



Ms. Stephens' Weekly Newsletter

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Math:

- 2.OA.1: add and subtract within 20 to solve word problems
- 2.OA.2: add and subtract within 20.
- 2.OA.4: Use addition to find the total number of objects arranged in rectangular arrays with up to 5 rows and up to 5 columns; write an equation to express the total as a sum of equal addends.

ELA: Unit 1 Week 3 Reading

Community

Focus book: *Girl Wonder*

- Learn "Think, Pair, Share" procedures
- Hearing and discussing a story
- Discuss the character's feelings and point of view
- Make text-to-self connections
- Discuss independent reading

Being a Writer- Unit 1: Week 3 Writing

Community

- Write a list of things that have happened
- Choose an item from the list to write about
- Reread and add sight and sound words

Vocabulary Words- week 3

- hurl**: throw something hard and fast
- pester**: keep bothering or annoying someone
- glare**: look at someone or something in an angry way
- overalls**: pants with a shoulder strap and top part that covers the chest
- eavesdrop**: listen secretly to other people talking
- accompany**: go somewhere with another person
- eavesdropper**: a person who eavesdrops, or person who secretly listens to other people talking
- annoy**: bother a person enough to make him or her a little angry

Class Reminders:

- ❖ We will have a spelling/vocab test every two weeks on Friday. This assessment will consist of 10 spelling words, 8 vocabulary words and 2 dictation sentences. Dictation sentences must have correct spelling, punctuation, grammar, and letter formation.
- ❖ We will have open house on September 19th from 5:30-6:30
- ❖ The field trip t shirt money is due on August 30th. We can NOT accept any money after 9 a.m. on this day.
- ❖ If your child plans on eating breakfast at school, they must be in their teachers classroom before 8:20. Breakfast will not be served after 8:20.
- ❖ We will be using iPads daily in the classroom for our stations. Please send earbuds to school with your child if you have not already. Each child will only use their own, and will store them in the classroom. If they become broken or lost, I will let you know so that you can replace them.
- ❖ Please make sure your child wears tennis shoes and appropriate clothing for PE every Friday!
- ❖ You may now come eat lunch with your child in the cafeteria. We eat lunch at 10:40.
- ❖ It is so important for your child to read at least 30 minutes every night!!!!

Important Dates to Remember:

- ❖ August 30th- Field Trip T-shirt Money is due!
- ❖ September 2nd- Labor Day- No school
- ❖ September 10th- 2nd grade open house
- ❖ September 19th- HSES Literacy Night

Spelling Words

- hand -state -today
- twin -stop -read
- mask -clip
- brave -nest