

Classroom News

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A Peak at the Week

Reading:

- **Steal Away Home**
 - Students will be learning about and how to implement author's voice into their writing.

Math:

- **Topic 4-Addition and Subtraction:** Students will be adding and subtracting large numbers with and without regrouping.

Science:

- **Weather:** Students will be learning about the water cycle. Make sure to ask them to sing the song they learned in class. ☺

Social Studies:

- **Native Americans:** Students will be learning about the Nez Perce Native American tribe.

Important information

Per Mrs. Layman, please be aware that if you choose to eat lunch with your child, no other students may eat at the family table with you. This is a safety measure to ensure the wellbeing of all the students at Tate.

Calendar

- 9/2/15: Progress Reports
- 9/3/15: Book Fair
- 9/9/15: School Picture Day!
- 9/17/15: Constitution Day

Upcoming Tests/Homework

- Reading, Spelling, and Vocabulary Tests will be on August 28th. *(Spelling and Vocabulary words are on the back of this newsletter.)*



Week 4

Meaning and Spelling Vocabulary

Epidemic (closed, closed, closed, closed) is a noun that means an illness that spreads quickly and dangerously. Flu can sometimes be and epidemic and it is dangerous enough that some people die from it.

Concede (closed, vce) is a verb which means to give in. If you are playing soccer and the score is tied for a long time, one team might concede, or say that they want to stop and give up. You can use your verb suffixes with e drop. The noun form is concession.

Fury (rcontrol, y) is a noun that means wild anger. If you are filled with fury, you are very very angry. The adjective is furious, and the adverb is furiously.

Preserve (open, rcontrol) is a verb that means to keep safe or protect. We can preserve fruit as jam. We can preserve good feelings. We can preserve peace. We can add the verb suffixes with e-drop. The noun form is preservation.