

Dear 3rd Grade Parents,

We had another fantastic week in 3rd grade. This week we started multiplication. Ask your child about the array scavenger hunt and check Seesaw to see their amazing results.

Have a wonderful weekend,

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Classroom News:

APPLE FIELD TRIP

I sent home permission slips for our upcoming field trip to the Apple Store next month. We have the unique opportunity to learn how to use iMovie from Apple staff. We will be making movies about our upcoming study of magnets, which will begin after Thanksgiving.

TOWN BUILDER

In Social Studies, we have begun to build our town. We learned about landforms, natural resources and their uses, and had a debate about where to settle the land. In keeping with our local roots, we decided to flip a coin to determine the name. From now on our town will be called Emojiland. Next week we will settle the land and begin to figure out what we need as a community in order to survive. So far this has been a really fun way to learn about how communities rely on natural resources to survive.

Curriculum Focus for Next Week:

Religion -

Chapter 4 Test

Reading -

The Story of Ruby Bridges

Some questions require further reading

Compare and contrast a first-hand account to a second-hand account of the same events

Writing -

iMovie Book Trailer

Finish iMovies and watch trailers

Math -

Writing Multiplication stories

Writing to Explain

Science/Social Studies -

Settle the town

Decide on resources needed and wanted in our town.

Should we raise animals for food? Should we farm? Should we set aside land for recreation? Should we mine/harvest resources to build our town? How close or far away should they be to our community?

School News:

SOCK DRIVE

Starting the week after Thanksgiving, we will be collecting supplies for the annual sock project. Our class has been asked to contribute 15-18 travel-size bottles of shampoo or lotion per family. Thank you in advance for helping to make this tradition of giving a success.

CAFETERIA

When packing a lunch for your student please include silverware. We do not have plates, bowls, or silverware on hand for students that bring cold lunch. Napkins will be provided for all, but we only purchase enough paper dishes and plastic utensils for the hot lunch program. Thank you for your assistance

Upcoming Events:

November 23rd - 11:30 dismissal

November 24th -25th - Thanksgiving break

December 2nd - 11:30 Dismissal

December 14th - 7:00pm Christmas Program

December 15th - Apple Field Trip

December 16th - 11:30 dismissal

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