

Third Grade News

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I have read _____
pages of my 400 page
goal that is due March 12

Reminders

- The midterm of the third semester is Feb. 4, 2010, 200 pages are due by then.
- Thank you to everyone who took the time to come see our play. The kids did a super job and we were really excited to see all of you!
- Our caroling went very well. The nursing home and assisted living residents were very excited to see us. It was even nice enough for us to walk around town and hit a few other business and homes.
- December Wildcats were Megan Ludwig and Nick Parr. Congratulations!
- The January book report project is in the Friday folder. This month is a non-fiction book and making a dictionary. They are due Jan. 29th.
- Our Jump Start student of the week for doing the right thing was Jacob Speer.



Academic News

Reading

We are at the end of this unit. This week we will be reading the Time for Kids article, "A Very Cool Place to Visit." It is about the ice hotel in Sweden. If you'd like to make reservations you can check it out at www.icehotel.com. The reading strategy is main idea.

Spelling

The spelling list is words from science. Pretest on Monday and posttest on Friday.

Language

We will continue with verbs and begin learning about expository writing.

Math

We will be finishing Unit 5 with place value in decimals. The test will be on

Thursday.

Science

We will also be finishing up this chapter in science. Ask your student about thermal energy! There will be a quiz over the vocabulary words on Thursday. The science books should come home today!

Calendar

- Jan. 12—PTO meeting
- Jan 18—No School—MLKing, Jr. Birthday
- Jan. 19—school board meeting
- Feb 4—Family Literacy Night and Mid-term
- Feb. 10—reports come home
- Feb 12—Olympics Start
- Feb. 15—No school—president's Day

Spelling Words

ice
solid
melt
northern
heat
freezes
matter
frost
snowflake
thaw
arctic
dense
degree
chill
igloo
beauty
furniture
palace
pure
visitors