



Mrs. Thomas's Class
Classroom Newsletter
October 25, 2019

Dates to Remember

10/28 – Field Trip Forms
Due

10/29 – Honor Roll
Assembly

10/30 – Butter Braid
Delivery!; Classroom
Costumes

10/31 – Pumpkin Day &
Class Party

11/1 – Field Trip to
Roger's Farm; Start
Writing 1 Sentence on
Reading Log

11/5 – Parent
Conferences

11/8 – Veteran's Day
Assembly

11/11 – No School
(Veteran's Day)

11/18 – 11/22 – Middle
of the Year Testing

Classroom News

Next week is a very short and exciting week for first grade! Students will only work Monday through Wednesday and enjoy Thursday and Friday with one exception, students will take their spelling test on Friday, November 1st as usual before we leave for the field trip. Spelling homework and reading logs are due on Friday, 11/1 as usual.

For Pumpkin Day, please send in a small pumpkin with your child (include their name). The pumpkin cannot be any larger than what he/she can carry. Students carry their pumpkins around from station to station during our activities.

Thank you so much Mr. & Mrs. Johnson for organizing our fall party after Pumpkin Day! It'll be nice to enjoy the whole day without any work!

We are hoping to eat lunch at Roger's Farm, but I still do not know if that will work out or not. I'll e-mail later in the week with plan A & B.

If you are a chaperone on our field trip, your cost is \$8. Please go to the ticket booth, let them know you are with our group, and get a wristband.



WOW - acceptance





What We're Learning Next Week

Spelling Words

Focus: review short /u/

1. bus
2. cub
3. mud
4. much
5. dump

Reading: Review of Skills

Phonics: short /u/

Hand Writing: Circular Letters

Math: Addition Strategies

Science: Plants & Animals

Social Studies: Thanksgiving

Art: Asian brush painting



Butter Braid Delivery – 10/30

If at all possible, please come inside to pick up your child and your Butter Braids next Wednesday. I do have a few volunteers helping out, but I could use some more! If you can help, please meet me in the great room at 12: 30.

Veteran's Day Assembly

HLA would love to honor you or a family member at our Veteran's Day Assembly on Friday, November 8th during Morning Meeting. Mr. Becker is requesting pictures be e-mailed to him at jbecker@hlacharter.com so he can put a slide show together. Please give him the following information when e-mailing: name, rank, branch, relationship, and picture.

Classroom Costumes

Wednesday, October 30th is Classroom Costume Day at HLA. First graders will be M&M's. Please, no face painting per Ms. B.

Roger's Farm (Con't)

Students will take their water bottles with them on this field trip. Please make sure your child's name is on their water bottle. You may NOT want to send in a really nice water bottle that day in case it gets left behind. Students will be divided into groups with their chaperones & will be able to explore the farm with their group. The kids will be responsible for their own water bottles.

