

MRS. STOLL'S THIRD GRADE CLASS

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Monday, September 18
to
Friday, September 22, 2017

Academics




Reading

We discussed how to choose books that are just right for each of us. We also discussed how to use our reading logs to set reading goals for ourselves and to track our progress toward our goal. This is something we will revisit throughout the year. We also discussed ways we could share really great books that we have read with other people.

Math

We reviewed a few more subtraction strategies that were learned in second grade. We took an addition and subtraction checkpoint as well. A checkpoint is a small assessment to check where student's strengths are for the unit so far and where they may need reinforcement. Most of the skills assessed on this checkpoint were from second grade. The students did very, very well on it! We went over the checkpoint in class, so students could ask questions and understand the scoring. We also learned several new workplaces to help build our addition and subtraction skills.

Math continued

We finally got to find a  partner and play some workplaces. The students did a great job choosing a partner and getting started playing the activity.

Writing

We discussed a couple strategies to use when we aren't sure what to write about. We also discussed what we should do when we are "running out of gas" and don't want to write anymore.

Social Studies

We have started learning about maps this week. Students identified the cardinal and intermediate directions on a compass rose. Then they used the compass rose to follow directions for a map, as well as, locating states.



Homework

Hopefully you have been reading every night with your child or they are reading every night independently. We learned and reviewed ways to choose books that are just right for each of us. After that lesson was taught, it was discussed about the importance of reading every night at home as well. We talk a lot about the way to improve your reading skills is by reading! Your child should be reading for at least 20 minutes every night.

Congratulations!!

Madison Oyen got her "PAWesome" ticket pulled on Friday. She was recognized for helping to clean up the music room.

IXL

In today's Friday folder there is a letter about IXL. The letter has your child's username and password on it. If you choose, your child may work on IXL at home.

Upcoming Events

- No School on October 2nd! It is a professional development day for teachers.
- PTO Meeting on October 9th at 5:30 pm.
- All the World is on October 13th at 6:00 - 7:30 pm