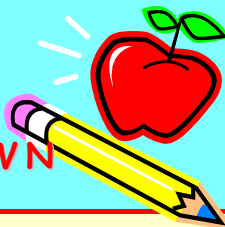


THIRD GRADE LEOPARD LOW-DOWN



Legend Springs
Elementary School
Glendale, AZ

September 02, 2013

Reading Goal: I will read 123 or more words correctly in 1 minute.

Math Goal: I will recall 100 multiplication facts in 5 minutes.

SAVE THE DATE...

SEPTEMBER

Labor Day/No School – Mon. Sept. 2

PTA Board Meeting-Sept 9—4:00

Flagpole Fridays – Sep. 6th, 20th, 27th

Early Release Day – Fri. Sept. 13,
12:05 pm

Volunteer Training- Sep. 16th 6-7

Picture Day – Sept. 17th

Math Night – Sept. 18th MPR 6:15-
7:30

PTA fundraiser- Sept. 26th Mr. Scrib's
night (4-10pm)

Social Studies...

This week we will explore the concepts of 'regions' and their characteristics (physical and human), in addition to further increasing our understanding of resources *natural vs man-made* and *renewable vs non-renewable*, and how the presence or lack of these can effect a community. Students will take a short quiz on Friday.

We will switch to our first unit of study in science, "Earth Materials", the following week

This Week's Specials...

Mon- NO SCHOOL

Tues - Badger-Music Devargas-Art
 Nelson-PE Sromek-PE

Wed- Badger-PE DeVargas-PE
 Nelson- Music Sromek-Art

Thurs- Badger-Art DeVargas-Music
 Nelson-PE Sromek-PE

Fri- Badger-PE DeVargas-PE
 Nelson- Art Sromek-Music

Student of the Week:

Badger- Taylor Strow
DeVargas-Madison Hinsch
Nelson- Tatum Folkestad
Sromek- Ty Good

BOX TOP TOTALS

Badger-123

DeVargas-585

Nelson-275

Sromek- 415

PTA NEWS!!

Please come out and support Legend Spring's PTA Thursday, September 26th at Mr. Scrib's (NE Corner 67th & Happy Valley Rd)!! 20% of their sales for the day (4-10pm) will go toward our school. Class with the most sales earns a pizza party. Enjoy some great food and help us raise money to benefit the students at Legend Springs! Flyers are not necessary for participation! Thank you!

Question of the Week?

What can we get what we want and need?

Last Week's Question?

Students learned that people achieve goals by:

- Working together
- Staying prepared
- Having enough funds

Reading...

Supermarket

By Kathleen Krull

Genre: Expository Text/Social Studies

Phonics/Word Analysis: Long Vowel Digraphs ee, ea; ai, ay; oa, ow; (i.e. please, freeze)

Comprehension Skill: Compare and Contrast

Comprehension Strategy: Background Knowledge

Vocabulary Skill: Multiple-Meaning Words

Conventions: Imperative and Exclamatory Sentences

Fluency: Accuracy

Vocabulary...

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|------------|--------------|
| 1. laundry | 2. section |
| 3. shelves | 4. spoiled |
| 5. store | 6. thousands |
| 7. traded | 8. variety |

Math...

Students will review **arrays** and begin working with **area**. We will be working from Investigations, during the week.

Homework will be nightly (Mon- Thurs)—check student's planner or 3rd grade Badger website for details.

Fact Fluency will be on Fridays. **Please ask to see their "slip" to see how they did.** If they got an "OOPS" slip, they need to practice more and retake the following Friday.

Flashcards are available to check out from class.

Every Friday we will have a Math Fact Fluency quiz.

Help your child with their facts so they may climb

"Multiplication Mountain"

Build Your Vocabulary with Amazing Words - 027

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|-------------|---------------|
| 1. exchange | 2. bargain |
| 3. browse | 4. budget |
| 5. hastily | 6. compromise |
| 7. product | 8. resource |
| 9. export | 10. import |

Remember to look at online homework by going to the third grade website, then going to Reading/homework under Mrs. Nelson, then using the Pearson login to get in and view the story assignments for the week.

Writing...

- What are the six traits of writing?
- What are some ways you can choose a strong idea?
- What are the parts of a sentence?
- What is the difference between Declarative and Interrogative Sentences?