

Mrs. Hausrath's Class News



Newsletter for the Month of February 2010

<i>Religion</i>	<i>Language Arts/Spelling</i>
<p>Grades 1-3 collected \$50 which was donated to the Haiti relief fund. The money will be used to help the earthquake victims . God bless all our helpers!</p> <p>Our class meets with Mrs. Gilbert's class each Friday afternoon. We gather in the chapel where volunteer readers from each class read a story from the New Testament and present questions to their classmates for discussion. Bible reader for Feb. is Marc.</p> <p>Religion continues to be a focus of all we do!</p> <p>School Mass : Feb. 3, 24(Generation Celebration) - 9:40 AM 7 AM mass Feb. 4 in the Chapel Please join us!</p>	<p>We are now working on concepts in Unit 4. Books may remain home for review. The children should review a little each night. We will be developing these concepts in our daily writing. Good work on Unit 3. :)</p> <p>The children will be given a new spelling list every Monday. If your child scores 100% on the test, they will NOT have to do the written HW for that week. :) For those who do not receive 100%, HW remains the same as in the past.</p> <p>We will continue cursive handwriting. We hope to complete lower case letters by Winter break.</p>
<i>Reading</i>	<i>Math</i>
<p>We will continue to use our text book reading 1 story per week.</p> <p>Please continue to read with your child each night. Ask them questions to test their understanding. Encourage them to sound out words they struggle with.</p> <p>The students enjoy working with our first grade reading buddies in Mrs. Nuwer's class. We meet every Wednesday from 11:45 AM- 12:15 PM. There is always a fun activity to accompany the reading.</p> <p>Additional reading will include the American Girl "Addy" series, and <u>Tales of a Forth Grade Nothing</u> (to prepare for our field trip to Kleinhans).</p>	<p>We will continue to review addition and subtraction facts. Math concepts will be drilled throughout the day with telling time, word problems, counting change, and measuring. Please review these at home. We will be reviewing writing numbers in standard, expanded, and word form. We will also work on greater than, less than, and equal to.</p> <p>We will begin multiplication. Week 1: review Week 2: 4's Week 3: break Week 4: 8's</p> <p>Math worksheet-HW Mon.- Thurs, to review multiplication facts.</p>



<i>Science/Social Studies</i>	Special Announcements
<p>The children did very well on the Science unit test.</p> <p>We have started our unit on government in Social Studies. This will cover Unit 8 in our text.</p> <p>We will also touch on Black History. I am reading the American Girl series about Addy. This is about a young girl and her family during the time of slavery in our country.</p>	<p>I always invite parents and grandparents with "special talents" to schedule time to share with us!! Feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns.</p> <p>Thank you to all of my recess helpers!! Please be sure your child is prepared to go outdoors. They should have boots, hats, snow pants and gloves.</p>

Reminders

SPECIALS
<p><i>Monday: Computer 9:50- 10:20</i></p> <p><i>Tuesday: PE 9:50- 10:20 Spanish 1:25- 1:55</i></p> <p><i>Wednesday: Music 1:25- 1:55</i></p> <p><i>Thursday: Art 9:50- 10:20</i></p> <p><i>Friday: Library 9:50-10:20</i></p> <p><i>Lunch: 11:10- 11:40</i></p> <p><i>Recess: Mon., Thurs., Friday ~ 1:45-2:15 PM Tues. and Wed. ~ 12:45- 1:15 PM</i></p>

<p>Feb.1-5 ~ Catholic Schools week~ Look for schedule of daily events!!</p> <p>Feb. 2 ~ HSA meeting ~7 PM</p> <p>Feb. 5 ~ Field trip \$ and permission slip due ~ REPORT CARDS HOME</p> <p>Feb. 4-6 ~ School Musical</p> <p>Feb. 10 ~ \$ for field trip due</p> <p>Feb. 12 ~ Valentines party</p> <p>Feb. 15-19~ Winter Recess</p> <p>Feb. 22 ~ School resumes</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Happy Valentine's Day!!</i></p>
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