

Ms. Borders' and Miss Eley's Monthly Class Newsletter

October 2022



Dear Room 208 and 210 Families,

Happy Fall to all! We are off to a great start!

The fall fundraiser officially started September 20 and will run until Tuesday, October 4. All money and orders will need to be turned in to school at that time. We all thank you for your help!

Third grade Ohio AIR Language Arts Test will be in October. It would be helpful to avoid making doctor/dentist appointments at this time. Watch for more information to come home.

In Math class we have worked on rounding, one-digit, two-digit and three-digit addition with and without regrouping. We will review subtraction starting next week. We are all logged in to the iXL and Xtra Math apps for individualized instruction. If you have access to wifi you can log in at home as well. Log in through Classlink where all the passwords are saved. If you need the instructions sent home, please let us know.

Be sure to review planners regularly. We will write in them nearly every day. In math we have homework every week. It is sent home on the first day of the week and due each Friday. Students should also be reading each night for 20 minutes.

Thanks for all your support!

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Ways to help your third grader at home:

Ask your child questions when they get home from school. Instead of "How was your day?" or questions that would have a yes/no answer try these:

- What made you smile today?**
- Can you think of a kind thing you did today?**
- What did you work hard on today?**
- If you could change one thing about your day, what would it be?**

Math Homework

Math HW comes home on the first day of the week and is due on Friday. It will usually be fact fluency work. I recommend you start it on Monday. Set a timer for ten minutes. When the timer goes off stop working for the evening. Pick it back up the next day until it is complete.

Looking Ahead

Tuesday, October 4

Fundraiser ends

All money and orders are due at this time.

Monday, October 24

Teacher In-Service

No school

Friday, October 28

End of First Quarter

Tuesday, November 8

**Parent Teacher Conferences begin. Please
look for more information to come home.**

November 23-25

Thanksgiving Break



Science and Social Studies

We will alternate between units in Science and Social Studies this school year. In Social Studies we have gone over rules, laws, and our constitution. We are now talking about map parts and map reading. We will use a title, key, and the alphanumeric grid. Students will learn the difference between political and physical maps as well. If you have a map at home have them show you what they know!

In Science we are beginning life cycles. This time of year is a perfect time to look for seeds forming in the garden. Seeds are an important part of a plant life cycle. If you happen to find any seeds at home send them in! We'd love to look at them closely.

September Wave Wonders
Cobi Penkal
Hadison Westfall