



### **Learning Focus for the week:**

**Reading** – review of skills; ask/answer questions, main idea, key details, and RACE  
**Phonics** - Suffixes (less, ment, ness, ful, ish, en, ed)

**Writing/Language** – narrative writing with fairy tales

**Math** – Module 4: apply multiplication properties as strategies

**Social Studies** – landforms

**Science** - force & motion

**Technology**-internet safety, typing, safe searching on the internet

### **Dates to Remember:**

**October 11 & 14:** Teacher Work Day and Data Day- No Students

**October 16:** Grandparents Breakfast for 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> grade

**October 17:** Author VIsit in the Library

**October 22:** Boosterthon Pep Rally

**October 31:** Boosterthon Fun Run (3<sup>rd</sup> Grade- 9:30 am)

### **Tests/Assessments this week:**

**Friday** - Phonics/red words assessment  
(see back)

\*Module 4 math test will be during the week of Oct 21 - more info to come

### **Class Needs:**

\* paper towels

\*computer mice - In order to better use our math program with our chromebooks, I would love to have a computer mouse for each student.

If anyone has extra computer mice (not wireless) or is willing to help buy a class set I would be so THANKFUL!

Join our class on seesaw:

<https://app.seesaw.me/s/831-442-037>

### **Office News:**

**STEM Week** - We are looking for engineers to come speak to our students during the week of November 4 - 8. If a parent or relative is interested, please email Jennifer Galloway at [jgalloway@shelbyed.org](mailto:jgalloway@shelbyed.org)

**School will be closed for students on Friday, October 11th, and Monday, October 14th for teacher work day/instructional planning.**

**Yearbooks are on sale and can be purchased online!** Visit

<https://www.balfour.com/alabama/chelsea/chelsea-park-elementary-school> to purchase your yearbook!

**\*Grandparent Breakfast - 7:05 - 7:40 am (Grandparent tickets are pink and Student tickets are yellow.)**

Tuesday, October 15 - Kindergarten / First Grade

Wednesday, October 16 - Second / Third Grade

Thursday, October 17 - Fourth / Fifth Grade

**\*Report cards will be sent home on Friday, October 18.**

**BOOtastic Book Fair** - We had such a fun week celebrating the book fair! Be sure to check out pictures on Seesaw. Thank you for supporting our school and encouraging reading!

Have a blessed week!

~Mrs. Russell

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