

Third Grade News



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<p><u>Math</u>: We continue to learn our multiplication facts by observing patterns and working on word problems that involve multiplication or division.</p>	<p><u>Grammar</u>: We worked with a mentor sentence this week that focused on multiple adjectives using hyphens and commas.</p>
<p><u>Reading</u>: The kids were put into book groups to study a character and record events and feelings of the character throughout the story.</p>	<p><u>Writing</u>: We have been working on making our stories better by adding dialogue, transitions, specific details. We also learned how to paragraph.</p>
<p><u>Word Study</u>: We have started word study over the past two weeks and we studied the long and short vowel patterns of a and o.</p>	<p><u>Social Studies</u>: We have been studying the natural characteristics of Michigan. Ask your child if they can name the landforms, bodies of water, and vegetation of Michigan.</p>
<p>Specials for next week:</p> <p>Monday - Gym</p> <p>Tuesday - Music</p> <p>Wednesday - Art</p> <p>Thursday - STEAM and library</p> <p>Friday - Gym</p>	<p>FYI: Upcoming events-</p> <p>October 12 - Early release</p> <p>October 22 - Book look</p> <p>October 24 - Book buy</p> <p>October 31 - Halloween party - parade at 2:00 and then party right after that</p>