

NEWS FROM BIG TOP

February 11-15, 2019

Mrs. Estes, Mrs. Irby,
Mrs. Sawin, & Mrs. Wiles

Come One, Come All, To The Greatest School Of All!

Skills

English Language Arts

Singular and Plural Possessive Adjectives, Vowel
Digraphs ai ay, and Drawing conclusions

Math

Compare Numbers, Add tens to any number,
Timed fact test

Weekly Grades

Tuesday

- Math Daily Grade

Wednesday

- Math Quiz

Thursday

- Time Fact Test

Friday

- Vocabulary Test (Unit 1-4 review)
- ELA Test
- Cold Read
- Comprehension Test
- Spelling Test

REMINDERS

- Classes begin at 7:30. Please be on time.
- Your child must be in the cafeteria by 7:20 in order to eat breakfast.
 - Breakfast \$1.75
 - Lunch \$ 3.00
- Lunch money should be in an envelope or Ziploc bag and placed in your child's folder/binder. Label it with your child's name and "lunch money." Include lunch number. Homework is checked every Friday.
- Sign up for Active Parent at <https://pearl.activeparent.net>



Notes From the Teacher

- Valentine Party- **February 14th**
- Muffins with Mom- **February 14th**
- Donuts with Dad- **February 18th**
- Weather make-up Day- **February 18th**.
- Book Fair Night- **February 19th 3:00-6:00**
- Spring Break- **March 11th-15th**



Homework

Spelling

Monday-Write Declarative Sentences
with words 1-5

Tuesday- Write Interrogative
Sentences with words 6-10.

Thursday- Write Exclamatory
Sentences with words 11-14

Spelling Words

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| 1. afraid | 8. tail |
| 2. day | 9. train |
| 3. gray | 10. way |
| 4. mail | 11. main |
| 5. may | 12. stay |
| 6. play | 13. say |
| 7. rain | 14. wait |

Homework

Read every day with
your child! Review
R.E.D. words daily.

Math Sheets

See the back of this
newsletter for ELA
skills practice.

We will no longer take spelling pre-test
effective immediately.

Mama's Birthday Present

Question of the Week

How can a surprise be a treasure?

High Frequency Words

about	surprise
enjoy	worry
give	would

Read the following sentences daily for fluency.

Clay's story is about a snail.
 The surprise party for Mai's mom is Sunday.
 Will Jay worry if his train is late?
 That farmer can give us six bales of hay.
 Would the girls' cats like to play with this yarn?
 We enjoy painting and sailing.

Amazing Words

celebrate- do fun, special activities in honor of a particular person or day
delicate- easily broken
rarest- hardest to find or almost never found
genuine- real and not fake
cherish- to love something and it is important to you
grateful- thankful for something
loot- a collection of special treasures

Vocabulary Words

scold- to tell someone in an angry way that he or she has done something wrong
dart- to move quickly and suddenly
weary- very tired
host- a person who entertains guests
rude- having bad manners
sneaky- done in a sneaky way
empty- holding nothing
stare- to look at something for a long time
flee- to run away
grin- to smile broadly

Choose the adjective that best completes the sentence. Write the adjective on the line. Then, write two sentences using adjectives.

- The rabbit's brown fur is very _____. (sad/soft)
- The new student in our class is _____. (friendly/tasty)
- Our new puppy has _____ (floppy, friendly) ears.
- Mama's birthday party was _____. (angry/fun)
- My grandmother bakes _____ cookies. (delicious/bitter)

1. _____ 2. _____

Student of the Week

Mrs. Estes- Madison
 Mrs. Irby- Jay
 Mrs. Sawin- Bentley
 Mrs. Wiles- Mikinley



February Birthdays

Xavier- 1 st	Zoie- 5 th	Violet- 15 th
Maggie- 8 th	Kyleigh P.- 15 th	