

Mrs. Thomas's Class First Grade Newsletter May 18, 2018



Dates to Remember

5/24 – Cooking with
Kids; Parent Night; TIPS
Assignment Due
5/25 – Field Trip; Last
Class Store; Math Facts
Fluency Log Due for
May
5/28 – Memorial Day;
No School
6/1 – Last Day for
Students; Report Cards

Go Home

Hikers in the Spotlight
All of our students have
had the opportunity to
be a "Hiker in the
Spotlight." I think they
really enjoyed it. Next
week, I will bring in
some show-n-tell items
from home to share
with the kids.

Classroom News

Students were very excited to learn repeated addition and start multiplication. Next week, we will continue to learn multiplication if our schedule allows. The living museum presentations will take precedence. If we have time for multiplication, students will have math homework.

Students took their last reading and social studies test this week. Tests will go home next week.

This is our last week for spelling, reading, & math homework (possibly). There will not be any homework the last week of school.

Math facts fluency logs for May are due next Friday (May 25th).

Please remember to have your child wear a red shirt next Friday for our field trip to the museum.

If you anticipate that your child will NOT be at school any day during the last week, please let me know as I will need to make sure I get a big hug

from them!

Please cut, sign, and return

Newsletter dated 5/18/18

Child's Name

Parent's Name



Spelling Words

Focus: /ar/ /ir/ /er/ /or/

Rule: r controlled vowel or

"bossy r"; the r "bosses" the vowel to make a new

Hedgehogs:

sound.

- 1) park 6) shirt
- 2) smart 7) score
- 3) germ 8) north
- 4) stern 9) hurt
- 5) circle 10) burn

Bears:

- 1) garden 6) thirsty
- 2) marker 7) morning
- 3) answer 8) ignore
- 4) safer 9) yogurt /
- 5) birthday 10) burger

Word of the Week indomitable spirit

School Days

Please be sure to ask your child about the following activities from this past week: repeated addition, multiplication, kindness, literature circle, and economics.

What We're Learning Next Week

Math: Multiplication

Reading: Literature Circle

Spelling/Phonics: r controlled

Writing: Informational

Science: Properties

The Living Museum in first grade will take place on Monday, May 21st – Thursday, May 24th.

Please see the schedule below to see when your

child will need to give his/her presentation.

5/21 – VZ, RW, ZS, LR, & ES

5/22 – MR, MN, AN, JM, & EL

5/23 – QL, RK, BH, SG, & CE

5/24 - AC, MB, & AA

**Please send in your child's outfit with them to school on their day to present their historical figure. Students will have the opportunity to change into their clothing before presenting.

There is no need for them to wear it to school.

Also, presentations should be approximately 7-10 minutes long. If they go over the time, that is ok. 2-3 minutes is not long enough.