

Mrs. Christie's Reading Class

*****February 6th-February 10*****

Keep in Reading Folder

Reading Story: "Cactus Hotel"

Skills: Cause and Effect, Sequence of Events, Suffixes

Please take the time to check and initial your child's homework each night.

		Initial
Monday:	Reading: Read "Cactus Hotel" Pgs. 58-79	_____
	Spelling: Write each word 3 times each.	_____
	Vocabulary: Review Definitions and Sight Words	_____
	Math: Lesson 90-1B Sheets	_____
	Language: Language HW Sheet Exercise 1	_____
Tuesday:	Reading: Read "Cactus Hotel" Pgs. 58-79	_____
	Spelling: Write each word in a pyramid.	_____
	Vocabulary: Review Definitions and Sight Words	_____
	Math: Lesson 90-2B Sheets	_____
	Language: Language HW Sheet Exercise 2	_____
Wednesday:	None	
Thursday:	Reading: Read "Cactus Hotel" Pgs. 58-79	_____
	Spelling: Study for Test	_____
	Vocabulary: Study Sight Words and Vocabulary	_____
	Math: Lesson 92B Sheets	_____
	Language: Language HW Sheet Exercise 3	_____
Friday:	Have a great week end!!	
Tests:	Friday: Reading, Spelling, Sight Words	

Reading Vocabulary

*Review these words and definitions daily.

1. Tough- strong, not easy to cut or damage
2. Ribs- the bones that curve around the heart and lungs; a part that supports
3. Discovered- found
4. Insects- bugs; small animals without back-bones
5. Treat- an especially pleasant event or food
6. Remains- is left when something is gone or over

Important Information

- *Spring Fling T-shirts are on sale now. \$8. Be sure to purchase yours soon!
- *February 10th- Hat Day for \$1.00
- *February 27th-Family Reading Night
- *March 9th- SPRING FLING!!!! 5-8 PM

Test Taking Tips for Parents

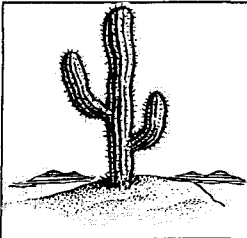
- ⇒ Ensure your child eats a healthy breakfast on test days.
- ⇒ Make sure your child gets up early enough so he/she will on time for school.
- ⇒ Let your child relax a few hours before bedtime-it can be stressful to study all night.

Sight Words

Flowers
Cactus
Hotel
Insects
Tough
Shady
Protect
Signal
Different
Nectar
Desert
Special
Young
Support
Creatures
Toppled
Survive
Gust
Discovered
Prickly

Spelling Words

1. woman
 2. tall
 3. cookie
 4. bought
 5. song
 6. pulls
 7. cause
 8. always
 9. wolf
 10. fought
 11. across
 12. sugar
 13. saucer
 14. often
 15. footprint
- There will be dictation sentences.



**Mrs. Shannon's
Reading Group**

February 6 -10

Homework Sheet

Name _____

Keep Homework Sheet in Folder at all times!

Please initial your child's homework each night.

Initial

Monday-	Reading - Read <u>Cactus Hotel</u> and answer story questions on page 80 in your reading book	_____
	Spelling - Rainbow Spelling (3 colors)	_____
	Math - 89B	_____
	Language - Shurley Language homework sheet	_____
Tuesday-	Reading- Read leveled book for an AR test	_____
	Spelling - Write 10 sentences using as many of your spelling words as you can and 2 vocabulary words	_____
	Math - Practice multiplication Facts 2's, 5's, and 7's	_____
	Language - Shurley Language homework sheet	_____
Wednesday-	Read leveled book for an AR test	_____
	Finish DESERT ANIMAL REPORT	_____
Thursday-	Reading - Read <u>Cactus Hotel</u>	_____
	Spelling - write missed words 10 times each	_____
	Math - 91B	_____
	Language - Shurley Language homework sheet	_____

Practice Multiplication facts EVERY night!
0's, 1's, 2's, 3's, 5's, 7's, and 10's

~Parent Tips ~

~ Ensure that your child eats a healthy breakfast and avoid heavy foods that may make him/her groggy
~ Make sure your child is on time to school.
~ Let your child relax for a few hours before bedtime. It can be stressful for a child to study all night.

~This week's Tests~

*Tuesday - Math Fact Assessments and Written Assessments
*Thurs. - Turn in DESERT ANIMAL REPORT, Trial Spelling
*Friday - Sight Word, Spelling, dictation sentences, and Reading/Vocab. Test

Spelling

IMPORTANT DATES

Feb. 20 - No school for students
Feb. 27 - Family Reading Night

**PLEASE SEND IN
BOX TOPS**

Sight Words

hike	pine
ripe	stage
trade	froze
ache	bitter
skipper	slipper
whisper	buffalo
listening	notice
pollution	ceiling
raced	success
scissors	copy
celebrated	pony
medicine	duty
slippery	deny
strawberry	sincerely

woman	tall
cookie	bought
song	pulls
cause	always
wolf	fought
across	sugar
saucer	often
footprint	discovered
insects	remains
tough	treat

Vocabulary

~ tough - strong, not easy to cut or damage
~ ribs - the bones that curve around the heart and lungs; a part that supports
~ discovered - found
~ insects - bugs; small animals without a backbone
~ treat - an especially pleasant event or food
~ remains - is left when something is over or goes

~bonus words~

cactus
comfortable



Third Grade

Ms. Elizabeth's Reading Group

Feb. 6-10

Name _____

Keep Homework Sheet in Folder at all times!

