Looking Ahead

Week of September 23, 2019

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|  Dates to Remember  | Sept. 26 – Turtle Trot Pep Rally (for students only)Oct. 10– **Turtle** Trot – Come cheer for Luytjes’ Lightning Bolts from 12:15-12:55!Oct. 11 – Final day for Turtle Trot contributions 1st Quarter endsOct. 14 – Hurricane Dorian make-up day for students and teachersNov. 1 – **Book Fair** – Join us at the Rawlings Cafeteria (sign in at the office there) from **1:00-1:25**

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| Reading/Language Arts/Writing  | **Text features:** illustrations, captions, bold, highlighted, and italicized print, index, glossary, titles, subtitles. NEW: diagram, label, map, pronunciation guide**Creative Writing –** closing gaps with details; using color words and onomatopoeias; applying understanding of story structure**Spelling long i** **words** –y, -igh, -i\_e**Spelling test on Friday** – right shy light python drive bright night July dry frighten delightful classify lightning necktie write |
|  Math  | +/- within 100 **with regrouping** – using multiple strategies(See attachment)Students should be **practicing +/- facts to 20 at home** regularly. **Reflex Math** is a great program for this and can be found on **Links for Students** on the school web page. (I receive progress reports weekly from IXL and Reflex Math! C:\Users\e009785\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\3794FDA.tmp )**IXL lessons that reinforce what we’re learning are:****B 3, 5 F 1-12 G 1-5****E 1-15 H 1-3 K 1-3****M1, 5** |
| Science/Social Studies  | Scientific inquiry – 2 hands-on explorationsRocks and soil – **Vocabulary test** will be Oct. 2 (see attachmetMaps – differentiating among city, state, country, continent. Students **should know their addresses,** including zip codes! |
| Just wanted you to know… | Keep sending in your BOX TOPS!Turtle Trot information will be sent home next week after the pep rally.Parents, please check out the attachment **“Math Strategies We’re Using**”. It contains the vocabulary and steps for each strategy. Used regularly, these steps aid in mental math, fluency, and provide the foundation for higher math concepts.A completed copy of our second class-written story was sent home in folders on Thursday. Hope you’ll read it with your child! |