

# Ms. Johnston's Newsletter

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## A Peek at Our Week

### Reading:

Benchmark

/ou/ and /ow/

Example: sound, how

Great link to decodable books! I encourage you to utilize this free resource:

<https://portal.flyleafpublishing.com/learners-resources/>

**Word Study:** brown, now, count, out, cow, owl, house, round, mouth, town

### Grammar:

- Proper Nouns

### Comprehension:

- Drawing Inferences
- Identify Key Details to Determine a Main Idea
- Identify Main Purpose of a Text (Author's Purpose)
- Explain How Images Contribute to and Clarify a Text
- Describe a Connection Between a Series of Events, Ideas, Concepts, or Steps

### Math:

- Subtraction with regrouping

### Writing/Language:

- Writing complete sentences
- Process Opinion

### Science/Social Studies:

- Dr Martin Luther King

## Upcoming Events

- January 20th ~ MLK Day, No School
- January 21st ~ Winter Weather Day, No School
- January 22nd ~ Winter Weather Day, No School
- January 23rd ~ 100th Day and STEM Day
- January 24th ~ Read Across America Shirts go on sale
- February 7th ~ Lady Liberty Field Trip Closing Ceremony

## Weekly Homework

Please check your child's folder for their homework that will be due on Friday

### Tests this week

\*Dates subject to change

Non-regrouping Subtraction Test (Wednesday or Thursday)

Subtraction Fact Fluency 5 Minute Timed Drill (Friday)  
Practice your subtraction facts and money!!!!

Quarter 3 Sight Words:

Week 1: answer, there, brown, wash, country, went, start, who, then, your

Week 2: above, grow, began, they, different, were, enough, which, few, why

Week 3: follow, leave, girl, might, head, next, idea, often, kind, paper

Week 4: river, until, second, watch, song, white, think, three, young, point

Week 5: add, group, between, hear, close, home, example, left, food, mountain

Week 6: music, spell, night, thought, old, together, picture, while, sentence, world

## Reminders

- Every Wednesday is Wonderful Wednesday Snack. All items are \$2.