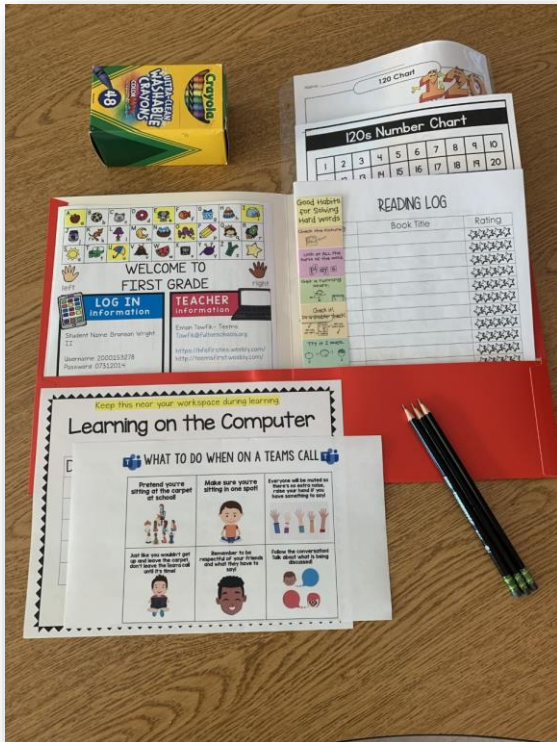
Monday- Spanish

Tuesday- PE

Wednesday- PE

Thursday Art

Friday- Music



What do I need for URL:

- URL Starter Pack
- Pencils
- Crayons

**\*\*Please keep all paperwork in this folder for easy access.**



# 4

# Grading Policy

Students will have 9 summative grades per semester grades per semester in every subject. Formative grades will be frequent enough to provide feedback to parents and students on how students are moving toward mastery PRIOR to the summative. The summative will announced at least week in advance.

Grading Categories	Weights
Formative –Grades are input but weighted 0%	0%
Summative –Grades are input and weighted 100%	100%

Fulton County Schools has a NO ZERO policy during URL. Instead an “I” (Incomplete) will be entered in Infinite Campus for missing assignments.

Grading Scales for K–2
S– Satisfactory (average of 80% or higher)
N– Needs Improvement (average of 70–79%)
I– Incomplete (average of less of 70%)
NG– No grade (enrolled less than 20 days)

Report cards will go home twice a year (at the end of each semester). The final semester grade will be derived from the average of all summative assignments.

# 5

# Attendance Policy & Virtual Platforms

## Attendance for Grades K & 1

Participation: ONE of the following must be met each WEEK to mark a student's daily attendance for the week:

- Submission of weekly assignments
- Direct contact with parent/guardian that is logged in Infinite Campus
- Participation in a synchronous lesson (LIVE via Microsoft Teams)

### Virtual Platforms for First Grade

You can access all platforms through ClassLink.



All assignments will be available on Seesaw under the "Activities" tab. In the subject line, I will provide due dates for assignments. All feedback on assignments will be communicated through Seesaw. \*\*I leave audio feedback and post comments.



All LIVE synchronous meetings will take place via Teams. I will send out links with lesson plans each week so that you are able to log-in at the designated times.



First Grade Weebly  
<https://hfefirsties.weebly.com/>

Mrs. Teems Weebly  
<http://teemsfirst.weebly.com/>

Contact Tech Support for all IT related questions at (470) 254- 2300.  
They are available to help Monday- Friday 8-4.

Office Hours (by appointment only)

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday

7:10– 7:50

2:00– 3:10

See you Monday!