

April 5, 2013



MRS. KANDBINDER'S CLASS NEWSLETTER

Mrs. K.'s Thoughts

We have been spending a lot of time on MAP practice. We are using presentations to help review those skills that we have been working on all year.

Many students are bringing in their devices. This is used for reading only. If you haven't filled out a form, but would like to, please let me know. I will send home another copy.

Keep reading and taking quizzes, May 9th will be here soon. 100 points and a 70% average!!!!

Mrs. Smith's Thoughts

I am really enjoying working with your children. They are a pleasure to teach. This morning we went to an assembly over citizenship. We discussed being respectful to our peers and teachers. We read the book called Have You Filled a Bucket Today? By: Carol McCloud. We discussed how we could be bucket fillers. Ask your child what they could do to be a bucket filler.



Special Notes

Monday, April 8 is Cardinals Day! Wear your gear or RED!
Our Class Won the Attendance Pizza Party for March!
WooHoo! Good Work 3rd Grade!!!!

Thanks for all of the Box Tops! We lost by just a couple of sheets. But the school brought in 677 sheets.



Reading

We are officially in 4th quarter. Each student will need 20 points with a 70% average by May 20th for 4th Quarter Party. They will need 100 points for their yearly goal by May 9th!

We will be doing our last writing prompt in a couple of weeks. I am hoping to see some real independent improvement. We will also be taking another reading assessment in the next couple of weeks.

Math

Keep studying those multiplication, division, addition, and subtraction facts. We all need to practice to keep doing our best.

Writing

We wrote about if we would like to go to the moon or not. How we would get there, what we would do, and how we would get back to Earth.

Next week, we will be learning about poetry.



Science/Social Studies

We finished up our unit on the Solar System and Moon Phases. We learned about waxing and waning moons as well.



Spelling Unit 23

caught	bought	forgot	straw	author
off	everybody	what	question	
unhappiness	taught	saucer	frost	
	law			