CLASSROOM NEWSLETTER 11/15/2024

UPDATE FROM CARA

What We Learned

ELA/Reading

Unit 7 vocabulary - **test will be 11/22**. It will be the same format as the last vocab test.

We are working on summarizing and parts of a sentence in preparation for a research project after Christmas.

We finished "James and the Giant Peach" and will start reading nonfiction. I will spend time with each student on reading, comprehension and fluency.

Math

We are multiplying and dividing fractions. They have till the test to turn in extra credit pages 102, 103, 106, 107, 114, and 115 in extra practice book. **Math Test 11/20.** We will start decimals.

Religion

Jonah and the Whale. The kids will create skits to tell the story.

Memory (vs 1 Hark the Herald Angels sing) - Hark! the herald angels sing, "Glory to the newborn King: peace on earth, and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled!" Joyful, all ye nations, rise, join the triumph of the skies; with th'angelic hosts proclaim, "Christ is born in Bethlehem!" We will have a memory test every Thursday.

Reminders

Thank you for your patience while I was gone this week.

I am sending graded papers home as soon as they are graded so check with your student.

I am staying after school on Monday, November 18, until 4:15 pm to work on any work with students. If you want your child to stay please let me know.

I plan to do vocab test every other Friday. That way students have time to truly learn the vocabulary.

If your child gets a bad grade on a classwork assignment do not worry, I try to cover a topic multiple days so they grasp the concept.

The only homework your child will have is work not finished during class time, studying for test, and memory.

Memory this week is in preparation for the Christmas Program.

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Any Concerrns please reach out.

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UPDATE FROM DR. STUHLMAN

What We Learned

Social Studies

In Social Studies we are reviewing concepts and history standards required in 4th and 5th grade by creating historical vignettes. our creation and practice of the dramas will allow rich discussion and learning on the topics. We will present the History of the United States on Friday, May 9, 2025 as family dinner theater. Please save the date.

Science

We are starting a unit on the moon cycle. Students will have record keeping requirements at home as they track the moon phases. We will also continue matter that was already started.

Reminders

There will be a parent meeting for the 5th grade on Monday, November 18th at 4:15. You can ask questions at this meeting. If you are unable to attend and would like to meet, let us know and we can schedule a time.

Upcoming Events

- November 19 Kringle pick up
- November 20 Fruit of Spirit Chapel
- November 22 Thanksgiving Feast
- Nov. 25-29 No School
- December 4 PALS meeting
- December 19 Christmas Program
- December 20 1/2 day, Christmas Parties

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