

Mrs. Thomas's Class Classroom Newsletter November 15, 2019



### **Dates to Remember**

11/20 – HLA
Thanksgiving Feast
11/21 – Interim Reports
Go Home; Parent Night;
Cooking with Kids
11/22 – Scholastic Book
Order Due
11/25 – 11/29 – No

School – Thanksgiving Break 12/2 – 12/6 – Middle of

the Year Testing

Thanksgiving Feast
Don't forget to sign up if
you can!

Read with Kids
I am looking for 2-3
parent volunteers to
continue reading with
children after winter
break. Please let me
know if you are
interested so we can
discuss a schedule.

# **Classroom News**

We are finishing up several units before Thanksgiving break. Students just finished up Chapter 3 in math and will start Chapter 4 on Monday. We will finish this unit hopefully before winter break.

In order to finish our Thanksgiving Unit before we go on break, Ms. B wants me to move our Middle of the Year testing to after Thanksgiving break. Testing has been rescheduled to 12/2 – 12/6. Please let me know if your child will be out any of these days that you know of.

In science, we are finishing up Plants and Animals and will move onto Land and Water.

HLA's annual pj and movie day is Friday, December 20<sup>th</sup>. Our class party is afterwards. The party will be held in the classroom due to our activities I already have planned as well as not knowing what the weather will be like. There are 3 slots on SignUp Genius for anyone that would like to volunteer for the party. You can also sign up to send in snacks goody bag items, and assemble the goody bags.

**WOW-**

# **Spelling Words Focus: long vowel i**

- 1. ride
- 2. bike
- 3. nine
- 4. hide
- 5. shine

# **Cooking with Kids**

I am still in need of 1-3 parent volunteers to cook with kids for our next parent night on Thursday, November 21<sup>st</sup>. Our cooking time is from 11:00 – 12:00.

#### **Yoga Mats**

Please see SignUp Genius if you can clean the yoga mats over Thanksgiving break. If not, I'll try to remember to send each yoga mat home to get cleaned over the holiday.

### What We're Learning Next Week

**Reading: Thanksgiving** 

Phonics: long vowel i

**Hand Writing: Circular Letters** 

**Math: Subtraction Strategies** 

**Science: Plants & Animals** 

**Social Studies: Thanksgiving** 

Music: Holiday Concert

# **Scholastic Book Order**

Book orders were sent home today in your child's purple folder. The book order includes November & December to encourage early holiday shopping. Don't forget to shop for siblings, cousins, nieces, and nephews! Book orders are due Friday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>. I am happy to place another order in December if you cannot place your order by November 22<sup>nd</sup>. Additional orders are due by Monday, December 9<sup>th</sup> so the orders will come in before winter break.