

Noteworthy News From the desk of Ms. Eaker For the Week of October 11th to October 15th, 2021

Reading - This week, we will conclude Module IA by reviewing "Location, Location," <u>Gasping Garbage</u>, and "Thundercake." We will also continue discussing how characters' actions impact a story.

Phonics - We will continue working with long vowel sounds and patterns (ee, ea, ai, ay, oa, ow).

Grammar - We will practice using pronouns and will review regular and irregular verbs as well.

Writing - The students will complete their narratives about overcoming a fear using both description and dialogue this week.

Math - We will review the Unit 2 skills on Tuesday. The Unit 2 Assessment will be completed on Wednesday followed by the first Cumulative Assessment on Friday.

Social Studies - We will continue Lesson 2: Finding Places in the United States. We will be measuring how far New Lenox is from different destinations around the country.

Upcoming Events/Reminders

- 1. No School on Monday-Columbus Day
- 2. Wednesday, 10/13: Wear yellow for Respect.
- 3. Thursday, 10/14: Prairie Pumpkin Patch Day at school
- 4. Friday, 10/15: Spelling test on 1A/Lesson 16-18 words
- 5. Friday, 10/15: Return your library books
- 6. Friday, 10/15: Dress like a Superhero!
- 7. The Cops Care Coat Drive continues this week. Any donations are appreciated!

Specials Schedule

Monday – No school Tuesday – Art Wednesday – P.E. Thursday – Art Friday – P.E. & LRC

A Note from the Teacher

Hello Everyone! The students and I had another successful week, and we enjoyed celebrating their hard work with our Celebration Day! They also showed wonderful behavior and participation during Mrs. Willey's lesson on Respect. We will be completing the first ReadyGen module as well as Unit 2 in math next week. Another event to look forward to will be the Prairie Pumpkin Patch day and activities on Thursday. Please be sure that your children are dressed for the weather that day as we will be outdoors. Due to this special day, the students will have library on Friday rather than on Thursday. Enjoy the 3-day weekend!

Sincerely,

Kelly Eaker