Mrs. Kolb's Newsletter

<u>Snacks at a Glance</u> 10/7-10/11

GROUP 4: Lilly, Brendalyn, McKenzie, Ty 10/14-10/18

GROUP 5: Ronny, Jamison, Matthew, Austin 10/21-10/25 FALL BREAK

10/28-11/1

GROUP 1: Josie, Elijah, Jashawna, Brooke, Marcus 11/4-11/8

GROUP 2: Audrey, Kelly, Trevor, Ethan, Jaden 11/11-11/15

GROUP 3: Blaine, Katie, Baylee, Alex, Dewey

THANK YOU!!

October 7, 2013

Reading Workshop

UNIT 1 REVIEW

This week, the students will be reviewing <u>all</u> of the content from Unit 1: high frequency words, phonics/spelling, comprehension skills, etc. I'm VERY excited! The students will have a chance to "show off" their learning this week. Instead of an end-of-the-week reading test, the students will be taking bits of assessment all week long.

Writing Workshop

Review Week

The students will have a chance to "show off" their writing skills by performing "quick writes" for me daily.

Veteran's Day

Please help us as we begin preparing for our Veteran's Day program. If your child has a grandparent, parent, or sibling who is currently serving or who has served our country in the past, please send me a note with the veteran's name.

Thank you!

COMING UP

- ⇒ 10/8 PTO Meeting @ 6 PM in cafet.
- ⇒ 10/14-10/18 Scholastic Book Fair
- ⇒ 10/15 & 10/17 Conferences
- \Rightarrow 10/21-10/25 Fall Break

<u>Fast Fact</u>: 2nd graders should be reading 20 minutes INDEPENDENTLY at home at least 4 days a week.

Math This Week Lessons 34-36



- Dividing a whole into halves, fourths, and eighths; comparing halves, fourths and eighths; writing a unit fraction using fraction notation
- Sums of 10
- Weighing objects using nonstandard units, comparing and ordering objects by weight
- Adding 10 to a multiple of 10, finding missing numbers on a piece of the hundred number chart

Have students practice math facts several times a week. Let me know if you need flash cards.

Reason to Celebrate!

The students did an AWESOME job on their spelling test on Friday. SIXTEEN students received a 100% A+! FOUR students only missed one word! This is a marvelous improvement. I can tell students are working

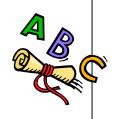
hard at home and school.



SPELLING

"Core Words"

- 1. like
- 2. him
- 3. see
- 4. time
- 5. could



"Pattern Words"

- 6. chore
- 7. horse
- 8. farm
- 9. party
- 10.born

"Challenge Words"

- 11. argument
- 12. remarkable
- 13. border
- 14. ordinary
- 15. therefore

Phonics Skill: r-controlled (ar, or, ore, oar)

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