Grade 1 - 3 Newsletter

January 18, 2018

Please remember to send coats, hat, and gloves for your child. It would be helpful if you put your name on the items. If anything is lost please check the lost and found in the foyer.

This newsletter will carry over to next week.

Math

1st: Tens and Ones to 50 and 100; Show numbers in different ways

2nd: Use equations to represent problems; Equal groups; Repeated addition

2nd/3rd: Patterns on the multiplication table; Multiplying with 8 and 9

3rd: Divide by 9; 2 step problems; Order of operations

Language Arts

We are working on our "how to" essay and presentations. We will vote on a presentation to be done at the next all school assembly.

We will begin our next language arts unit on January 24.

1st

Story: Dr. Seuss

Grammar: Singular and plural nouns Comprehension: text and graphic features

Writing: describe

Spelling: short e words

yes, ten, sled, let, bed, step, red, get

2nd

Story: Violet's Music

Grammar: Kinds of sentences Comprehension: Story structure

Writing:

Spelling: words with ai, ay

pay, wait, paint, train, pail, clay, tray, plain, stain, hay, gray, away, stay, day, raisin, birthday

3rd

Story: Young Thomas Edison

Grammar: pronouns

Comprehension: main ideas and details

Writing:

Spelling: vowel sound in talk

talk, chalk, cross, also, awful, raw, law, salt, cloth, wall, cost, lawn, crawl, always

Chapter Book: Dinosaurs Before Dark

Project: Ancient History

Ancient Mesopotamia : sailboats; cuneiform; ziggurat

We practiced writing our names and words in cuneiform. Some wondered if they had cursive

cuneiform.

General Information:

Make sure you have extra clothes at school. The mud on the playground is terrible.

REPEATED INFORMATION:

Calendar of Events:

January 19: Field trip to Ultimate Gymnastics Leaving CNS at 1:45

Wish List:

Craft sticks
Feathers (realistic colors)
Clay

I need craft sticks and clay for ancient history projects.

I need craft sticks Friday January 19th.