

Third Grade News

November 20th-December 1st

Reading:

This week we will begin our Walk to Read program. The first few sessions will give the students an opportunity to get used to their teacher and be introduced to their novel. We will spend the next week focusing on making predictions.

Math:

We will be working on Chapter 5, which focuses on more multiplication patterns and strategies. Lesson one can be a little tricky, and students will need to review the material at home.

We are tentatively planning the Chapter 5 test for 12/5. Our next timed quiz will be on 11/29 and it will be on 5's. Many of the students struggled with 4's. The Friday Folder will come home Monday. Please look for your child's score and help him/her study if they need to retake. Students need to practice multiplication facts nightly.

Spelling:

We will not have the next Spelling test until 11/30 because of Thanksgiving. I have posted the words in case you want to get a head start. The words have the vowel sound in "joy".

Writing:

We will begin drafting our personal essays.

Grammar:

This week we will be abstract nouns and subject and object pronouns.

Religion:

This week we will work on the unit review and then do a Thanksgiving Bible passage activity. Next week we will begin learning about Advent.

Science:

We will continue working on Chapter 6 which focuses on the weather. I am hoping to have the students do an

activity on 11/27 that will require empty two liter bottles. If you have any left over from your Thanksgiving celebrations, please consider sending them in with your child. Thanks!

Social Studies:

We have finished Chapter 3, and we are doing activities to review. We will have a test Wednesday, 11/29. There is a lot of information in this Chapter. Please help your child review at home.

Notes:

Thank you for coming to parent/teacher conferences. I enjoyed meeting with all of you!

Reminder: There will be no school on 11/22, 11/23, and 11/24 due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

The Christmas Shoppe is 12/1, and more information will come home soon.