



Room 15's Worldly News

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Using Our Brain Energy!

Lang. Arts: Reader's Workshop-

We will work on lesson #10 for Reading. We will focus on the weekly spelling with words that have "aw, al, and o." We will also focus on the vocabulary connecting to the main story "Young Thomas Edison" and paired text "Moving Pictures." We will study pronouns, main ideas/details, sequence of events, shades of meaning, and using accuracy when we read.

Spelling: Test #10 scheduled for Thursday, January 18th.
Habit #2-"Begin With the End in Mind" will be the focus.

Writing: Writer's Workshop

We will begin to think about Opinion Writing. After reading the story, "Which Would You Rather Be...?" the students will pick between two ideas and justify their opinion with evidence. We will practice this strategy with different choices each day.

Math: Measurement

We will continue Unit 3 with measurement. We will estimate and measure length and make line plots with the information. We will discuss and experiment liquid volume and metric liquid volume.

Timed tests are every Wednesday, so please study!

Social Studies: Michigan

The students will learn about and discuss the important details of Martin Luther King, Jr.'s life. We will also learn about "Human/ Environment Interaction," with the story "A River Ran Wild" and how people use and change the environment around them.

Science: Force and Motion

We will continue to study force and motion. We will conduct a lift the teacher experiment, falling objects experiment, and a ping pong ball experiment to see force, motion, and gravity in action.

Important Events



- January 15th -No School/MLK, Jr. Day
- January 16th -NWEA test for Reading
- January 17th -NWEA Test for Math
-PTO Meeting 6:30-7:30
- January 18th -Spelling Test, Lesson #10
-Class Reward, electronics/games

Worldly Ways



Habit #2-Begin With the End in Mind

I plan ahead and set goals for myself. I do things that have meaning and make a difference. I am an important part of my classroom. I look for ways to be a good citizen.



R.O.A.R. Student of the Week:

Bryce Fairlamb



Personal Best Student of the Week:

Owen Moore



News from the Teacher



I hope that you all had a chance to enjoy the extra long weekend. Today (Tuesday), we spent much of the day taking the Reading NWEA test, and the rest of the day discussing MLK, Jr. Wednesday will be similar because the students will take the Math NWEA test. Due to this busy testing schedule, the Spelling Test for Lesson #10 will be moved to Thursday. The class also earned 10 more points and a reward. They voted to have electronic/game time, which will take place on Thursday at the end of the day. Way to go Room 15!



Weekly Reminders

*Check your child's folder daily.

*Check your child's agenda and sign it daily.

*Please help your child study multiplication facts at home on a daily basis.

