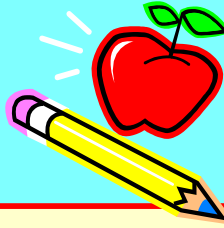


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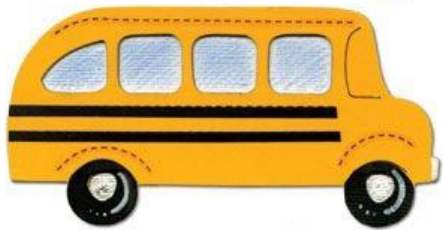
WOW Field Trip

We are planning a field trip to World of Wonder in the Lodi on May 9, 2017. We have the opportunity to experience many science related activities during the field trip.

Because students will be representing Bohn School, we must ensure they are able to represent us with pride and respect. We must be certain they will make the appropriate choices when away from the traditional school setting. For this reason, any student earning a disciplinary referral between March 24 and May 8 will NOT attend the field trip. Thank you for signing and stating you understand our expectations.

We look forward to all students attending this trip!

field trip



Strike Policy

We have changed our policy on strikes in the classroom. Beginning immediately any student that earns 3 strikes in any given 5 day period will receive an automatic referral. Just to be clear, it is not from Monday-Friday, it can be from Thursday-Wednesday. So any 5 days in a row.

Progress Reports and Testing

On Thursday, April 13, progress reports will be sent home. These will be the final progress reports for the school year. Following that there will be about 6 weeks left of 5th grade. We've seen some students have a great start to the third trimester and would like to see them continue and finish 5th grade strong! Remember to put your names on assignments and turn them in on time.

During the first week of May, May 1st-5th, we will be taking the SBAC, which is the Common Core State Testing. We will test daily first thing in the morning. Please do not plan vacations or appointments during this time. A healthy breakfast and attendance are imperative during the testing window. Below is a link that can allow you to practice with your child. Open the link and click on the green icon which says student interface: practice and training tests. You will be able to see firsthand what types of questions your child will be facing.

<http://www.caaspp.org/practice-and-training/index.html>

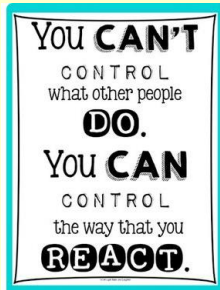
AR Goal #5

We are about a month out until AR Goal #5 is due. This goal is due on April 27th. You must still have one of the books you read be a nonfiction book in your AR range. This assignment is about having a goal and completing it by reading nightly and taking tests. Earning just 1-2 points a week will often allow students to earn extra credit in Language Arts depending on what their goal is. There is still time to be on track for meeting your goal. Let's get those goals met! Read! Read! Read!

Don't forget to check your ranges. There were many students that had reading levels increase. Make sure your books are in your range.

Reminders to Students

- Read 20 minutes every night.
- Get a good night's rest.



Reminders to Parents

- Check and sign the agenda every night, including Fridays.
- Please return Newsletter HW and the blue note in the envelope on Tuesday, March 28th.
- When emailing, please email both tinabrown@tusd.net and jdelucchi@tusd.net. Thank you!
- Students must have all supplies in class each day. Please replace when gone.

Highlights

Math:

Students will find patterns in factoring using the LCM and GCF in fractions.

Grammar:

See Reading Teacher

Spelling:

See Reading Teacher

Language Arts:

See Reading Teacher

History:

Students will write a letter comparing and contrasting the colonies.

Science:

Students will explore, research, and create a travel brochure on an assigned planet.

Upcoming Events

- 3/28: Happy Birthday Brian
- 4/13: Progress Reports Sent Home
- 4/14-4/21: No School-Spring Break
- 4/24: School Resumes
- 5/1-5/1: SBACTesting
- May 9: WOW Field Trip

Visit our website at

www.browndelucchi.weebly.com

Newsletter Homework: Find 5 items in your home which involve fractions. Write a description explaining how it is a fraction. For example: There were 7 bananas in the bunch. We ate 2 for breakfast. There were 5 bananas left which is $\frac{5}{7}$. We ate $\frac{2}{7}$ of the bananas. Please number each item you are describing.

FRACTIONS!!!