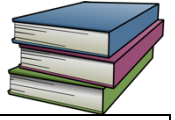


# MISS MERRITT'S WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Week of: August 31<sup>st</sup> — September 8<sup>th</sup>



<b>UPCOMING EVENTS</b>		<b>WEEKLY ASSESSMENTS</b>	
<p>Monday, Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> —Labor Day: NO SCHOOL</p> <p>Tuesday, Sept. 5<sup>th</sup> - Water Safety Field trip</p> <p>Wednesday, Sept. 6<sup>th</sup> -Progress Reports</p> <p>Friday, Sept. 8<sup>th</sup>- Fall Pictures</p>		<p>Wednesday: Phonics Daily Grade, Grammar Daily Grade <b>(Action Verbs)</b></p> <p>Thursday: Vocabulary Quiz, Topic 2 Assessment</p> <p>Friday: Weekly Math Quiz, Reading Comprehension Test, Spelling Test</p>	
<b>Reading</b>		<b>Grammar/ELA &amp; PHONICS SKILL</b>	
<p>Open Court Reading Unit 1, Lesson 2</p> <p>Story of the Week: Ants and Aphids Work Together</p> <p>Genre: Informational Text</p> <p>Comprehension Skills: Compare and Contrast</p>		<p>Grammar/ELA Skills: action verbs</p> <p>Phonics/Spelling Skills: /j/ spelled _dge      /ch/ spelled _tch /k/ spelled ck</p> <p>Writing Skills: Opinion Writing</p>	
<b>Math</b>	<b>SCIENCE/ SOCIAL STUDIES</b>	<b>SPELLING WORDS</b>	
<p>Topic 2 Work With Equal Groups</p> <p>Lesson 3: Use arrays to find totals</p> <p>Lesson 4: Make arrays to find tools</p> <p>Lesson 5: Problem Solving</p> <p>Wednesday: Topic 2 Review</p> <p>Thursday: Topic 2 Assessment</p>	<p>Social Studies: Studies Weekly 2- Rules &amp; Laws</p> <p>Science: ☺</p>	<p>1. check</p> <p>2. wedge</p> <p>3. latch</p> <p>4. judge</p> <p>5. kick</p>	<p>6. switch</p> <p>7. track</p> <p>8. ledge</p> <p>9. badge</p> <p>10. flock</p>
<b>VOCABULARY</b>			
<p>1. <b>symbiosis</b>- the close, and often helpful, association of two living beings that are not alike</p> <p>2. <b>scurry</b>- to go or move in a hurry</p> <p>3. <b>liquid</b>- a form of matter that is not a solid or gas</p> <p>4. <b>partners</b>- a person who joins or shares with another</p> <p>5. <b>shelter</b>- something that covers or protects</p>		<p>6. <b>relationship</b>- a connection between two or more things</p> <p>7. <b>honeydew</b>- a sweet substance secreted on leaves and stems by aphids and certain other plant-sucking insects</p> <p>8. <b>predators</b>- an animal such as a wolf, lion, or hawk, that lives by preying animals</p> <p>9. <b>colony</b>- a group of the same animal or plant that live together</p> <p>10. <b>team</b>- a group that works together</p>	