



Mrs. Fatheree's Newsletter

Nov. 14-23

Math:

We are finishing Unit 4. The focus is telling time, place value, and measurement.

Social Studies:

We will learn about our world, including the continents, countries, states and our town.

FYI: Panther Night on Thursday, 11/17 @ 6:00. Wear your red, white and blue for the Olympic theme.

Wednesday, 11/23, early dismissal at 1:20. We will not have school on Thursday or Friday. Enjoy your Thanksgiving!



Reading:



We are continuing Unit 3. Students will be making connections to the theme and vocabulary. After reviewing, we will be taking the unit test.

Theme Question: What makes a good community?

Focus Question: How does a community meet its people's needs?

Genre: Fiction

Spelling: The test will be on Friday, 11/18. This week's focus is words with the /ur/ sound spelled er, ir, ur and ear. The last two words are frequently misspelled words. This week's words are:

person	stir	learn	*world
serve	burn	earth	
first	nurse	*heard	

There will not be a spelling test the week of November 21-23 due to Thanksgiving break.

Sight Words: The new sight words are **outside, school, and something.**

Target Skill: Identifying Fantasy and Realism

Comprehension Strategy: Monitor Comprehension

I have started giving challenge spelling lists to students who pass the pretest with 100%. Those students will be tested on the challenge words at the end of the week. Happy spelling!

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