



THIRD GRADE NEWS

MAY 14, 2012

BIBLE

Memory Verse: Col. 2:7

“So then just as you received Christ Jesus, as Lord, continue to live in him, rooted and built up in him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, overflowing with thankfulness.”

We will take a look at how being prideful can be a problem in our lives.

Please study the memory verse with your child each evening. We will have a **test over the memory verse and lesson 31 on **Friday, May 18th.****

(Remember that the memory verse is written in the red notebook.)

MATH

We will focus on perimeter, area and volume this week from chapter 22. We will also be working on drills for 7, 9 and 10 division facts.

Please keep reviewing the 0-10 multiplication facts.
Continue practicing 0-10 division flashcards.

SPELLING

Unit 34

Our spelling unit will focus words that are homophones. We will also be learning how to spell Hawaii and Alaska. Please make sure you look over your child's blue notebook on Monday night and **sign that you have checked over their words.** You will need to also practice the last 48 states we have learned to prepare for a final test of all 50 in May. **We will have a test over Unit 34 on Friday, May 18th.**



HANDWRITING

This week we will review the letters Ll, Ss, and Vv. Please encourage your child to work carefully and neatly.

ENGLISH

We will spend the majority of the week reviewing all the concepts we have worked on this year in English. We will take a test over verbs and subjects on Monday and then review the year the rest of the week.

READING

We are going to be reading a book called Cricket in Times Square. We will be reading a chapter or 2 each day from now until the end of the year. Students will be asked to study vocabulary words and complete comprehension questions about the book.

HISTORY (WOODFORD)

Monday we will have a test over Booker T. Washington, George Washington Carver, Laura Ingalls Wilder, and Billy Sunday. Students will need to continue reviewing all the states for a big 50 states test the week of the 21st.

Please remember to review the highlighted states on their labeled map each evening.

HISTORY (SCHMELZEL)

Monday we will begin learning about Booker T. Washington. We will learn about his impact on the field of agriculture and science. We will have a **quiz over him on Wednesday** and then

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begin studying about George Washington Carver and the many discoveries he made with the peanut and sweet potato. We will have a **quiz over him on Friday** and then begin learning about Laura Ingalls Wilder and her way of keeping the pioneer days alive in the minds of people today. We will have a **quiz over her the following Tuesday**.

We will also have a quiz over the last 9 states next week. Please keep studying.
Please remember to review the highlighted states on their labeled map each evening.

SCIENCE (SCHMELZEL)

Today we will begin learning about plants. We will learn about the life cycle of a plant, where plants live and how plants are structured. We will dissect some seeds tomorrow to see how plants begin and watch a video on plants later in the week. **We will have a quiz over plants on Friday**. Please study terms that come home in green notebook.

We have a wonderful opportunity to enjoy a much longer field trip to Brookfield Zoo due to some very generous donations from the Sykes family. We are planning to go and spend the day there on May 31st. We will be leaving the school at 8:45 and plan to arrive back by 5:30 or 6:00 PM. Please try to schedule a day off work so that you can join us for this special END OF THE YEAR CELEBRATION!!!!

Field Trip forms for the zoo will be coming home on Monday. Please have them signed and back to us by Friday, May 18th.

Don't forget about the "State of the School" meeting on Monday, May 14th at 6:30PM.

Remember that book orders were due on May 11th. Book orders are now due by 3:00 PM on Tuesday, May 15th.

I would ask that you double check that homework is complete before signing.

Graded papers will be sent home on Monday in a blue folder. Please be sure and sign the enclosed signature sheet noting that you saw all graded papers. Keep all the graded papers at home.

Thank You,
Mrs. Woodford

