

What's Fun in Grade ONE?

News from Mrs. Ligon and Mrs. Benz's Class
May 7, 2018

In the Classroom

Literacy– This week we will continue learning about fluency and reading with expression. We will talk about character feelings and how we can match the way that we read a book to the characters' emotions.

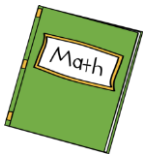


In phonics, we will be reviewing our new vowel teams.

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 be learning how to measure length using nonstandard units. We will focus on using beginning and ending points and lining up our units with no spaces between them.



Science/Social Studies– We will finish learning about organisms this week. We will finish observing our seeds and take them home. We will also begin talking about how people impact their environments in our new social studies unit.



Unicornucopia Thank You

Thank you so much to everyone who volunteered their time at our Unicornucopia booth on Friday!

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.

Important Dates

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

Classroom Wish List

We have everything we need right now!

Homework

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

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