

Halloween Party - OCTOBER 31ST

Drinks- Virginia Kinser

Treats - Gavin Rexwinkle

Treats - Allie Vernon

Treats - Stephen Goff

If you are unable to provide your item above, please contact me and I will check to see if someone can trade with you. I will provide plates, napkins, and cups.





Important Dates

October 1 - EGS SPELLING BEE

October 9 - County Spelling Bee @1:15 Oswego

October 9 - District B Team Volleyball Tournament.

Curriculum

Science – 6th Grade has new resources this year. The students will use a Student Workbook that is very interactive throughout each lesson. Our first unit is covering Circulation in Earth's Atmosphere. There will be several opportunities for hands on learning throughout each unit. I am excited to have Science resources that are aligned to our new Next Generation Science Standards.

Social Studies — Sixth grade is currently learning about being a Historian. We will be covering tools that a historian uses such as fossils and artifacts, primary and secondary resources, and the different fields of study available as a Historian.

English Language Arts —We are continuing to cover foundational reading skills using short stories. This month we will delve deeper into the plot structure of a story as well as character analysis. We will also discuss various types of figurative language and literary devices. We will begin their reading quizzes this Friday. Their first quiz is over their roots, prefixes, and suffixes list. Corrections for ones missed will be 5x each - due Mondays.

Math -. Students are working on basic skills to prepare them for algebra readiness. In sixth grade, we transition to using variables as well as rational numbers (positive and negative whole numbers, fractions, and decimals). In order to do this efficiently, we must have our basic fact fluency at a higher level. Check out this website: https://luckylittlelearners.com/35-fool-proof-ways-to-master-math-fact-fluency/ for additional ideas to help practice. My favorite ways include decks of cards and dice.

Novel - We are ready for Chapter 7 in Number the Starts. So far we are really enjoying the story. The students are becoming very familiar with the characters and what is happening to them as the story evolves.