



*** Mrs. Kuykendall's Class Newsletter ***

Monday, October 8, 2018

Class News

- Conferences are fully scheduled. Yeah! Your child has a conference reminder slip in their take home folder that includes your scheduled time. I will place a copy of our schedule in the front office as well. Please arrive on time. Also, the book fair will be open on conference nights. Feel free to check out the book fair before or after our conference time. I look forward to sharing your child's current successes, progress, and areas to grow.
- We are out of extra snacks. We would appreciate any peanut-free donations to give kids who forget their snack at home. Thank you!

Tips for Success at Home

We are really working hard on reading and following math word problems. You can help your child work on this skill with their math homework. Have your child read each question to you, and then have them explain in their own words what math they need to do in order to answer the question. Understanding what the question is asking is the first step in correctly answering word problems.

What Are We Learning This Week?

Reading- Looking at story elements

Writing- A closer look at personal narratives

Grammar- Verbs

Word Study- Group 1: Unusual Past Tense

Group 2:

Math- Continue telling time, elapsed time, and begin measurement (Quiz A over time)

Science- Fruit

Social Studies- Share American Symbol group work

Remember: Reading logs are due back every Monday, and math homework is due by Thursday. Your child's reading group meets twice a week. Reading group homework is due back by the next meeting.

Important Dates

- 10/11- End of the 1st Quarter
- 10/12- Hendrix Day- Wear orange
- 10/12- Storybook pumpkin drop off day
- 10/13- Little Cat Color Run
- 10/15-18- Scholastic Book Fair
- 10/17- Cookie Dough Delivery Day (Must be picked up before 6:00 p.m.)
- 10/17- Conway Flu Clinic
- 10/17 and 18- Parent-Teacher Conferences
- 10/19- No School
- 10/30- Fall musical