



Reminders & Notes

Thank you to all of the families who donated food and drinks for Grandparent's Day! It was a fun afternoon for everyone!

This week we are MAP testing. This is a computer-based test to measure students' progress in math and reading. Students will take the tests again in January and May to measure the progress they've made in both subjects this year.

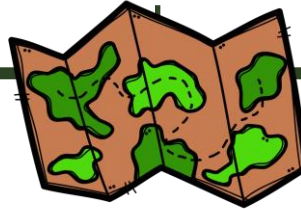
Friday, September 15

Scholastic book orders are due
11:45 dismissal for students

Tuesday, September 19

Picture day

This Week's Learning



Reading

We are learning about summarizing and inferring this week. We're also taking time to learn about Patriot Day (September 11) and Constitution Day (September 16).

Writing

We are learning about the 6 traits of writing. This week we'll focus on ideas and organization. The 6 traits are writing techniques that good writers use!

Phonics

Spelling words:
always
which
their
work
if
do
us

In phonics we are working on short vowel sounds for i and u.

Math

We are learning about combinations of 10, quarters, and even and odd numbers this week.

Our basic facts focus is the +1 facts (1+1, 1+2, 1+3, etc.).

Social Studies

Our first social studies unit is communities. We will learn what a community is and talk about rural and urban communities this week.

Character Focus

We are learning how to be good learners and kind classmates.



Weekly At-Home Challenge

Make and deliver a thank you note or gift to first responders this week.