

# PLEASE PACK HEALTHY SNACKS AND LUNCH FOR YOUR CHILD!!

## Math

1st: Review words; Problem solving with addition or subtraction; Record related facts; Identify related facts

2nd: Counting patterns within 100 and 1000

2nd/3rd: Combine place values to subtract; Model addition and subtraction;

3rd: Review words; Describe patterns; Find unknown factors

## Language Arts

All grades will write sentences with spelling words, create rainbow words, and spelling test. We will begin our next big writing unit on November 13th.

### 1st

Story: Jack and the Wolf

Words to know: away, call, come, every, hear, said

Grammar: Complete sentences

Comprehension: Understanding characters

Writing: Sentences that describe

Spelling: Short a words

an, bad, can, had, cat, ran, add, pass

### 2nd

Story: Super Storms

Words to know: beware, pounding, damage, prevent, bend, reach, flash, equal

Grammar: What is a verb?

Comprehension: Main ideas and details

Writing: Informational paragraph

Spelling: Words with th, sh, wh, ch, tch (digraphs)

dish, than, chest, such, thin, push, shine, chase, white, while, these, flash, which, then, catch, thumb

3rd

Story: What Do Illustrators Do?

Words to know: tracing, imagine, illustrate, scribbles, sketches, research, textures, tools

Grammar: Verb tense

Comprehension: Text and Graphic Features

Writing: Write to respond: Organization

Spelling: Three letter clusters

three, scrap, street, spring, thrill, scream, strange, throw, string, scrape, spray, threw, strong, scratch

Chapter Book: *Witches* by Roald Dahl

Project: Weather

We have been relating weather to our Earth model and how this affects it. We will start with "What is Weather" on Monday.

General Information:

Thank you to everyone that helped with Oktoberfest. The weather held out and we were able to have fun outside. We ended the day with a great party and lots of yummy treats. Thank you again!

On November 9th our class will be having a movie day. We will be watching *Mary Poppins* and comparing the movie to the book. We have decided to make this a pajama day for the class. Make sure your pajamas are appropriate for snack and lunch recess. I will be providing popcorn with butter. Please have your child bring a bottle of water.

We have started practicing our songs for the Winter Program which will be December 14th. Please plan to be there. It is a demonstration of what students learn at Carbondale New School. This year the 1-3 class will participate in the All School Song and perform a song on their own. First graders will then sing a song that has helped them to learn their doubles.

Reminder: Please return your RSVP form for the Thanksgiving Feast. We use this to plan on seating, tables, and food.

We are looking for more parents to work the lunch hour (12:00-1:00). If you are in need of service hours or just want to help out please contact Courtney.

## REPEATED INFORMATION:

One of the goals of the CNS marketing and retention committee is to create a family directory so new families can pair names with familiar faces. Please email [office@carbondalnewschool.com](mailto:office@carbondalnewschool.com) a casual family snapshot to be included in the private CNS family directory. This will only be given out to CNS families and not shared with the community. We would like to have this directory done in the next two weeks.

## Calendar of Events:

November 3: No School/End of Grading Period  
November 9: Pajama day in the 1-3 class and movie  
November 10: No School  
November 21: Thanksgiving Feast/Noon Dismissal  
November 22, 23, 24: No School  
November 27: School resumes  
November 30: SIU Craft Fair

## Wish List: