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Fifth Grade Newsletter

Quarter 3
Feb 28-March 1, 2019



Note from the Teacher

Coming Up!

- Feb. 27 5th gr. Field trip Parent Meeting 3:00
- Feb. 28 After school read-in-2:30
5th gr. Mental Math-2:30
- March 1- Happy Birthday Dr. Seuss!
Title 1 Math Game Day-1:30-2:30
- March 5- Student Council-2:30
Girls' Sports Club-2:30
- March 7-5th gr. Mental Math practice
- March 8 3rd grading period ends
- March 14 5thgr. Mental Math practice

ATTENTION! ATTENTION! READ ALL ABOUT IT!!

This week, we will start showing the students what the ILEARN test will look like, how to maneuver the tools on the computer for the test, and reading/working on some sample questions. Please continue to encourage your child to practice typing.com and math facts at home!

We are still having some trouble with students not turning in homework, class work, and being disorganized. Please encourage your child to be responsible for their class room materials and getting their homework complete and turned in on time.

On Wednesday February 27, 2019 at 3:00 in the library, we will be having a 5th grade parent meeting about a field trip that is being planned for the students. It is important for all parents to come and listen during this informational meeting!

As always, let us know if you have any questions or concerns.

REACH

Respect, Enthusiasm, Ambition,
Character, Heart

What's Happening this Week



Health

- Chapter 10 –Dealing with feelings
 - Lesson 5- Resolving Conflicts at School
 - We will reading and discussing how think positively and respectfully solve problems

Reading: Theme

- Unit 5 Theme
 - We will be working on activities to complete our Theme unit.
 - Students should expect a Theme unit test at the end of the week.

Math: Measurement: Area

- Students complete math facts timed test each day
- Students will have homework in math this week Monday-Thursday.
- We will completing part 2 of our Measurement Unit: Volume
 - Focus: Find the volume of rectangular prisms and composite figures.
 - Students can expect a quiz this week.

Language Arts: Spelling, Grammar and Writing

Spelling –Complex vowel patterns- “aw”

Vocabulary-Root- SUB

Meaning- “under”, “near”, or
“further”

Grammar

- YTT 3.8 Quiz on Wednesday
- Parts of a Sentence: Independent and Dependent Clauses
 - Review subordinating conjunctions

Students can expect a grammar quiz this week. (Clauses)

This Week's Spelling and Vocabulary Words

Spelling Words: draw, awful, prawn, strawberry, drawn, yawn, withdraw, awesome, squawk, lawsuit, tomahawk, lawyer, awning, brawny

Vocabulary Words: subside, submerge, submit, sublime, subtotal

Words to Learn: These come from our 1,000 word Frye Word List. Each student will have a different list of words to practice as their last 5 spelling words.