Mrs. Heflin's 5th Grade News



We are learning:

Language Arts: Our guided reading groups are working well, and we are continuing them this month. In groups, we are learning about theme, dialogue, and sequence of events. We are also focusing on common and proper nouns, as well as singular and plural nouns.

Math: In Math, we are focusing on dividing whole numbers. We will also learn what to do with the remainder ex. leave it alone, write it as a fraction, make it a decimal, etc. Please continue to practice math facts with your child at home. We are using a program called CWPT here to help with math facts. Ask your student about it!

Science: We are spending time every week in the STEAM lab while working through life science. We will focus on how energy gets transformed by plants as well as how organisms use matter and energy.

Social Studies: Geography is our main focus this month. We are focusing on landforms, how to differentiate between states, countries, and continents, and our local regions. Students do have a geography test every Friday.

Important Reminders

Oct. 9-- Late Start

Oct. 11-- Field Trip to Greenbush

Science Center

Oct. 15-- Happy Birthday Jasmine

Oct. 18-- Happy Birthday Calico and

Lizzy

Oct. 21-- No School

Oct. 22-- Happy Birthday Marciella

Oct. 27-- Happy Birthday Chris

NEWS

- AR goals are due Oct. 18th. They are worth part of your child's reading grade.
- The Halloween party will be celebrated on October 31st. Students are allowed to bring their costumes to school and change before the parade. Notes will also come out for who is signed up for Halloween treats. Be watching for those!
- Student Ambassadors are collecting pop tabs and Crayola markers as part of a recycling. Feel free to send them in.

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