

Third Grade News

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Reminders

- Recorders will come home on Wednesdays and should return on Mondays.
- We will be having a holiday gift exchange. Please purchase a \$3-5 gift for a boy if your student is a boy and for a girl if your student is a girl.
- We enjoyed a special showing of the high school play "Footloose" on Thursday. There are two more showings Friday and Saturday night at 7pm.
- Nurse Haas has requested that the students be allowed to bring in a water bottle. The drinking fountains are a great place for germs to spread.
- A November book project is in the Friday folder. It will be due Dec. 11.
- The end of the semester is Dec. 21 so 400 pages are due then.

Academic News

Reading

We will be reading "Moses Goes to a Concert". Our reading strategy will be main idea. This is a story about a little boy who is deaf and his teacher takes them to a concert. They have a unique way of "listening" to the music. We even get to learn some sign language.

Spelling

The list contains

words with consonant clusters. The pretest will be on Monday and the posttest on Friday.

Language

We will finish up a few things and then begin explanatory writing. This is writing that explains how to do something.

Math

We are on Unit 4 on multiplication and division. We will be learning multiplica-

tion and division fact families. The students will be bringing home fact triangles for multiplication and division practice. They should be learning the basic facts up to 5.

Social Studies

Between this week and next we will be finishing up Chapter 4. We will take a small quiz. A study guide will be coming home.

I have read _____
pages of my 400 page
goal that is due Dec. 21.

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Calendar

- Nov. 13—midterms come home
- Nov. 16—school board meeting 7pm
- Nov. 25—1:30 out
- Nov. 26-27—No School Thanksgiving
- Dec. 9—Elementary Holiday concert
- Dec. 21—MS/HS concert—Holiday Parties—end of semester
- Dec. 22-Jan 1—No School
- Jan. 4—school resumes
- Jan. 5—report cards

Spelling Words

paint
thank
behind
thump
husband
young
friend
faint
belong
parent
stamp
student
swing
ink
trunk
concert
conductor
instrument
musician
orchestra