



Classroom News!



Mrs. Murphy 2nd Grade Class

Week of: 4-23-18

Teacher's Note:

Today we had our monthly assembly on kindness. Third grade presented and demonstrated how they showed kindness during the month of April. It was nice seeing how over 50 students completed a kind act for another person or people. Third grade decorated kindness rocks and will be placing them throughout the community. If you see one, I hope it brightens your day!

Upcoming Dates:

- April 30: Online Summer School Registration begins & Ms. McDonald's Birthday!
- May 3: PTO Raffle Basket Night, 6:00-8:00
- May 7: Kohl's Wild Theater Assembly
- May 7-11: Teacher Appreciation week
- May 9: First Stage Play
- May 10: WEHR Nature Center
- May 18: Popcorn Day .50 per Bag

This week...

Reader's workshop: This week in Reader's workshop we studied our famous person in our book clubs. Together, club members questioned each other and found the main ideas in different sections.

writer's workshop: This week in writer's workshop we learned more about opinion writing. Students learned how to add a different perspective to their pieces. For example, one child was trying to convince us that hot pockets are the best food. He added a different perspective, "You might think they are unhealthy but..." to let the reader know he understands this topic is debatable.

Math: This week in math we began unit 7 on measurement and fractions. Students learned what a centimeter is and practiced measuring objects in centimeters. They created their own rulers to help understand this unit as well.

Science: we learned about tornados. Students enjoyed learning about the intensity scale of tornadoes. we watched a video of an F5 tornado.

Student Catch Ya!

Ariel invited a classmate to join their group when she noticed this particular classmate did not have a group to join. Ariel consistently includes anyone and everyone!

Note:

If you have any "Summer Fun" activities or money that you would like to contribute, please send it to school with your child and I will make sure Mrs. Goens gets it.

The field trip chaperones have been selected and contacted. we had over 15 parents who wanted to attend each field trip. Thank you, thank you, thank you for your interest in chaperoning.

