

## Dear Parents,

Halloween is in the air! Our kids are so excited for the Halloween parties. I can only imagine the excitement they are showing at home after looking at my 6 and 2 1/2 year old. Just a friendly reminder that when kids are allowed to put on their costumes on Tuesday for the parties only (they must come to school in uniform), they are not to wear masks or bring weapons (per school policy).

Halloween is always my first reminder that the holidays are approaching and how fast our time together will go. Thank you for continuing to work with your kids at home to keep up on their research for their animal projects and 3D box dioramas. They are all doing a great job. The kids have already started working on their Powtoons! I hope the long weekend allowed stuents to get ahead in their projects a bit.

We will take Reading and Spelling tests (2.4) on October 31st, and begin 2.5 on Thursday, November 1st. The test over 2.5 will not be until Friday, November 9tn. This is when all reading packets will be due as well.

Now that the weather is changing, I want to just give a quick reminder that kids need to dress for the weather. While kids can wear shorts until Thanksgiving, shorts may be too cold for recess on somedays. If the outside temperature is above 15 degrees, we go outside so I want kids to be prepared. Also, please have your child label their names in their sweatshirts and articles of winter clothing. Sometimes, clothing falls form the hooks in the closet and kids don't know whose they are. As a parent that recently bought uniforms, I would be a little upset if my kids lost his sweatshirt.

On Monday, page 2 of the Animal Packet is due and pages 3-4 will be due on Tuesday, 10/30/18. Last week, the box project requirements were explained to the kids. I was not there. Mrs. Hartman, our aide, went over the plans. I plan on speaking with the kiddos myself on Monday, but if you have ANY QUESTIONS regarding due dates and requirements, please don't hesitate to contact me! Knowing this is a big research project, I truly appreciate your help in keeping your student on track with staying organized and turning everything in on-time!

Thank you and have a great week! - Carolyn Bible

<ul> <li>Reading: Objectives for week of 10/29/18</li> <li>2.5 Begin 11/1/18-11/9/18</li> <li>Main Idea and Details/Text Structures</li> <li>Imagery/Compare and Contrast</li> <li>Phonics—Consonant Digraphs</li> <li>Vocabulary (bill, goo, hunters, material, platform, tons, twigs)</li> <li>Spelling Test and Weekly Reading Test—11/9/18</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Math: Objectives for week of 10/29/18:</li> <li>Chapter 3—Understand Multiplication</li> <li>Model the Commutative Property of multiplication and use it to find products.</li> <li>Model multiplication with the factors 1 and 0</li> <li>Chapter 3 Review—10/31-11/1</li> <li>Chapter 3 Test—11/2/18</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Science: Objectives for week of 10/29/18</li> <li>Life Science—Pages 2-4 due this week; Life Cycles</li> <li>Religion: Objectives for week of 10/29/18</li> <li>The Church Begins: Chapter 18—Celebrating Reconciliation; We make the choice to love God; God is our forgiving father.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Spelling: Objectives for week of 10/29/18</li> <li>List 2.4— Compound Words</li> <li>Spelling Pretest 10/22/18; Spelling Post-test 10/31/18</li> <li>All words can be found on my website: http://cdmacke.wix.com/mrsbiblesthirdgrade#!</li> </ul>

## **Important Reminders:**

• Reading and Spelling Chapter 2.4 Test on Wednesday, 10/31/18; Science—Page 2 10/29/18; Page 3-4 (Due 10/30/18)

<u>Upcoming</u>—Halloween Parties 10/31/18; 11/1/18 All Saints Day—All School Mass