

# THIRD GRADE NEWSLETTER

dec. 7<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup>



## Dates to remember:

- December 17<sup>th</sup>: Progress Reports
- December 20: Class Christmas Party
- December 21 & 22: Distance Learning Days
- December 23-January 3: Christmas Holiday
- January 4: Return to school

## IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

\*Due to many third graders having been quarantined for family members testing positive for Co-vid, administration has asked us not to send home graded papers until those quarantined students are allowed to make up missed tests and quizzes.

\*Please make sure to charge Chromebooks EVERY NIGHT! 😊

\*Please check your child's red folder NIGHTLY: Notes from home, keep at home and behavior calendar. Please initial the behavior calendar each night.

\*If you need to change your child's afternoon transportation method, please send a note in your child's red folder or call the office by 1:30. Please do not email transportation changes.

## WEEKLY OBJECTIVES:

Reading: *White House White Out* by Ron Roy

Reading Skills: Review RL and RI standards from this nine weeks.

\*RL3.1/RI3.1 – Ask/answer questions using the text

\*RL3.2/RI3.2 – Central message lesson/main idea of a text

\*RL3.3 – Character traits/ motivations

\*RL3.4/RI3.4 – Word/phrase meanings used in context

\*RL3.7 – How illustrations contribute to texts

\*RI3.3 – Relationship of events using time, sequence, & cause and effect

\*RI3.8 – Text structure

Language: Verbs: action, linking, and helping

Math: Area

Math Lessons: 7-1, 7-2, 7-3

Science: States of Matter

## Activity Schedule:

Mon.-COMPUTER

Tues.-PE (Wear tennis shoes!)

Wed.-LIBRARY

Thurs.-ROTATION (9:05-10:05)

Fri.- MUSIC

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## tests/quizzes:

Tuesday, Dec. 8<sup>th</sup>:

- \*Case 2 | Testing
- Kirkpatrick's HR ~ ELA TEST
- Rives' HR ~ MATH TEST

Wednesday, Dec. 9<sup>th</sup>:

- \*Case 2 | Testing
- Kirkpatrick's HR ~ MATH TEST
- Rives' HR ~ ELA TEST

Thursday, Dec. 10<sup>th</sup>:

- \*Math – Topic 6 Test

## WORD STUDY:

REVIEW ALL

un = not

dis = not

er = one who

re = again

pre = before

y = characterized by

ful = full of

im = not

in = not



## ELA VOCABULARY:

1. muffle - to cover or suppress a sound, to tone down a noise
2. clumsy - awkward, uncoordinated in movements
3. residence - the place where someone lives
4. conscious - aware of, awake, alert
5. ordeal - extremely stressful situation

## Science Vocabulary:

1. matter – anything that takes up space and has mass
2. solid – has definite shape and the particles are packed tightly
3. liquid – flows and takes up the shape of its container; particles are close together, but they are not packed as tightly as a solid
4. gas – changes shape based on its container; particles are free moving and invisible
5. physical property – a characteristic of matter that you can observe
6. condensation – a change from a gas to a liquid
7. evaporation – the change from a liquid to a gas
8. particle – a very tiny part of matter