

# Third Grade Newsletter

January 25-29

## Announcements:

- January 28: Report Cards
- February 12: Valentine's Party
- February 15: Distance Learning Day

## Activity Schedule:

Mon.-COMPUTER

Tues.-PE (Wear tennis shoes!)

Wed.-LIBRARY

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

Fri.- MUSIC

- Our lunch time is 12:05

## 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.

## Reminders:

### Email Addresses:

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## Weekly Objectives:

Reading: Poetry

Reading Skills: RL.3.5: refer to parts of stories, drama and poems when writing or speaking about a text, using terms such as chapter, scene, stanza; describe how each successive part builds on earlier sections

Language: use coordinating conjunctions

Math: Topic 9: Fluently Add + Subtract Within 1,000

Math Lessons: 9-4, 9-6, 9-7

Science: Water

## Word Study:

Prefix bio- (life) + Suffix scope –  
(viewing instrument)

biochemistry

biology

microscope

periscope

telescope

## Vocabulary Words:

patient- being calm and waiting

identify- to know who or what something is

response- to answer or react

contribute- to give or share

conclude/conclusion- to bring to an end, to finish, to complete

## Science Vocabulary:

1. watershed – the movement of water from higher ground to lower ground.
2. lake – a large body of fresh or salt water surrounded by land.
3. river – a large, natural flow of water that crosses an area of land.
4. groundwater – water that flows or collects under the Earth's surface.
5. glacier – a large area of ice that moves slowly over land.
6. delta – a land formation created when the loose material a river is carrying builds up because the river has run into slower moving water.
7. gulf – a large area of ocean that is usually deep, inland and mostly surrounded by land.
8. bay – a large body of water partly surrounded by land but still with a wide opening into the sea. It is similar to but smaller than a gulf.

## Tests:

Tuesday, January 26:

- Topic 9 QUIZ

Thursday, January 28:

- Language QUIZ: subject/verb/pronoun/antecedent/coordinating conjunctions/graph/graphy/bio/scope
- Math Topic 9 TEST

Friday, January 29:

- Reading Minor QUIZ: vocabulary words + poems
- Science QUIZ: water