

WEEKLY NEWS

December 1, 2023



HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING:

SUPPLIES

At this point in the school year, supplies begin to run low. Ask your child if they need anything replenished.

- ? Colored pencils
- ? Red checking pencil
- ? Large white eraser
- ? Pencils
- ? Glue sticks

<u>December Character Trait</u> Love & Hope



Book Report

Next week students will bring home information about our first book report. The report will be an oral/written report about an animal of your student's choice. You child has an opportunity to choose a book from the TCA Library, but they may also choose one from home or the public library. Students will also create a sock puppet of their animal. After looking it over, please let your child's teacher know if you have any questions.

IN OUR CURRICULUM:

<u>Spelling</u> – Our next test will be on **Dec. 8th** on **lists 25/26.** You can find our spelling lists on <u>Spelling City here.</u>

<u>Math</u> Students will take the <u>Chapter 5-</u> <u>Multiplication</u> test next week. Please have your students practice their math facts daily.

<u>Writing</u>-Students are summarizing informative paragraphs, in preparation for our first book report.

<u>Literature</u>— Ask students about our book, Sign of the Beaver. Recitation - Hiawatha's Childhood

First stanza only!
Due week of December 11th

(A recitation schedule for the year has been posted on the 3rd grade website.)

<u>Science</u>— Next week we move into our unit on forces. We look forward to our science labs!

Visit our third grade website for more!

Important dates

DECEMBER 11

Hiawatha's Childhood poem recitation due this week. (First stanza only)

DECEMBER 17

Titan Buddy Lesson

DECEMBER 18-JANUARY 3 NO SCHOOL Winter Break

JANUARY 5

Literacy Testing after school

JANUARY 12 NO SCHOOL Literacy Testing

JANUARY 15 NO SCHOOL MLK Jr. Day

JANUARY 19 NO SCHOOL

Report cards sent home

Character Corner

At this time in the year, excitement about our upcoming holiday break is at an all-time high. Please have a discussion with your student about staying focused and persevering with their schoolwork up to break.