

Mrs. Rigsby's Newsletter

09/10/18 - 09/14/18

Weekly Homework

Mon: 20 minutes reading, math worksheet, and close read worksheet goes home

Tues: 20 minutes reading & math worksheet

Wed: 20 minutes reading & math worksheet

Thurs.: 20 minutes reading, complete close read worksheet, & study for spelling quiz

Spelling List

(09/10):

1. asked
2. bites
3. bugging
4. dropped
5. hikes
6. opening
7. placed
8. trading
9. uses
10. lifted

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Please be sure to clean out your child's Friday folder each weekend. The only papers left in it when it comes back to school on Monday should be the ones corrected over the weekend.

REMINDERS:

1. **In students' Friday Folders are classroom assessments** in addition to class practice worksheets. Students are allowed to go back and **fix mistakes** on their assessments and return them to me **for ½ credit**. Just stick them in the Friday Folder once they are corrected and I will know to take a second look.

2. I wanted to touch base and **clarify** a little **regarding the math homework** your child is receiving. Most nights your child will have a single math worksheet to complete regarding the concept taught that day in class. There are however, exceptions to that. There are days that students will have no math homework because they took an assessment. There are also days in which your child will bring home the independent practice worksheet in addition to the homework worksheet to be completed. If this happens every once in a while, chances are I took too long that particular day explaining, clarifying the math concept and there is no reason to be alarmed. If, however, you are noticing that your child is bringing home the independent practice page nightly with the majority of questions unanswered, that would be a good indicator that it's time to talk to your child about whether they are using their time wisely in class. Students typically have 20-30 minutes to complete the practice pages in class. This is plenty of time to complete the computations on the front and most of the higher level thinking questions on the back (again if there's

just one tricky problem left on the back, no need to worry). Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions regarding this.

3. Don't forget to **visit our class website www.rigsbysclass.com**. It has important information, fun games to play and a weekly brain teaser. Students who answer to brain teaser correct will be awarded an extra \$20 class cash (parents AND siblings no helping please).

Important Dates & Reminders:

09/10 - Patriot's Day (wear red, white, & blue)

09/15 – ILF Golf Tournament

10/02 - WALK-tober (Walk/Bike to school)

10/05 - Lion's Picnic Family Night (CSC @ 4:30 pm)

10/11 - Makeup Picture Day

10/22 - 11/09 - Food Drive

10/29 - 11/09 - APEX Fun Run

10/31 - Spirit Day

****Our P.E. days are Tuesday & Thursday. Please be sure to wear the appropriate shoes.****

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