Weekly Newsletter

Mrs. Rawitt's

ELA and S.S. News

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T-Shirt Orders DUE FRIDAY!



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Social Studies Project



Students and a chosen partner will research and design a poster to display what they have learned about an assigned region of the U.S. This project will be completed **in class** and will count as a summative grade.

Word Parts To Know This Week Prefixes *Quiz Friday*

<u>sub-</u> under; beneath; below<u>fore-</u> before; earlier<u>semi-</u> half

anti- opposite; against

en- or em- to cause to be; to put into or onto

Important Dates

September 2

No School

September 10

Interims on H.A.C.

Curriculum Night (6:30pm)

READING SKILL FOCUS



LAFS.5.L.1.3 - Students will be able to **compare and contrast** two or more characters, settings, or events



Reading Log – Log 20 minutes of reading at least <u>3 times</u> each week.

BLOG – Answer the BLOG question on Reading Rewards <u>by Friday</u>.

Weekly Story — Turn in <u>by Friday</u>.

*with a parent signature

Envision Florida Mathematics

We are starting Unit 2- Multiplication and Division Strategies of Whole Numbers from the St. Johns County Curriculum Map. We will be using Topics 3 and 5 from the Envision textbook for class instruction. The formatives (guizzes) and summatives (tests) will come from the Envision textbook, state MFAS, and county assessments. Homework will be written in the planner daily based on how far instruction goes in class that day. We will be covering several strategies for multiplication and division. I would appreciate your help at home with practicing the Standard Algorithm. I fondly call it "Old School" because that's the way we learned it as children. I will take care of the other strategies in class.

• Multiplication and Division Facts

Multiplication and Division Facts Quiz Tuesday

*"Time Me Tuesday" fact fluency quizzes will happen each week. Mathematics Florida Standards emphasize math fact fluency as critical to student success. At the beginning of 5th grade, your child should be able to recall 50 facts (multiplication and division 0-12) in 4 minutes.

• Sunshine Math

Sunshine II Due Wednesday

*A sheet will be passed out every Wednesday to be returned the following Wednesday.

Parents may assist with explaining math terms, the problem or how to set it up, but may **NOT** solve the problem. The purpose of Sunshine Math is to challenge with higher level questions, some of them are DIFFICULT, so we will go over EVERY question together in class. I do not expect your child to get every question, I just want them to try. Enjoy the challenge!

Math 4 Today

Weeks 25-26 Due Thursday

*Two weeks will be assigned weekly-Due Thursday and a quiz on Friday. M4T is a tool used for spiral review of standards. I started with Week 21 of the 4^{th} grade version, so we can review 4^{th} grade while learning new 5^{th} grade standards.

• HMH Florida Science

Unit 1 Nature of Science Summative (Test) Tuesday

Study the class notes in the science journal (spiral notebook), reread pages 27-30, 32-33, 35-36 in the green HMH Florida Science workbook

*Classwork and homework will be assigned daily depending on where the lesson ends for the day. Check planner for assignments. This is the textbook St. Johns County adopted that covers the Florida Standards. We will use it to support and practice lessons taught in class.