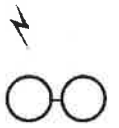




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WEEKLY PROPHET



Room 205



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Salvatore's Superstars

What are we learning?

Reading:

We will continue reading "The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane" by Kate DiCamillo. Along with fluency, students will sharpen their comprehension skills through summarization, sequencing, inferencing, comparing, contrasting, and meaningful vocabulary.

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Writing:

Students will practice reading comprehension skills through the interactive read aloud, "What is a Biome?" a nonfiction, science-related text. They will also practice grammar skills through sentence composing.

Math

Our exploration of fractions continue! In the next few lessons, students continue to work with equal parts of a whole. They use number bonds to learn that any non-unit fraction is created by a series of unit fractions (e.g., 3 fourths is three copies of 1 fourth). Students also receive an introduction to fractions greater than one whole.

You can expect to see homework that asks your child to do the following:

- Identify the equal parts in unit form and fraction form in an image.
- Partition objects into equal parts and draw number bonds to match the images.
- Identify the number of shaded parts as well as the number of unshaded parts.

Geography:

Students will learn the four cardinal directions as well as intermediate directions and use that knowledge to locate objects on a map.

Upcoming Events

Monday	Tuesday	Wed.	Thurs.	Friday
New homework distributed (choice board)	Field trip to Philadelphia (bring recorders and a packed lunch)	PTA meeting at 6:30pm		

Announcements

Homework

Students must complete *one* reading activity and *one* math activity from the choice board. The third activity may either be math or reading related.

Spelling: Students must correctly spell the words below and use two in a super sentence (a very detailed sentence). How students study is totally up to them.

THIS WEEK'S SPELLING/VOCABULARY TEST DATE: WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12th

crow (vowel team) is a word with multiple meanings. A crow is a large black bird, but to crow (the verb) means to make a loud and happy sound. You might crow at the end of a great game.

frenzied

fren zied (closed, vowel team) is the adjective form of frenzy. A frenzy is a wild and excited time. You might expect a frenzy if it suddenly started to rain cats and dogs. People would run around in a frenzied manner.

resonate

res on ate (closed, closed, vce) is a verb that means to fill with sound or emotion. Remember that since it is a verb, we can use it as resonates, resonated, resonating. If you hear a low sound, it might resonate in your belly. But also if you see something really beautiful, that feeling can resonate within you.

anguish

an guish (closed, vowel team) is a noun that means terrible sorrow or pain. You would feel anguish if a brother or sister was very sick. I was anguished when my dog was killed by a car. Anguished is the adjective form.

insistent

in sis tent (closed, closed, closed) is an adjective that means never giving up. You might be insistent in asking for a new baseball glove. Your parents might be insistent that you take off your shoes when you enter the house.

relief

re lief (open, vowel team) is an adjective that means a feeling that bad things are over. When it's hot, we get relief from a rainstorm. You might feel relief after you score on a penalty kick or a free throw. Relief is a good feeling.

Name: _____

PICK THREE

Directions: From the following nine boxes, pick **THREE** activities to complete; one activity must be reading-related, one must be math-related, and the third activity is your choice. Shade in the boxes with the activities you do. Homework is due **MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10th**

20 minutes on Zearn	20 minutes reading a book to a pet, parent or stuffed animal	20 minutes on Dreambox
20 minutes writing a story, using as many of your vocab words as possible	20 minutes on Read Theory	20 minutes practicing my spelling/vocab words
15 minutes on XtraMath	20 minutes practicing multiplication facts	20 minutes on Prodigy Math

Parent Signature _____

