

News From Room 10

For the week of December 5, 2016

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Santa Shop in the morning				

For Your Information

READING: It is vitally important that children read at least 20 minutes to a half hour every day outside of school time. The children who do this show consistent and positive growth in the area of reading fluency. Everything we do improves with consistent practice!

MATH: We have a test on Monday, December 5th. There will be a review session at 8:30 a.m. in my classroom. The rest of the week will be a review of division and the division process. Please make sure you sign your child's study guide for two bonus points!

SCIENCE: Thank you very much for the support of the terrarium project. We had a lot of fun and made many connections to our objectives during this process. We will continue to work on them through next week. We are currently studying biomes and will learn about water ecosystems next week.

WRITING: In writing we have just finished up Unit 2 - Nouns. Unit 3 focuses on verbs. In addition to the grammar work, the next writing style will be informative. We will start by writing an informative essay that pulls information from one piece of text. Then we will move on to pulling information from two text pieces and including them in one informative essay. This is a difficult skill, but essential for future educational essay assignments. Nearly all the writing we will do for the rest of the year will be expository in nature.



Let it snow, let it snow, let it snow!

Anything Else I should know

Please remember the "Giving Tree!" We are collecting canned foods, hats and mittens! If you can help someone in need, it is much appreciated!

Also, the "Green Team" is trying to adopt an endangered animal. You can help by sending in some spare change with your child. They can vote on which animal to adopt with the donation! Please send in any spare change, help us save an endangered species.

SOCIAL STUDIES: A study guide and two maps came home on Thursday (Dec. 1), the test will be next Thursday (Dec. 8). Also, there is an assignment due on Monday to review the Iroquois and the Sioux.