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Class News

Santa Shop on Friday!

Our class will be visiting the Santa shop on Friday. Please send money with your child on that day as it will be our only day to shop.

Reading

Story 14: Eye of the Storm

This week students will be reading a non-fiction text paying attention to text features and graphic sources. We will also review finding important facts in non-fiction texts. All tests will be given on Thursday, and students will take their tests online. All reading tests will be OPEN BOOK!

Next week's vocabulary words: destruction, expected, forecasts, inland, shatter, surge.

Spelling

Next week's Spelling Patterns :
Compound words

A list of spelling words can be found on my website or at www.spellingcity.com. See my link below. We are on Unit 3 Week 2. Test is on Thursday!

Homework: Spelling Contract or Both Spelling Workbook Pages

Social Studies

In social studies, Mrs. Pedigo and Mrs. Warner will begin teaching Unit 2 about Early Indiana. Students will learn about our state's early inhabitants and their cultures.

Science

In Science this week, students are learning about static electricity. Students will learn how atoms have positive and negative charges that attract and repel each other.

Writing

Students will be completing their descriptive poems this week, and begin working on a personal narrative of a winter memory. When writing our personal narratives we will be focusing on voice and organization.

Important Dates

12/1- PTO Meeting

12/2 – Santa Shop

11/28 – 12/9 –
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Test

Mathematics

Our class is showing progress on their multiplication fact practice and it is paying off. We are halfway into Unit 5, and students are quickly picking up the multi-digit multiplication problem solving skills. In this unit, I will teach multiple strategies to solve larger problems. Please encourage your child to try and practice each strategy. If you have questions regarding how to help your child practice using these strategies please call or email me for assistance.

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