

HARRISON'S HEROES

Note from Mrs. Harrison STEWART ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



Dear Parents,

This week marks the beginning of a new marking period and we are off to a great start. On Monday, students started learning the states and capitals. I am introducing them similar to how I introduced the Presidents, one at a time. Students will learn them in ABC order. We will be adding the state of the day to the big map of the United States I put in the hall outside our classroom. State Farm agent, Tom Mikel, stopped by our room yesterday and surprised all the students by giving them each a US atlas. The kids loved them and will use them as they learn the states.



Halloween Fun

The students all appeared to have a great time on Monday during our Halloween Party. A big thank you to all the parents who helped to make this day so special for the kids. They had a ball participating in the games, making crafts, and eating some yummy food! Please click on the following link to get a glimpse of the students having a "spooktacular" time at the party! <https://vimeo.com/766416448>



Thank you State Farm and Tom Mikel for the awesome atlases! We love them!



Thumbs up to Mrs. Tillery for making the students some awesome new locker tags.

Note from Mrs. Harrison Continued:

Report cards will be sent home on Thursday, Nov. 3rd. During conferences coming up I will be happy to address any questions you may have. If you haven't signed up for conferences yet, please do so by going to www.ptcfast.com/reg1

At the link you will be asked for your entry code, LYD1430156. If you would rather call and schedule an interview, you can reach me 269-449-2828. I am available to take calls from 9:30-10:10 or after 3:40. Or you can email me and I will find a date and time that works for you.

BOOK IT! Pizza Party-I am so proud of the students and all the reading they have been doing at home to achieve their Book It! goals. Way to go kids! On Friday all the students who made their goal are invited to a pizza party in the classroom during lunch. Thank you for encouraging your kids at home to read! I hope this enthusiasm continues to read for pleasure continues!

This Week's Word Work
Focus th, wh, sh

Thick

This

Truth

Whales

Shock

Fish

What

Sixth

Them

Washing

Wheel

Pathway

Month

Dishpan

Weather

Lunch

Chick

Pitch

Thesaurus

Spelling Web Site

www.spellingcity.com

Field Trip Thurs, Nov. 10

To celebrate learning the Preamble and all the Presidents we will be traveling to the Krasl Art Center at 9:30, the morning of Nov. 10 to check-out the President exhibit they have displayed. From there we will be traveling to the Berrien Country Administration Building in St. Joseph to kickoff their weekly county board meeting at 10:30 by reciting the Pledge, Preamble, and Presidents. Sheriff Bailey and other county employees will be there to greet the students when they arrive. Students will be back at Stewart by 11:00. This should be a fun opportunity for all the kids.

Sneak Peek at the Week Ahead

Math:

Students are continuing to work on multiplication strategies. Following is a link to some of the math games and activities the students are learning in here at school:

<https://mathathome.mathlearningcenter.org/grade/3/set-2>

HW Tues. 25-26

Thurs 27-28

Language Arts

I am proud of all the students and their Book It achievement. Most kids made their goal! Way to go kids! Keep reading.

Brain Boosters: Students will begin learning about R-Controlled syllables. Here is a link that introduces this type of syllable in a fun way: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ceZa5gF2ShU>

Specials:

Monday-PE, library

Tuesday Art

Wednesday-Music

Thursday PE

Friday-Art