

NOTE to Parents...

Friday, Oct. 7, 2016

Dear Families:

I can't believe that a whole quarter of school has passed already! Be sure and sign up for a conference. I am looking forward to sharing your child's progress with you.

Monday, Oct. 10: Blue Day: PE/Spanish

Tuesday, Oct. 11: Green Day: Computer/REAL

Wed., Oct. 12: Purple Day: Art
Library Checkout

Thurs., Oct. 13: Red Day: Music/PE
Spelling Test
Weekly Homework #7 is due!

Fri., Oct. 15: No School—End of Quarter

Reading:

We will continue to reinforce using dictionaries during reading to develop vocabulary. We will continue to work with the comprehension skills of summarizing and identifying facts and details. Our phonics work will focus on /ar/ sounds spelled *-ar*, consonant digraphs *-sh*, *-ch*, *-th*, *-tch*, and homophones. The spelling skill is the long u spelling pattern.

We will finish up our "Ouch" narrative stories in Writers Workshop.

Math:

Topic 5: Place Value to 100 and Topic 10: Place Value to 1000 will focus on understanding place value and properties of operations to add and subtract. The targets we will cover are grouping objects into hundreds, tens, and ones to show two-, three-, and four- digit numbers, read and write numbers in written form, compare the values of two-, three-, and four- digit numbers, identify the numbers that are one more, one less, ten more, and ten less than a given number, identify odd and even numbers, and use a chart to solve problems.

Our next Ten Block Fact Fluency unit is addition combinations to 10. We will also begin to discuss how to apply these combinations to greater numbers.

Science:

We will be studying habitats.

Have a wonderful weekend!

