

First Grade Home Practice

Prompts - October 10-13, 2017

DUE: Monday, October 16, 2017

Parents: *The scholars are given their writing prompts for the week on Fridays. They are to cut and glue the prompts into their writing journal as they have been taught in class. If they do not have a writing journal, they will need to get one in order to complete this assignment. These prompts should be completed on the date given. Discuss the questions with your child before they begin to write. Do not complete them all in one night. The completed prompts for the week are due on the due date, **no exceptions.** Please do not turn them in early. Any questions please email your teacher.*

What will we learn this week?

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Reading strategies</u></p> <p>Scholars will read <u>Lucia's Neighborhood</u> from their Journeys book. Scholars will use text and graphic features to help them understand the words. Use this sentence starter to help with this skill: "This picture helped me understand ... because..." They will also be continuing to practice the summarizing strategy. We will also review elements of a poem such as visualization.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Spelling Words</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Yet, web, pen, wet, leg, hen, all, me, does, here</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>High Frequency and Vocabulary Words</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">HFW: all, does, here, me, my, who Vocabulary: book, goal, home, plant, street</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Scholars should be able to read their HFW independently. Create flash cards to assist with this.)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Robust Vocabulary</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">firefighter, librarian, neighborhood,</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Grammar</u></p> <p>Scholars will learn about adjectives (describing words). We will also review sentence punctuation.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Math</u></p> <p>Scholars will be focusing on addition this week and how to form equations and represent the equations with circle drawings.</p> <p><u>Vocabulary:</u> add, partners, plus sign, total, equal, not equal, equation, count on</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Social Studies</u></p> <p>We will continue our unit community helpers. We will be talking about goods and services.</p> <p><u>Vocabulary:</u> self-control, self reflection, community helper, occupation, goods, services</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Science</u></p> <p>We will do our experiment about bacteria. We still had some unanswered questions.</p> <p><u>Vocabulary:</u> scientific method, observe, record, data, senses, hypothesis</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>First Grade News</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Our field trip to Cox Farm will be on October 31st. Money is due on October 17th, NO EXCEPTIONS (cash only) ▪ Our new character trait for this month is self-control. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please note our new due date for Home Practice. It will now be due on Mondays. • There is NO SCHOOL on Friday, October 20th for teacher professional development. • Any questions, please contact the first grade teachers.

