

What's Fun in Grade ONE?

News from Mrs. Ligon and Mrs. Benz's Class

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In the Classroom



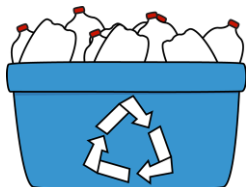
Literacy– This week we will begin our end of year reading assessments. We will continue practicing our reading fluency during our reading group time.

Writing– We will be reviewing the different types of writing that we have learned about this year. Students will have the chance to go back and complete unfinished writing projects from earlier in the year.



Math– We will finish learning how to measure length using nonstandard units. We will also be learning about fractions and how we can partition shapes into halves and quarters.

Social Studies– This week we will learn about natural resources and how we can conserve them. We will also learn about reducing waste by reusing and recycling.



Homework

Homework this week includes a reading log, reader's response questions, a math packet, and quarter 1, 2, 3, and 4 Trick Words.

Important Dates

May 7th–18th– Box Tops Competition
Monday, May 28th– Holiday, no school
Monday, June 4th– Field Day
Friday, June 8th– Last Day of School

Contact Information

My email address is jligon@wcpss.net. You can also reach me by calling the office at (919)870-4100. You may also visit our class website at: www.mrsligonsclassroom.weebly.com



Box Tops Competition

Send us your box tops! This is the final competition of the year and it ends this Friday. Help our class win extra recess and a popsicle party!

Picture Packets

An envelope containing your child's spring pictures was sent home last week. If you would like to keep some or all of the pictures, please send in your payment. If you do not wish to purchase pictures, please return the envelope to school in your child's daily folder.

EOG Proctors Needed

The End of Grade tests for grades 3, 4, 5 will occur from May 24–June 8 and we need proctors. You must be a registered volunteer and attend a training that will be provided in May (time TBD). We need as many people as possible, especially May 28 –June 1, roughly from 8:20 am–12:00pm. You are encouraged to wear your Fit Bit and sneakers. Please contact Kathleen Mulder at kmulder@wcpss.net.



Classroom Wish List

We have everything we need right now!