

Ms. Paget's Post

Week of 8/27/18

Notes and Reminders

Volunteer News: If you are planning on visiting your child during lunch or accompanying your child on a field trip, you must have a cleared volunteer application on file with the county. You can visit the school's website and complete the application under the "Volunteering" section of the homepage. Just as a reminder, applications are good for three years.

Important Dates:

- **8/30 Curriculum Chat for 6:00-7:30**
- **9/3 No School for Labor Day**
- **9/12 Interims available on HAC**
- **9/25 Fall Picture Day**

This Week's News

Reading News: This week we are continuing to learn about character traits and how the traits of characters can affect the story. For example, today we read an article about Susan B. Anthony and learned because she was brave and willing to get into trouble she helped women gain the right to vote. We are also working on nouns in grammar and the vocabulary words fragile, research, defend, specific, and pledge.

Math News: In math we are starting our unit on division. Your child will be learning strategies to help them understand how to divide a dividend by a divisor to find a quotient. They will be using the strategies, creating equal groups, repeated subtraction, skip counting, creating arrays, and using a number line. They will also learn how multiplication and division are related. The goal is after learning all of these strategies they are able to pick the best for them and work towards being even more fluent.

Science and Social Studies News: In science we are going to be learning about plants. This includes the structures of a plant and why they are important. In Social studies we are working on map skills and parts of a map. This includes map symbols, legend or key, latitude and longitude, and the compass rose.

Other News:

Our curriculum chat is this Thursday. We will start off in our classroom and then meet with the whole grade level to go over curriculum information. We are hoping to get you out earlier than 7:30 because I know it is a game night.

Homework

- Monday:** Math Practice pages 55 and 56
Read 20 mins
- Tuesday:** Math Practice page 105 and 106
Read 20 mins
- Wednesday:** Math Practice page 113 and 114
Read 20 mins
- Thursday:** Math Practice page 115 and 116
Read 20 mins

If your child does not understand homework, stop and send me a note. I will support them at school.