

Hudson's Happenings

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Mapping Out Our Week

Reading: Reading Workshop

In reading, we will be learning about immigration, which relates to social studies. We will be focusing on making connections between different pieces of literature with a common theme. Students will also do optional immigration interviews to enhance our exploration.

Writing: Writing Workshop

In writing, we are working on publishing pieces using the ChromeBooks. Students will be writing some shorter works, turn them in digitally, and then revise/edit them after suggestions from me. It is a newer process, so we will be working on it for the next week or two.

Math: Unit 4 – Fractions

We have just started our unit on fractions. This is a short unit that just focuses on the very basics of the concept. Students will be learning how to partition shapes into equal parts, about unit fractions, and fractions on a number line. The test will take place the week of 11/24!

Social Studies: Cultures

In social studies, we are exploring our own cultures, as well as those that have affected local communities. We will be doing some research about the art, language, food, and religion of various countries as we "visit" them!

Events of the High Seas

11/18 - PTA Pizza Day

11/18 - Book Orders due - paper orders due at school; online orders due by midnight

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Matey of the Week

- Favorite Foods – steak, lamb, tacos, and pasta
- Favorite Books – Magic Tree House and Whatever After series
- Collections – glass animals and Monster High dolls
- Favorite Things at School – art and computer lab
- Favorite TV Shows – Jessie and Dog with a Blog
- Favorite Games – Tag and card games
- Favorite Family Excursions – Mexico, Disney World, and Nemaquin

Notes from the Teacher:

Thank you to Mr. Harris for being our guest reader this week. We enjoyed an informational story about Alaskan animals & a fun story about Jingle!

Thank you to Mrs. Kysela for being our guest reader last week! She helped us kick off our culture unit as we learned about life in other countries!

FUNdations – Unit 6, Week 2

Weekly Skill – open syllable exceptions for the letter a

Words of the Week – abandon and extra Trick Word – very
Sound-Alike Words – by/bye/buy Cursive – lower-case connectives