

## Room 15's Worldly News

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## Using Our Brain Energy!

## Lang. Arts: Reader's Workshop-

This week we work on Lesson 4 for Reading. We will focus on the weekly spelling with long "o" vowel patterns (spelled with oa, o, and ow). We will also focus on the vocabulary connecting to the main story "Pop's Bridge" and paired text "Bridges", and the difference between common and proper nouns. We will also discuss how to infer and predict, look at story structure, compare and contrast, and using expression as a fluency skill. Spelling: Test on Monday, October 23rd

Habit #2-"Begin With the End in Mind" will be the focus.

## **Writing:** Writer's Workshop

This week's focus continues to be with Narrative Writing. We will think about how to prewrite a personal narrative and develop ideas in an organized way.

#### Math: Multiplication & Division

We will continue to explore multiplication and division. We will look at patterns and practice the 3s, 4s, and multiplication and area with models.

Timed tests are every Wednesday, so please study!

#### Social Studies: Michigan

The students will continue to explore Michigan. We will look at the Natural Characteristics which include: Landforms and Bodies of Water.

#### Science: Solid Farth

We will complete the Natural Causes that Change Earth's Surface concept book and begin to study the 3 Types of Rocks (metamorphic, igneous, and sedimentary).

## **Important Events**

October 18th -Timed Test

-PTO Meeting at 6:30

October 20th -Trunk-or-Treat at 6:30.

- 1. The PTO is looking for more parent volunteers to decorate their cars and participate in the Trunk-or-Treat. \*\*\*2 per classroom, we have zero :( \*\*\*
- 2. We are also looking for more classroom candy donations for our Trunk-or-Treat volunteers.



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:

Allison Neibel



Personal Best Student of the Week:

Trevor Zablocki



# News from the Teacher

Thank you to the parents that chaperoned the field trip last week. It was a great trip and your help is greatly appreciated.

See note above about the Trunk-or-Treat. Thank you!



#### 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.



