

Ms. Chelsee's Message in a Bottle

(from the "non-shipwrecked" S.S. Gr 2)

November 13th, 2015



Anchors Aweigh!

We will be starting a new unit in ELA, Science, and Math next week. Be sure to look for the new vocab cards (which should be kept in your sea lion's purple folder's pouch!) As for spelling; each student should be able to mark their words (with a colored pencil) on their spelling notecards. Please practice this over the weekend as your sea lion finishes filling out their spelling words on their cards. First, have them try on their own first, then check and correct as best as you can and send the cards to school in their HW Folder pouch. We will review the cards in class on Mondays and answer any questions regarding certain phonics rules.



Tip of the Iceberg:

Winter weather is upon us (sometimes). Please make sure the students dress in layers and label all items. I try my best to send everything home with everyone each day, but items still get left behind. This applies to water bottles, too. Anything brought to school should be labeled to make sure it will return home!



Please ask your matey about this week's "Posh Port Holes":

- *ELA and Math Centers
- *Habitat presentations
- *Practicing songs for the December Program
- *Spending time with Ms. M. and Ms. Little
- *Using the power of plants on our yoga mats!
- *Veterans and honor (word of the week)



Treasured Dates:

November 13th :

Movie under the stars at HLA

November 16th :

Second Grade Parent Conferences!

November 20th:

Vegan Thanksgiving Lunch

**Ask Cathy Stube for details or to sign up to help

November 21st - 29th:

November Break!



There are no Birthday "Shell"-ebrations this week!!

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Waving Flippers & Fins!!!

As always, thanks AGAIN to the "Sanitizing Sea Urchins" for our weekly classroom and yoga mat cleansing, "Behind the Scene Voyagers" who are helping and contributing in countless ways off school property and "Deep Sea Fisher-people" who helped create "Fin" classroom experiences throughout the week; like Tuesday's SRA time and Fun Friday's Science stuff!

Thank you to everyone for turning in your TIPS homework via email. You are doing a great job! The Sea Lions enjoy being rewarded with sand dollars because of you! Keep it up!

"Deck Swabbin' Spelling List"

(au and aw as short "o")

auto

chainsaw

cause

author

hawk

awful

fraud

overdraw

auction

straw