



Mrs. Malland's Mailbox



Apr. 27 - May. 4

Parents,

NO MORE HOMEWORK!! Students will not be expected to complete homework through the end of the year if they have already finished the math choice board. Please have your child use this time to enjoy the weather, family, and being a kid... oh, and reading.

The HFW/decodable sentences practice page will still be placed in the blue folders, and assignments are still in the newsletter for those that want their child to stay in the routine of doing homework and practicing what we are learning. However, these are totally optional now and do not need to be turned into me.

Our field trip to the Children's Museum is Tuesday. We will leave school around 9:45 and load buses to return at 1:00. Parents planning to go as chaperones should plan to arrive at CMOM by 10:15, pay or use membership there, and meet us inside. We will eat lunch there, so make sure to send a disposable drink and lunch in a disposable bag if you said you would provide a lunch for your child.

Please have your child wear our class t-shirt (Mrs. Malland's Marvels) along with uniform bottoms for the field trip.

On Tuesday, May 20th, we will be having a fun day to say "fair"well to 1st grade. We will spend the afternoon playing fair/carnival games, eating popcorn and cotton candy, and enjoying time with all of our first-grade friends. We plan to be outside after lunch until about 1:00 and would love for you to join if you are interested. Be looking for a sign-up coming soon to volunteer to help with games or materials needed.

An accurate inventory must be made of materials in the library, so all books must be returned this week. Students will no longer be able to check out books, so your child will have to read books from our classroom, home, or the public library to take AR tests after this week. I will adjust their AR goals accordingly. *This Friday will be the last day for AR points to count toward shopping at the AR store, but students can still test toward their goal.

THANK YOU'S

Thank you to Reaves, Arnav, Sterling, and Roland for bringing snacks for the class.

IN THE CLASSROOM THIS WEEK

High Frequency words front, heard, before, your, push, tomorrow

Spelling Words: strike, spray, splash, split, scrape, three

Phonics: 3-letter blends (thr, spr, scr, str)

Grammar: subject/object pronouns, compound words

Reading: theme

Math: money/review

Homework

Mon: Write word problems, at least 3 sentences, for each number sentence.
26+30=___
22-10=___
*read a book and be ready to take AR test

Tues: write 5 words for each of the following 3-letter blends:
str(string), **spr**(spray), **thr**(throw); **shr**(shrub)
* write math facts for 7s (7+0=, 7+1=, 7+2=...)

Wed: use coin combinations to represent the following numbers:
80, 99, 75, 50, 34, 22
*read a book and be ready to take AR test

Thurs: Draw a picture and write a sentence for 2 different meanings of each word.
1. watch
2. light
* practice math facts for 7s (7+0=, 7+1=, 7+2=...)

Things to Remember:

Field day is May 15th. Parents are welcome to come cheer on the kiddos. Pre-orders for concessions are due by May 1st.

WISH LIST

Fabulous First-Graders

Congratulations to **Sterling Davis!** She continues to work hard in class, show fabulous behavior, and represents our class well. She will get to take our weekend buddy home for a second time! We can't wait to hear all about their adventures.



May Birthdays

Olivia 3rd



Future Dates

Apr. 29: field trip/CMOM
May 1: National Principals Day
May 5-9: Teacher Appreciation week
May 13: AR store (students shop using their AR points)
May 15: field day
May 20: "FAIR"well to 1st grade, end of the year celebration (11:30-12:30)



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