



Third Grade Newsletter – March 2010

Dear Parents,
Assalamu-alaikum

Inshallah in this month we will have Second Trimester Finals and Science Fair. Please help your child study for their Second Trimester Final and turn in their abstract for the science fair on March 8th.

Language Arts: In literature students will learn about narrative nonfiction and realistic fiction
The students will read about Culture. What happens when two ways of life come together?

- “Suki’s Kimono”
- “How my family lives in America”
- “Good-bye, 382 Shin Dang Dong”
- “Jalapeno Bagels”

Students will learn to predict, based on what they have already read, Compare and Contrast, Fact and Opinion

In Spelling and Phonics Students will learn

Syllable pattern, CVVC, CVV, Homophones, Vowel sound in ball spelled a, au, aw, augh, ough, al & ou.

In Grammar students will learn: Adjectives and Articles and Adverbs.

In writing students will learn to:

Story Chart, Fill in the graphic organizer with information about the story, write a strong story opener and elaboration.

Math: Students will learn about

- Statistics and Probability
- Pictographs, Bar, Circle, Line Graphs
- Median and Mean
- Measurement and Time
- Problem Solving Strategy and Application

Science: Students will learn about

- What are the Inner Planets?
- What causes Day and Night?
- What are the Phases of the Moon
- Matter Changes

Social Studies: Students will learn about

- Transportation Over Time
- Communication Over Time
- Inventions Over Time
- Making Choices

Islamic Studies: Students will learn about

- Cleanliness and Purity
- Cooperation: It’s My Strength
- Cooperation in My Daily Life
- Perseverance: It’s My Challenge

IMPORTANT DATES:

Tuesday, Mar 2 to Friday, Mar 5 - Second Trimester Finals
Friday, Mar 12 - Teacher in service; No School
Monday, Mar 15 - Report Cards
Thursday, Mar 25 - Science Fair