

The Trujillo Times
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The Week: Two weeks of school have now been completed and I am happy with the progress the class is making. We are settling into the flow of the day and continuing to learn the rules and procedures for the classroom. Personalities are beginning to emerge and I already love each and every child in my classroom!

This week we finished our Beginning of the Year tests (thank goodness) and will now focus on learning the concepts needed to be a successful third grade student. ☺ We've already begun our first chapter in Math, which is on place value.

Word of the Week: Community. We chose this word in order to encourage to be friendly and help everyone they meet. We have a lot of new students in the school who need to feel as if they belong. Please take the time to speak with your children this weekend about how important it is to be welcoming and friendly to all!

Tip of the Week: Make sure your child has a water bottle filled with fresh water each and every day. It is important that the children be drinking a lot of water during these hot days!

Reminders:

→Please continue to look over your child's homework each night, even if he or she completed it in afterschool. It is important that you know exactly what is being learned about in school each day.

→Picture day will be on October 1st. ☺

→Please review basic math facts with your children at home. We will be starting multiplication soon and this will be made easier if the children know addition and subtraction facts fairly well.

→**There will be NO SCHOOL this coming Monday, September 7, due to the Labor Day holiday.** Please enjoy your long weekend!

→I am sending home Scholastic book orders. If you would like to order anything for your child, the deadline is September 25. Every order I receive gets me points toward free books for the classroom.

Trivia Question: Answer the following question for **10 credits!!!** Write your answer somewhere on this newsletter. Your parents may (and are encouraged) to help you.
“In January of 1995, which animals were re-introduced into the U.S.A.'s Yellowstone National Park after an absence of 60 years?”

Spelling List (short vowel a, e, i, o, u)

access	endless	buckskin	acceptance	gladden
extract	compress	brisket	accident	bungalow

This section is for you! Feel free to write any questions, comments, or concerns you may have. **Please sign and return!**

Signature: _____