

# LOOK WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THIRD GRADE!

MRS. BURKHOUR'S CLASS

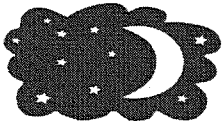
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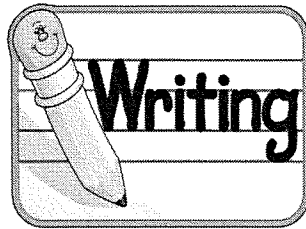
## CURRICULUM NEWS

### READING

We have wrapped up our first module in Unit 1 for reading! Next week we will move into second module which focuses on non-fiction. We will begin by reading *The Moon Seems to Change*. We will learn how to use details to understand the main idea, how text features convey information as well as how illustrations show and add information to a readers understanding.



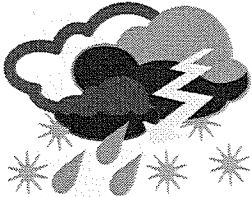
### WRITING



This wee we began our writing assessment to wrap up our first module of Unit 1. Students are writing a narrative story to solve a mystery of misplaced books in our library! Next week we will begin our second module which focuses on informational writing. Students will learn to write an explanatory paragraph, a paragraph about genre and also how to create an illustration or diagram.

### SOCIAL STUDIES/ SCIENCE

Next week we will wrap up our Weather and Climate unit. We will complete our data packet and final STEM challenge. We will also take our unit assessment on Thursday, November 9. A study guide was sent home today!



### MATH

Next week we will wrap up our second unit in math. We will continue to work with multiplication and division. Students will learn strategies for solving two step word problems, how to multiply by multiples of ten and also continue to work on building fluency with their 0-10s facts. Please be sure that students are practicing their facts at home! Flashcards can be found on our Weebly page if you need a new set for home!

## CONFERENCES

I am looking forward to meeting with you in a few weeks to talk about your student! Please watch for your conference time to be sent home next week in your students STAR folder!

**Reminder:** We have no school on Friday, November 17 and then half days on Monday and Tuesday, November 20 & 21!

## IMPORTANT DATES

**November 10:**  
Homework Due  
Library Day

**November 16:**  
Field Trip  
Music Performance

**November 17:**  
No School (Records Day)

**November 20 & 21**  
Parent/Teacher  
Conferences

**November 22-24:**  
No School (Thanksgiving  
Break)

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

### Snack

Please be sure to send in **two healthy snack each day** for your student!

### Homework

A new homework packet is coming home today and will be due back on Friday, November 10. A November reading log also came home today!

### Library

We have library on Friday. Please send books back to be renewed or returned each week.

### Conferences

Please watch for your conference time to be sent home early next week!

### Music Program

Our third grade music program is taking place on Thursday, November 16 at 7pm at the Fine Arts Center at the high school. We look forward to seeing you there!