

# Third Grade Newsletter

September 28-October 2

## Announcements:

- Please make sure your child charges their Chromebook every night!
- Your child also needs their RED FOLDER every day.
- If you need to change your child's transportation method, please send a note or call the office as soon as possible.
- Please don't forget to pay your child's \$35 supply fee on [myschoolbucks.com](http://myschoolbucks.com)
- Please remember that our dress code states that shirts should be a width of 3 fingers, and shorts must be finger-tip length
- Activity Schedule:  
Mon.-COMPUTER  
Tues.-PE (Wear tennis shoes!)  
Wed.-LIBRARY  
Thurs.-ROTATION (9:05-10:05)  
Fri.- MUSIC

## Weekly Objectives:

Reading: Fables

Reading Skills: Recount stories, including fables, to determine the central message, lesson, or moral and explain how it is conveyed through key details in the text.

Language: fragments and complete sentences

Math: Topic 2: Multiplication Facts: Use Patterns

Math Lessons: 2-1, 2-2, 2-3, 2-4

Science: Motion and Forces

## Word Study:

1. inspector
2. director
3. investigator
4. collector
5. editor

or – (one who)

## Vocabulary Words:

Perseverance: continuing to do something even when it's hard

Determination: never giving up

Courage: facing your fears

Integrity: being honest

Patience: staying calm and waiting

Leader: someone who guides other people

Wisdom: to understand things most people do not understand; knowledge

Clever: skilled at doing or achieving something

Honest: telling the truth

Decisive: able to make choices quickly and confidently

### NEW WORDS:

Brave: having no fear; ready to face pain or danger

Curious: wanting to know or learn about something

Confident: feeling sure about your abilities

Loyal: showing or having true support for

Considerate: thoughtful of the feelings of others

## Science Vocabulary:

Position- the exact place an object is

Direction- the way an object faces

Motion- a change in an object's location

Distance-how far something travels

Speed- a measure of how fast or slow something moves

## Tests:

### Thursday:

- Language/Word Study TEST (capitals, punctuation, subject/predicate, fragments, complete sentences)

### Friday:

- Reading TEST

## Other Reminders:

- Please make sure your child has earbuds!
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