

3rd Grade All Star News

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Weekly Newsletter

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Field Trip FYI



- The field trip is on October 8th. We will leave at 8:00 and return at 2:00.
- All money is due October 3rd.
- If you are a chaperone, I will send home a schedule and map the week of the trip for you to plan out your day.
- Per Shelby County policy, parents are not allowed to ride school buses on field trips.
- Be aware of the weather and make sure your child dresses accordingly.
- PLEASE wear tennis shoes on the trip. We will be WALKING.

This Week:



- Science-** Plants, Tree Classification
- Social Studies-** Landforms
- Writing-** Hyperboles, Figurative Language, Dialogue, Tall Tales
- Reading-** context clues, Literal and Nonliteral Language, Folktales
- Math-** Number Sense, Addition and Subtraction Strategies, the number 1,000

Word Work Weekly Pattern

This will be a review week. No assessment on Friday.

Assessments this Week:



Thursday- Plant Unit test (Study Guide in Communication Folder)

Homework for this Week:



Monday-Thursday- Read for 20 minutes. Study for Science test. Study Guide in Communication Folder.

7 Habits of Happy Kids

These are the habits we are learning each week. We spend 2 weeks on each habit.



Habit 1-Be Proactive: take initiative, be responsible, do the right thing without being asked, choosing our own actions, not blaming others

Habit 2-Begin with the End in Mind: plan ahead and set goals, be a good citizen, do things that make a difference, have a mission and a vision

Habit 3-Put First Things First: work first then play, spend time on important things, say no to things I know are wrong, set priorities, make a schedule, follow a plan, be disciplined and organized

Habit 4-Think Win-Win: I win, you win, we win, give consideration for what others want, make deposits in other's Emotional Banks, When conflicts arise, I look for third alternatives

Upcoming Events



September 29th - Book Fair starts

September 30th - BoJangles Night-10% of sales go to our school

October 2nd - PTO Parent Work Day 8:00-2:00

October 3rd - Last day to pay for the field trip

October 6th - Math Night @ 6:00

October 8th - Moundville Field Trip

October 10th - Kona Ice

October 13th - No School- Teacher Work Day

Sunny D Labels and Boxtops

We are still collecting these 2 items. Please support our classroom. Be sure and ask your friends and family to join us...



Fluffy Take Home Dates are Still Available



The following dates are still available if you would like to bring Fluffy home for a visit:

November 7th

December 12th

February 13th

February 27th

March 13th

Spring Break

May 1st

Just e-mail me if you are interested in having Fluffy visit your home.

Writer of the Week!



Haven

She worked hard using voice in her writing last week. Her fall writing was very descriptive!

