


Mrs. Thomas's Class  
Classroom Newsletter  
November 26, 2018



Dates to Remember

- 11/29 – Parent Night
- 11/30 – Interim Reports Go Home
- 12/3 – Math Facts Fluency Log Due
- 12/13 – HLA Holiday Concert @ 6:00
- 12/20 – HLA Pajama Day; 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Class Party
- 12/21 – Winter Break Starts


Parent Night

Please plan on attending Parent Night. Dr. Ellis, our school psychologist is hosting the evening. I am in need of 2-3 volunteers to help the students make snacks for that evening. Our scheduled time to make snacks is from 10-11. Please see  Sign Up Genius.

Classroom News

I hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving! This week we will continue our Thanksgiving Unit as well as take our middle of the year testing for all subject areas. Testing will start on Tuesday, November 27<sup>th</sup> and will run all week. Please make sure your Little Hiker gets lots of sleep this week!

Students will take a social studies test on what they learned during our Thanksgiving unit on Wednesday. It will include the following vocabulary words: celebrate, Native Americans, Plymouth Rock, Pilgrims, Mayflower, Thanksgiving, & tradition. The following week, students will take a reading comprehension test on what they have learned during our Thanksgiving unit. Vocabulary included on this test is: feast, gratitude, harvest, voyage, colonist, cornucopia, chore.

Students will start Chapter 4 in math towards the end of this week if we are making good progress with the middle of the year testing. Math homework will be given Monday – Thursday but will not be from our workbooks. It will be a worksheet I have printed out. 

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Child's Name

Parent's Name



## Spelling Words

Focus: long vowel o

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|---------|-----------|
| 1) hope | 6) broke  |
| 2) role | 7) globe  |
| 3) cope | 8) bone   |
| 4) home | 9) code   |
| 5) rose | 10) close |

## Reading Log

This week, students will only read Monday, 11/26 – 11/29 & turn in their logs on Friday, 11/30.

## Math Fluency Logs (Nov)

Don't forget fluency logs for the month of November are due 12/3.

## Holiday Concert

HLA's Holiday Concert is on Thursday, December 13<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. It is located in Tioga. Students will not make a snack for that evening.

## What We're Learning Next Week

Reading: Middle of the Year Testing; Thanksgiving Mini Unit

Spelling/Phonics: long vowel o

Writing: Middle of the Year Testing

Math: Middle of the Year Testing; Subtraction Strategies

Science: Middle of the Year Testing

Social Studies: Thanksgiving Mini Unit

## Holiday Party

Our class party will be on Thursday, December 20<sup>th</sup> from 12:45 – 1:45. If you would like to volunteer to help out, please e-mail me. I am in need of 1-2 volunteers. We will not need snacks or goody bags for this party.

## Volunteer Opportunity

If you would like to pull the workbook pages in math for Chapter 5, please let me know. It can be done anytime at school, but not on Parent Night as the kitchen is very busy. It takes about 1 hour. We will not start Chapter 5 until after Winter Break so it is not a huge hurry. Please e-mail me if you are interested.