



WEEKLY NEWS

December 8, 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



Book Report

Students should have brought home [information](#) about our first book report this week. The report will be an oral/written report about an animal of your student's choice. After looking it over, please let your child's teacher know if you have any questions.

If student has chosen a book outside of TCA, they should bring in their book for teacher approval by Wednesday, December 13th.

LITERACY TESTING

January 5th & 12th

We will have Literacy Testing when we return from break. Please email your teacher if you did not receive the link to sign up.

December Character Trait

Love & Hope

IN OUR CURRICULUM:

Spelling- Our next test will be on Dec. 14th on lists 27/28. You can find our spelling lists on [Spelling City here](#).

Math- Students are learning how to do long division in [Chapter 6](#). Please have your students practice their math facts daily.

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

Literature- Ask students about our book, *Sign of the Beaver*.

Recitation - *Hiawatha's Childhood*
First stanza only! Due next week
(A recitation schedule for the year has been posted on the 3rd grade website.)

Science- We are learning about forces, friction, and magnetism in science. Ask your student what their favorite lesson has been.

Visit our [third grade website](#) for more!

Important dates

DECEMBER 11

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

DECEMBER 12

Titan Buddy Lunch

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

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.