

# Room 112

# CLASSROOM NEWS

Week of September 10<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> 2018

## Important Dates:

9/11: Red/White/Blue Day; Grammar quiz  
9/12: Social Studies quiz  
9/13: Topic C math quiz  
9/14: Dot Day; Spelling test; Mid-Quarter reports

## Our Specials Schedule:

Monday: Tech  
Tuesday: Art, PE  
Wednesday: Art  
Thursday: PE, Library  
Friday: Tech

## What We Are Learning:

**Reading:** We will be working on how to write a reader's response in our Reading Notebooks. We will also continue to practice the comprehension strategy of main idea.

**ELA:** We will finish identifying the four types of sentences and have a quiz on Tuesday. We will then begin to learn how to identify the subject of a sentence. In Writing we will listen to mentor texts that model great writing and practice writing our "life stories" in our Writer's Notebooks. Our Spelling skill is words with ai, ay, and a\_e spelling. We will have a spelling test on Friday.

**Math:** Students will continue to use arrays to multiply factors. We will have a math quiz on Thursday.

**Social Studies:** We will continue to review the Compass Rose and how to use one to find targets on a map. There will be a Compass Rose quiz on Wednesday.

**Science:** District Office has asked teachers to focus on Social Studies while we work as a district to determine and purchase supplies for our first few Science units.

## At Home:

Encourage your child to practice any vocabulary nightly using their vocab cards. They should also be working on memorizing their multiplication facts each night.

## From the Teacher:

We will be celebrating Patriot's Day this Tuesday, 9/11. Please consider having your child wear Red, White, and Blue on this day. I will be showing an age-appropriate video that highlights heroes and we will be working on a heroes flip book. Friday, 9/14 we will be celebrating International Dot Day—a day that celebrates creativity and uniqueness. As a grade-level we have some fun activities planned and would love if your child can wear anything with polka dots to school. Lastly, Mid-Quarter reports will be going home in the Friday Folders on 9/14.

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