Please initial your child's homework each night.

Monday-

Reading- Read "Big Blue Whale"
 Math- Test in class
 Language- homework sheet
 Spelling- Write spelling words 5 times each

Initial-

Tuesday-

Reading- Read "Big Blue Whale"
 Math- Lesson - 91b
 Language- homework sheet
 Spelling- Choose ten spelling words to write a sentence with

Wednesday-

No Homework

Thursday-

Reading- Read "Big Blue Whale"
 Math- Lesson - 93b
 Language- homework sheet
 Spelling- write words in ABC order
 *Sight word test in class

Friday-

Reading- test on "Big Blue Whale"
 Spelling test

Magic Tree house vocabulary

avalanche
 bleak
 chambers
 envy
 excellent
 fascinated
 fluttered
 lantern
 rudder
 palace
 reunited
 snowdrift

IMPORTANT DATES

Feb. 27- Family Reading Night

Please mark these dates on your calendar.

Parent Tips

1. Ensure that child has a healthy breakfast and avoid heavy foods that may make him/her groggy and avoid high sugar foods that may make him /her hyper.
2. Make sure that your child gets up early enough so that he/she will be on time for school.
3. Let your child relax for a few hours before bedtime. It can be stressful for a child to study all night.

Story Vocabulary

1. adult- having grown to full size; mature
2. vast- very great in size; huge
3. swallow- to take into the stomach through the mouth and throat
4. feast- to eat heartily
5. calm- not moving; still
6. mammal- warm-blooded animal that feeds its young with milk and has a backbone and hair

Sight Words

knee	pass
pass	silk
umbrella	burnt
drug	lady
past	sir
until	butcher
each	laid
paste	size
valley	butterfly
earth	lamp
peach	skirt
visit	captain
either	

Please review these sight words nightly. They will be tested on Thursday.

adult	vast
swallow	feast
calm	mammal
lantern	flutter
palace	envy
chamber	single
absorb	equal
yard	mouth
express	touch
east	partial

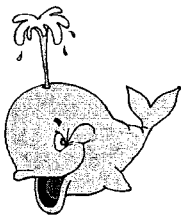
Challenge Words

information	decimal
electricity	criticize
evaporate	

Dictation Sentence

The students will be given three dictation sentences.

bonus word:
 fascinated



Mrs. Kaye Long's Third Grade Reading Group

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Name _____

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Reading Story: ***BIG BLUE WHALE***

Skills: **form generalizations, author's purpose, point of view, figurative language**

The student's need to study in their Shurley Language book nightly. This will help them on the test. The Shurley Language homework sheets are for review. They only touch the surface of what we are doing. Please review the daily lesson with your child. Thanks so much for your help. Also, If the reading vocabulary definitions are not completed in class on Monday, finish them at home.

		Initial
Monday:	Reading-Big Blue Whale (read)	_____
	Spelling—complete one activity	_____
	Vocabulary & Sight— study nightly	_____
	Math-Lesson	_____
	Language— complete worksheet	_____
Tuesday:	Reading-answer questions on p 108	_____
	Spelling— complete one activity	_____
	Vocabulary & Sight— study nightly	_____
	Math— Lesson	_____
	Language— complete worksheet	_____
Wednesday:	<i>Study for Spelling & Sight Word Test</i>	
Thursday:	Reading— on page 91 there are 5 similes	_____
	write down each one and what it means	_____
	Spelling— NONE (Test in class)	_____
	Vocabulary & Sight— (Test in class)	_____
	Math— Lesson	_____
	Language—complete worksheet	_____
Friday:	reading assessment on <i>Big Blue Whale</i>	
Initial your child's homework nightly!!!!		

Reading Vocabulary

- adults
- vast
- swallow
- feast
- calm
- mammal

Important Dates

- February 20th-NO SCHOOL
- February 27th-Family Reading Night
- March 5-9: 9 week exam
- March 9-SPRING FLING

Old Yeller Project

In our story Travis and Old Yeller spend some nights in the corn field. During this time, he watches the night sky. We want to find out more about the night sky. Research about Constellations, the solar system, the moon, etc. Complete any project that you want to. Example: a collage, a poster, a report, an art project, a di- aroma, etc. The projects will be due on Monday, February 13th...

Sight Words

- place
- peace
- speak
- discover
- connect
- century
- original
- section
- amount
- nation
- ordinary
- wear
- object
- exercise
- dance
- length
- main
- race
- paint
- mind
- wild
- root
- solve

Test on Thursday!!

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR THE SPRING FLING!!

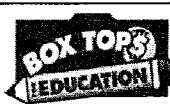
Spelling

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|----------|-------------|
| thousand | temperature |
| cousin | section |
| system | fraction |
| uncle | steam |
| million | continue |
| describe | exactly |
| length | breath |
| probably | direction |
| written | material |
| travel | mammal |
| leave | subject |
| country | return |

The students will have to identify the spelling words correctly in a sentence

BONUS WORDS

- Test on Thursday*
- echolocation
 - migration
 - simile



Don't forget to be collecting Box Tops for Education. Place them in a Ziploc bag with your child's name and teacher's name on it. Thanks!

Parent Tips of the Week

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THIRD GRADE
PLANNING TIME
10:40-11:20