



Mrs. Killman's 3rd
Grade Newsletter
April 16 - 23, 2021

IMPORTANT INFO

April 21st and 22nd – AZM2 Math

AZm2 Testing

April 21-22nd – Math – Part One on Weds., Part Two on Thurs.

April 26-27th – English Language Arts

****All students need headphones for AZm2 testing!!**

- S - Shows Responsibility
- T- Trustworthiness
- A - Accountability
- R - Respect
- S - Safety

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Odysea Virtual Field Trip!

We had an amazing time participating in the virtual field trip with Odysea aquarium. It was called **Fintastic Findings: The Tooth About Sharks** We learned that they are also incredibly important to their ecosystems and our oceans. We were able to go behind the scenes and watch them feed the sharks. We also were able to have an ask question time. This kids thought it was great, and a wonderful way to spend the afternoon.

AZm2 Testing Continues this week and next

We will continue this week with our AZM2 testing. This week we will take math part 1 and 2. Please be mindful of scheduling appointments on these days. It is important that students are here on these days to participate with the class, as it will be a more comfortable setting. Students should be well rested and have a good and healthy breakfast each morning. We have spoken about this in class a lot, as to relieve any anxiety. Thank you again for your wonderful letters. They have put them somewhere safe and we will be reading them again this week before we begin our testing.

Vocab Unit 6, Packet Due and Test on April 29th.

Blossom, collide, constant, content, distract, drought, foul, noble, policy, quiver, slight, and tidy.

Students need to know definitions, synonyms and antonyms.

Spare Masks: Please consider sending your student with a spare mask or two each day. We have had a couple of situations, where an extra mask has been a good idea. Here is a helpful website I came across as a resource for cleaning too.

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/how-to-wash-cloth-face-coverings.html>



Into Reading Critical Vocab

rotation	storage
vine	burly
prepping	shrivel
agriculture	reap
nutrition	tilling



Spelling

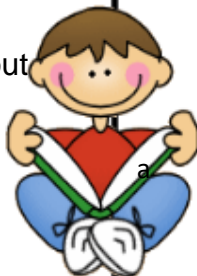
taught	thought
rough	laugh
bought	cough
ought	caught
fought	daughter
tough	through
enough	brought

Review

quickly	powerful
singer	friendly

Challenge

laundry	throughout
forethought	naughty



**Spelling quiz will be 4-23

What We're Learning

Reading:

Media: Carrots Farm to Fork, Informational Text with Poetry: How Do You Raise a Raisin

Comprehension Strategy: Ask and Answer Questions, Media Techniques, Figurative Language, Text and Graphic Features.

Foundational Skills:

Decoding: Words with augh and ough
Fluency: Accuracy and Self Correction

Vocabulary Strategy: Suffixes ness and able and Context Clues

Math: Module 4 – Angle Measurement and Plane Figures and AZM2 on Weds, and Thurs

Writing: Poetry and Contractions

Science: How plants react to stimuli.

Social Studies – Government and Citizenship



Students really need to be practicing their multiplication math facts. So much of what we will be doing in math involves both multiplication and division facts, especially now. All students have access to IXL to practice these facts when they have time.

Specials Schedule

Monday - Art
Tuesday - Art
Wednesday – PE
Thursday – PE
Friday – Art