



Ms. Stephens' Weekly Newsletter

August 19, 2019

Star Student: Hallie

Math:

- 2.OA.2: add and subtract within 20.
- 2.OA.3: determining whether a number is odd or even
- 2.NBT.5/9: Adding and subtracting within 100 using place value and explaining why it works

ELA: Unit 1 Week 2 Reading

Community

Focus book: *Shelia Rae, the Brave*

- Learn turn and talk procedures
- Hearing and discussing a story
- Reread again to build comprehension
- Discuss the character's feelings and point of view
- Learn IDR procedures
- Make text-to-self connections

Being a Writer- Unit 1: Week 2 Writing

Community

- Draw sketches of the school
- Write a story about one sketch
- Draw to generate ideas for a family story
- Write a story from drawings

Vocabulary Words

- fearless:** brave or feeling no fear
- fearful:** afraid or filled with fear
- familiar:** well known to you; easy to recognize
- convince:** make someone believe something or decide to do something

Spelling Words

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| -one | -five | -nine |
| -two | -six | -ten |
| -three | -seven | |
| -four | -eight | |

Class Reminders:

- ❖ 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.
- ❖ We will have a spelling test every two weeks on Friday. PLEASE have your child study the spelling words each night to prepare for the test.
- ❖ We will have PE every Friday. (Please wear tennis shoes.)
- ❖ Please label all money that comes in the folders since we have many things going on throughout the year. ☺
- ❖ There was a change in lunch times. Our class will now be going to lunch at 10:50. You are welcome to come eat lunch with your child.
- ❖ Second Grade will have an open house. The date for this is September 10th from 5:30-6:30.
- ❖ Please remember to send a snack with your child everyday. We have snack every afternoon.
- ❖ If there is ever an issue at school, I will call you from our School Status App. The number is a 1-888 number.

Important Dates to Remember:

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