

Mrs. Studdard's Newsletter

September 15th-September 19th

Upcoming Events

Friday, September 19th-Literacy Day (10:015-10:45) Friday, October 3rd-Spirit Day/Special Snack

Vocabulary Words

Unit 1. Lesson 4

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Reading

This week we go through Open Court Reading Unit 1, Lesson 4.

Story of the week: A Cherokee Stick
Ball

Genre: Folktale

Phonics: -nk, -ng,-ing endings

Comprehension: Sequence of Events; Compare and Contrast

Writing: Opinion Writing

Grammar: Subject and Predicate

Math

Topic 9:

Place Value

(Lesson 4-Lesson 9)

Students will understand and recognize place value as a precursor to addition and subtraction using base ten as a strategy.

We will skip ahead to topic 9 on place value before returning to topic 3 next week

Spelling Words:

Unit 1 Lesson 4:

think rushing gravel grinning middle strong shrank pickle sink blank

Science/Social Studies:

Science: We will begin a unit on natural disasters.

Each week we will pick a natural disaster as our weekly focus. This week we will be learning all about tornadoes and tornado safety.

Assessments:

Thursday: Grammar quiz; Fluency drill

Friday: OCR Unit 1: Lesson 4 Spelling and Reading test; Weekly math quiz (from homework)

Reminders:

- Please be sure to join Parentsquare. This will be my main tool for communication.
- Please send snack with your child each day!

A Cherokee Stickball 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. roared: to laugh loudly
- 2. disappointed: to fail to fill a hope, desire, or expectation
- 3. humbly: not big or important; lowly
- 4. pity: a feeling of sorrow or sympathy for the troubles of another
- 5. part: a piece of a whole
- 6. furious: very angry