

Mrs. White's Newsletter

September 22nd-September 26th



Upcoming Events

Friday, September 26th-Perfect Attendance Glow Party during PE Friday, October 17th-Fall Pictures Thursday, November 13th-Class Picnic at 12:20 (just our class)

Vocabulary Words

Unit 1 Lesson 5

broke checked opponent sneered eagerness tense grandstand managed piercing commotion

Reading

This week we go through Open Court Reading Unit 1, Lesson 5.

Story of the week: "The Final Game"

Genre: Realistic Fiction

Phonics: -R controlled (er, ir, ur, or, ore)

Comprehension: Making Inferences

Writing: Writing an Opinion Piece

Grammar: Capitalizing the first word in a

Math

Topic 9:

Place Value to 1000 (Review and Test)

> Test Friday 9/26 *see study guide

Coming AFTER Topic 9:

Add within 100 using strategies

(Lesson 1-3)

*Students will begin adding 2 digit numbers using various strategies.

Spelling Words:

Unit 1 Lesson 5:

short bird chores antlers whirling stork snored purple perched explore

Science/Social Studies:

Science: We will continue our unit on natural disasters. Each week we will pick a natural disaster as our weekly focus. This week we will be learning all about earthquakes.

Assessments:

Thursday: Grammar quiz, Topic 9 test practice

Friday: Topic 9 Math Assessment, Math Quiz from Homework

Next Tuesday, September 30th: OCR Unit 1 Lesson 5 Spelling

and Reading test

Reminders:

Please be sure to check the behavior and homework sheet every night.

The Final Game Vocabulary

- * The children do not need to know how to spell these words. They must be able to read the word and the definition for their assessment on Thursday.
- 1. managed: to succeed at doing something; to be able to
- 2. <u>grandstand</u>: the main place where people sit when watching a parade or sports events
- 3. tense: showing or causing strain or suspense
- 4. piercing: a sharp sound
- 5. checked: to stop another player from going forward in a game
- 6. <u>eagerness</u>: wanting very much to do something
- 7. opponent: a person or group who is against another in a fight, contest, discussion, or sporting event
- 8. sneered: to make a remark or facial expression that shows hatred or scorn
- 9. broke: to cause to end; to go past
- 10. commotion: a noisy confusion; disorder