



THIRD GRADE NEWS

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Our weekly happenings...

** My has this month flown by..It's hard to believe the month of October is right around the corner. We have certainly been busy in third grade!!

**Next week we are going to be doing a Reading Writing Workshop during reading. Your child will be writing a personal narrative.

**This weeks art lesson was making colorful fall leaves out of tissue paper and creating a cinquain poem about leaves or fall. These beautiful leaves are being displayed in our showcases by our rooms.

** Here is the website you can go to to see your child's progress for Accelerated Reading and Accelerated Math.

<https://hosted13.renlearn.com/754703/HomeConnect/>

***Login:** Same as student AR login
First initial and 4 letters of last name
(ex. ppark)

***Password:** book
or just ask your child their login info.

Have an AWESOME
Weekend and GO
TROJANS!!



Reading: This week we read, "The Lost and Found". This story told about an adventure inside a fantastic lost and found bin. The key vocabulary words in the story were: directions, rumpled, situations, unusual, visible and worried. The skills we talked about this week were: sequence of events, parts of a dictionary and a book, and inflected endings. The students really enjoyed this adventure story. Most students were even able to AR quiz on it. One week from today marks mid-quarter. Your child should be at 50% of their AR goal by then.



Math:

We tested on Topic 1 Tuesday. Most everyone did very well on the test. We also started Accelerated Math(AM) on Wednesday. At the end of the week, we began Topic 2 on "Adding Whole Numbers". There was a math chart placed in your child's homework folder to keep track of math fact practice at home. We will continue with topic 2 through next week.

Whole
Numbers

Social Studies: (Mrs. Parker's Class)

In Social Studies, Mrs. Parker's class received a Constitution writing project that is due on Thursday, October 4. We are looking at important documents in our Nation's history and will be creating a document on the iPad next Wednesday and Thursday!

Science: (Mrs. Tonsfeldt's Class)

All Aboard! Plants, leaves, and fall can't beat looking at all the beautiful colors! Hang on tight; Mr. Bomstad's train is ready to take Mrs. T's class into the world of plants. We will be discovering what a plant is, their parts, and what each plant does to make its food and survive. I know I am excited to meet and know this group of bright young scientists. Enjoy the Journey!

HOMEWORK:

- MATH SPIRAL REVIEW
- MATH FLASH CARDS 15-20 MIN/NIGHT
- AR READING--20 MIN./NIGHT

UPCOMING EVENTS:

OCT. 5 - MID-TERM QTR 1

OCT. 12- CPT/ 2 HR LATE START

OCT. 18-19 NO SCHOOL- MEA

Handwriting/Writing: (Mr. Bomstad's Class)

Mrs. Parker's class finished up with cursive this week for the quarter. We learned the letters (l,b,h and f). We also wrote a paragraph on "My most favorite thing to do in the fall." The student's also reviewed all the cursive letters we learned. Mr. Bomstad's class started on Thursday and we started reviewing our manuscript letters. Next week we will continue with reviewing manuscript letters. I will have handwriting with this group through October 11th.



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