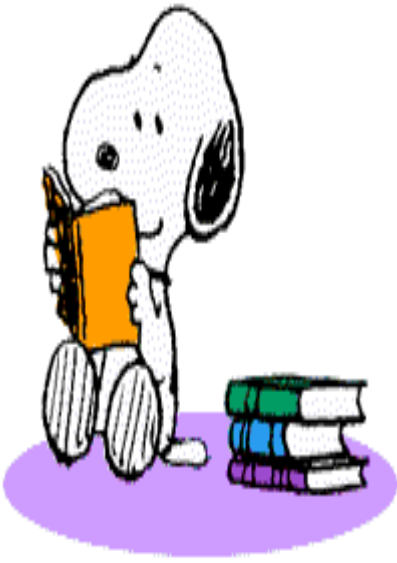


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Our Week!



We had a wonderful week back to school!

Please note that next week, there is no school on Friday as it's a Teacher Workday and again on Monday to honor Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s birthday. Students have a 4-day weekend. This also means that our spelling test will be on Thursday, January 13th.

We will finish up Ch. 7 in math and will have 2 tests on Thursday; Ch. 7 Test and a Benchmark Test.

Students will take Unit 3 Benchmark Test on Monday, January 10th in reading. On Tuesday, they will be introduced to the new book report format and have a sample to bring home. We will use the remaining time to practice for FSA Writing.

The 100th Day of School is coming up on Wednesday, January 26th. We have a school-wide STEM project that we do every year. Kids always love this project.

The Week in Review

SS: *The Road to Statehood*

ELA: FSA Writing Practice – No Weekly Story

Math: Ch. 7 – *Fractions, Equivalents & Comparing*

Science: *The Moon*

Word of the Week:

Our word of the week was “rejuvenate.” To rejuvenate means to give new energy or revitalize.

Spelling

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| 1. chorus | 6. grocery |
| 2. recent | 7. recite |
| 3. practice | 8. comic |
| 4. expect | 9. select |
| 5. frantic | 10. plastic |

Bonus Words

11. Nobel Peace Prize
12. demonstration
13. September
14. peaceful
15. Tuesday

Important Dates

January

- 10th – End of First Semester
- 14th – No School; Teacher Workday
- 17th – No School; MLK Day
- 20th – Report Cards Available in Family Access
- 26th – 100th Day of School

February

- 1st – Book Reports Due

Notes from Ms. Katje: Saving Our Alachua Environment Art Contest

Notes from Coach Cotter: Football!!