Math: We reviewed for the test on unit 5 and then took the test on Tuesday. Look for this test to come home next week. We started the next unit which covers the topic of geometry.

Spelling: We had a list that covered some prefixes. We learned that a prefix comes in front of a word and changes its meaning.

Our grammar focus was on possessive nouns.

Reading: We were put into book groups this week. We are reading chapter books and taking notes to discuss social issues and challenges.

Writing: We picked a public issue to write about, asked several people their opinions, and then chose our stance. We wrote our introductions and reasons for our opinions this week.

Science: We read a book about force and how it makes things move and stop. We also started making a lab notebook about forces and watched a Bill Nye video.

Social Studies: The students are learning about the growth of Michigan.

In Mr. Oosting's room, students are practicing their typing skills to get ready for M-Step test.

Specials for next week:
- Monday - Music
- Tuesday - Art
- Wednesday - Gym and library
- Thursday - Music
- Friday - Art

FYI: We celebrated Beau Groothuis’ birthday this week. Hope you had a great day!

Book Fair look day: May 12 at 3:00
Book Fair buy day: May 14 at 9:00
M-Step testing dates for third grade are May 20 - May 29.