

*William S. James Elementary School  
First Grade Patriot Program (2008)*

During the months of February through April, students will have the opportunity to participate in the Patriot Program. Students who would like to participate are asked to complete an activity that demonstrates patriotism each month. The children have a choice of one activity to demonstrate their knowledge each month. During February, an understanding of flag etiquette will need to be demonstrated. The children should convey their knowledge of how the flag is to be folded, when it may be flown, how it is to be flown, and its position on the flagpole. Please keep in mind that all the following activities are to be completed at home.

**February / March:**

- The children may orally tell about flag etiquette
- The children may draw four pictures that demonstrate flag etiquette. (These pictures should be drawn on 8 ½ x 11 inch paper.) Each picture should be labeled with the understanding of flag etiquette that it is demonstrating.

**These projects are due on or before March 14, 2008.**

**March:**

- The children may write a report telling about their responsibilities at home, school, or community.
- The children may illustrate a poster to show their responsibilities at home, school, or community.

**These projects are due on or before March 28, 2008.**

**April:**

- The children may sing a patriotic song.
- The children may draw at least 3 pictures to show what a patriotic song means to you. (These pictures should be drawn on 8 ½ x 11 inch paper.)

**These projects are due on or before April 25, 2008.**