



Mrs. Welke's Homeroom Update
Planning Time: 10:10-10:55
Class Lunchtime: 1:15-1:40

2/16/24
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Good afternoon,

Our class had a terrific week of learning and fun! Please review your child's work in their Friday Folder. Some students are struggling to follow oral and written directions. We work on using effective strategies in every area. For example, I had a chart on the board for comparing settings. We referred to it while we read several stories. Right before the Progress Check we reviewed it again and I pointed out they needed to use it on their test to make sure they recorded what they needed to answer the written response. I a few students who did this and it made a major difference in their written response and their grade! What do they say? "You can lead a horse to water, but you cannot make them drink!" Please remind your child why following oral and written directions will help them be more successful!

Wednesday, 2-14-24: Friendship Celebration/Friendship Note project

Our class had a wonderful time. The students were so sweet and excited to read their Friendship notes. The best part of this project is watching the students begin to read what their friends have written and watch their faces. Their eyes and smiles literally light up! It is a lot of work, but the students agree it is worth the time and energy it takes to see how their friends appreciate them! The laminator did not seal the papers correctly, so I had to take off the puffy lamination and will need to relaminate them next week before I send them home. Thanks to Reagan's, Ruby-Wayne's, Barrett's, Ava's, Kathryn's, Dillon's, Emmett's, Stella H.'s, Henry and Luke's families for sending in paper products and food items to make it a special day. We had plenty and even enjoyed cheese sticks, apples, and grapes for snack on Thursday!

MARCH 1, 2024 Jacksonville Zoo Trip Permission Form/Payment Due

Everyone MUST complete the online Volunteer form in order to attend this trip. Thanks

FAST Parent Night- February 20th @ 6:00 pm

This is to help you understand how to access, read scores, and go over any questions you may have about FAST Testing. 😊

Chapter 8 Online Math Test

Most students are pleased with their progress. They are working hard and are making the adjustment to the new way of testing! Have your child show you how to review their online test and show you their work paper.

A Quick Peek at the Week

Day	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Special Area	Presidents' Day	#1 STEAM	#2 Art	#3 PE	#4 Spanish

Go Math: Continue Chapter 10	ELA: Continue Poetry L3.5	Social Students
Relate Multiplication and Area 3/21 Chapter 10 Online Test	3/20- Selection/Vocabulary Quiz 3/21-Word Study Quiz 3/23- Progress Check Up	Continue Black History Activities Begin U.S. Regions

Homework: Please ask your child to see his/her completed homework. Thanks!

Math: Review math facts/complete math HW worksheet labeled Mon., Tues., Wed., and Thurs.

Language Arts: Review vocabulary, word study words, and read for A.R.

Work on Black History Research Project: DUE 2/27/24

Yeah! Our class has SEVEN students who have passed "The Big Mix"

Congratulations to Aidan, Dillon, Barrett, Serenity, Christian, Connor, and Luke!

A.R. Update

Please check your child's A.R. point goal status and percentage. The students must have an 85% average.

Rocking our A.R. Goals!

402%: Dillon- WOW!

150% and above: Ruby-Wayne and Luke

100% and above: Aidan, Stella D., Serenity, Grady, Christian, Henry, Conner, and Emmet

70% and above: Barrett

2/16/24: 70%

2/23/24: 80%

3/1/24: 90%

3/8/24: 100%

Important Dates

2/19/24: Presidents' Day Holiday

2/20/24: FAST Parent Night

2/26-3/1/24: Book Fair

3/8/24: Last day to take A.R. Quizzes

3/7/24: Field Day

3/8/24: End of the 3rd nine weeks

3/11/-3/15: Spring Break

3/18/24: Teacher Planning

3/19/24: Students return