

Mrs. Welke's Homeroom Update Planning Time: 10:10-10:55 Class Lunchtime: 1:15-1:40 10/11/19

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### Good afternoon.

Wow! What a day. We enjoyed the Decades Dance, House Sorting (see informational page about the House System), and a movie with treats! Our class works very hard every day, but we also know how to celebrate very well!

# A.R. Update

Congratulations to the students who made their A.R. Goal the first nine weeks. We had 89% of our class make their A.R. Goal! Hopefully, we will have 100% next nine weeks.

Our top three readers were Trip with 160,643 words, Charlee with 98,064 words, and Ava with 87,998 words! Mayson O. TRIPPLED his point goal! Mason G. and Trip both DOUBLED their point goal! Way to read!

# Second nine weeks begins on Tuesday, 10/15/19

The students have all made wonderful progress the first nine weeks. As I have shared with the families I have already conferenced with, the expectations for the students will continue to increase. They will need to carefully read and follow directions on their own. This is an area that some students seem to struggle with, even when I read, explain, and model.

The first nine weeks, I have walked them through all the directions and test formats for every assignment, and assessment etc. The second nine weeks I will not be reading all the directions for the students. They have to learn how to read and follow directions independently.

Please make sure your child is working on following directions while completing homework. If you see your child has made directional mistakes, instead of just telling them what to do, have them reread and correct it themselves. Thanks for your support!

#### **Emergency Snack:**

Thanks to Trip's family for sending in pretzels, but we are almost out of them already. A lot of the time it is the same students who are forgetting to bring a snack. If your child has had to use our emergency snack system multiple times, please send something in. Otherwise we will just not have an emergency snack option. Thanks for your understanding.

## Important Dates

10/11/19:	End of the 1 <sup>st</sup> nine weeks	10/31/19:	Fall Celebration
10/14/19:	Teacher Planning Day	11/1/19:	Fall Festival - 3:00-6:30
10/15/19:	Students Return	11/5/19:	Young Actors Theater Field Trip
10/15/19:	Boosterthon Kick Off	11/6/19:	Picture Retakes
10/20/19:	Mother/Son Pumpkin Carving	11/11/19:	Veterans Day
10/25/19:	Boosterthon FUN RUN		·

Math	Wonders		Spelling #1	Science	
Lesson 6: Multiplication and Division Facts	L 1.5 Landmarks Continue		wrap	Unit 4:	
	EQ: How do landmarks help us understand our country's	2.	wrists	<u>Properties of Matter</u>	
1. fact family	story? <u>Genre Focus:</u> Expository Text <u>Comp. Strategy</u> :	3.	wrote	L 3: How Is	
2. multiply		4.	wreck	Temperature Measured?	
3. factor		5.	wring	Vocabulary	
4. product			J	1. matter	
5. division	Ask/Answer Questions	6.	write	2. physical property	
6. dividend	Comp. Skill: Main Idea and details	7.	wreath	3. mass	
7. divisor		8.	knit		
8. quotient	Vocabulary Strategy: Multiple Meaning Words	9.	knife	4. temperature	
		10.	knight	5. volume	
Lesson 7: Understand	Vocabulary	11.	knock	6. solid	
Patterns	1. carved			7. liquid	
1. pattern	2. clues	12.	knee	8. gas	
2. rule	3. grand	13.	gnome	9. evaporation	
	4. landmark	14.	sign	10. condensation	
3. even number	5. massive	15.	gnaws		
4. odd number	6. national	16.	heel		
	7. traces	17.	week	Scholastic News	
		18.	field	Articles	
		19.	wristwatch		
		20.	knapsack		

# Homework

Monday:	Tuesday:		
Teacher Planning Day	Math: Problem Solving Sheet		
Please READ!	Review multiplication facts		
	Study ALL vocabulary words		
	Grammar Worksheet- both sides		
	Read for 20 minutes each night		
Wednesday	Thursday		
Math: Drops Review Sheet	Math: Drops Review Sheet		
Review multiplication facts	Review multiplication facts		
Study ALL vocabulary words	Study ALL vocabulary words		
Poetry Worksheet	Spelling worksheet-both sides		
Read for 20 minutes each night	Read for 20 minutes each night		