

Classroom News

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A Peak at the Week

Reading:

- *Steal Away Home*
 - Students will continue learning about and how to implement author's voice into their writing.
 - *Binder Check for a daily grade will be on Friday.*

Math:

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

Science:

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

Social Studies:

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

Important information

Calling all Grandparents!

Please come and join your grandchild for lunch on **September 4th**. Our lunch time is from 12:05-12:40. We are looking forward to seeing you all on this special day.

Calendar

- 9/2/15: Progress Reports
- 9/3/15: Book Fair begins
- 9/4/15: Grandparent's Luncheon
- 9/7/15: Labor Day, NO SCHOOL!
- 9/9/15: School Picture Day!
- 9/17/15: Constitution Day

Upcoming Tests/Homework

- Spelling and Vocabulary Tests will be on September 4th.
(Spelling and Vocabulary words are on the back of this newsletter.)
- Math Test: September 8th.
(Study guide will be sent home)
- Math Homework: Due Friday





Week 5

Meaning and Spelling Vocabulary

Ab surd (closed, rcontrol) is an adjective that means completely untrue or unreasonable. If you said you saw a cow fly, I would say that was absurd. Absurdity is the noun form; Absurdly is the adverb form.

Sat is fy (closed, cloed, open) is a verb that means either to do what you have agreed or to make happy. We change the y to i for the past form (satisfied) but not in the adjective form (satisfying). The noun form is satisfaction.

Stam mer (closed, rcontrol) is a noun or verb. The verb means to speak with stops and repetition. The noun is the sound that the person makes.

As ton ish (closed, closed, closed) is a verb that means to strike with wonder or surprise. You astonished me with the quality of your writing. We can add our verb suffixes with no spelling change. The adverb form is astonishingly; the noun form is astonishment.

Nour ish ment (vowel team, closed, closed) is a noun that means food. You need healthy nourishment to stay strong. The verb form is nourish, nourished, nourishing.

Mar vel ous (rcontrol, closed, vowel team) is an adjective that means causing wonder or having very high quality. I feel marvelous when I finish a great book. Marvelously is the adjective form; marvelousness is the noun.