

Mrs. Petty's Peek at Our Week:

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What We're Learning

Math: We are moving right along with Topic 9: Subtracting two digit numbers. We have been practicing subtracting on a number line as well as using addition to check our work. The plan is to test over Topic 9 next Thursday, Jan. 19th. We also started +/- 9 for our rainbow math skill. Keep practicing math facts!

<u>Reading</u>: We started a new Unit this week: Earth Science: Seasons and Weather! They wrote about their favorite season and why it is their favorite season. This week we focused on our vocabulary words. Our new vocabulary words for this unit are: hibernate, seasons, predict, warnings, and temperature.

<u>Grammar</u>: We did one more review activity this week (chapter 5 check-up) that will be coming home today in their green folders. Ixl: Language Arts is a great resource for extra practice at home!

Spelling: They got their new spelling words at the beginning of the week. We reviewed the rules for changing endings like -ing and -ed. This was hard for some of them. We will be testing over this unit on Monday, Jan. 23rd! Tested skills this unit: -ck, -k, -tch, -ch at the end of words (examples: duck, back, mask).

Social Studies: We started a new unit in social studies this week: economics! We also started "Colt Cash"-very similar to Petty Cash (which is on hold until we are done with our economics unit), except all of the 2nd grade teachers, specials teachers and lunch room helpers are passing it out! They will get to spend their Colt Cash during our 2nd grade Market Day!

<u>A Note from Mrs. Petty</u>

Our MAP Math test is going to be this Thursday, Jan. 19th at 8:45 am!

Important Dates to Remember

1/16 No school: Martin Luther King Day

1/17 Library Check out

I/24 Early Release

1/26 January Book orders due

1/27 Bingo Night

Library Check Out is on Tuesday

<u>Specials for the week</u>

(The week of Jan. 17th - Jan. 20th) Monday: No school Tuesday: Day 3

Wednesday: Day 4

Thursday: Day 5

Friday: Day 1