

NOTE to Parents...

Friday, September 2, 2016

Dear Families,

It was so wonderful to see everyone the other night! It truly reflects your investment in your child's education, and I feel fortunate to be able to partner with you.

Announcements:

Monday, Sept. 5: No School—Labor Day

Tuesday, Sept. 6: **Purple Day**
LIBRARY CHECKOUT

Wed., Sept. 7: **Red Day**

Thurs., Sept. 8: **Yellow Day**
Spelling Test!
Counselor Visit

Fri., Sept. 9: **Blue Day**
Weekly Computation #3 due!
Scholastic Book Order due!

Reading:

This week we will continue to work with the comprehension skills of determining important information and determining the author's purpose for writing. Word work will have us practicing the long i sound spelled *i_e*, *igh*,

ie, and *y*, silent letters *-gn*, *-mb*, *-kn*, *-wr*, and contractions. The spelling skill this week is VCe words. We will also be involved with dictionary work. We will continue to learn and practice Daily 5, having recently added Read to Someone to the menu.

We continue to learn about writing through personal narratives.

Math:

We will continue Topic 2: Addition Strategies. Students will use the addition strategies of adding 0, 1, and 2, doubles, near doubles, associative property of addition, and adding three or more addends to build their math fact fluency for sums up to 20. We will also support this with Adding/Subtracting Zero in the Kim Sutton program.

Social Studies:

We will wrap our unit on Civics and Citizenship.

Have a wonderful weekend and a great week!

