

The Jarrett Report

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EOG Review Sessions

These will begin at 7:00 am and go until 8:00 giving the children that attend an additional hour of practice with EOG type problems and test taking skills. I will be concentrating specifically on the following topics:

Mondays = Reading

Tuesday = Math

Wednesday = Science

These sessions will continue through June 14th.

Your child is welcome to come to 1 or all of these. I am providing them in an effort to help with the excessive amount of material that the children need to know this year. I also feel a great deal of practice is needed in test taking strategies - they will be different than anything they have ever done in the past.

I hope this will be beneficial to my students. I am looking forward to their participation.

Science

In science this quarter we will focus on Motion and Design. Students will be building vehicles using Kne'x and learning about the physics of motion and looking at how design affects the function of the various vehicles that they create. **The Motion and Design Invention** has been replaced with the in class rollercoaster project. I am very excited about this activity. We have been given one of the track out trailers to complete this activity.

Math

We will be hitting math strong and hard. We will continue to hit fractions HARD!!!! Currently we are working on division of fractions. The children are doing an awesome job with this concept so far.

Up Coming Events

- May 4th - DRMS - Middle School Visit
- May 4th - STEM Night
- May 5th - Recipe Book Report Due
- May 29th - Memorial Day - No School
- May 13th - Mobile Book Report Due
- June 10th - Field Day
- June 12th - Last 7:00 Reading EOG Group
- June 13th - Last 7:00 Math EOG Group
- June 14th - Last 7:00 Science EOG Group
- June 20th - EOG Science
- June 21st - EOG Reading
- June 22nd - EOG Math
- June 23rd - Record USJ Music Video
- June 26th - Mouse Trap Invention Due
- Author's Tea - Date - TBD
- June 30th - 5th Grade Student Celebration - Awards Ceremony after lunch

*There is a lot more to add but I started working on this too late so I will make it more in depth next week.

DRMS Orientation

We will be walking to Durant Road Middle School this Thursday to listen to a Middle School Orientation. I realize that not all children will be going to DRMS, but this particular orientation allows the children to get basic middle school questions answered.

Author's Tea

I need a parent to coordinate and organize the Author's Tea. It is a formal event located in the Media Center. This would deal with coordinating the food and set up of the Tea itself. Gather prizes would be a great plus ☺
Items Needed for Tea:

- Prizes to place in the goody bags for the tea
- Goodie Bags

Wish List



The kids drawings earned enough money to buy our first sky panel. We had our 2nd panel donated by the Kedzierzawski's. Now that they are up we want 10 more. The kids love them and we do study clouds. We would love 2 more cumulus clouds, 4 cirrus clouds and 4 stratus clouds to make the room appear as though they have skylight windows. I found them at skypanel.com. There is one panel that has the sun bursting through that the kids, felt would be awesome as well. If you are willing to donate a panel or two, let me know so we can coordinate so the room has a cloud teaching sky. I found a coupon on line that helped, and you can also get them through Amazon.com. I had to cut this one down a bit. If you pay an extra \$5 They will cut it down to the exact dimensions. Our exact dimensions are 22.25 by 45.5. I don't mind cutting them down if we can get them, just takes a bit of time and effort with an exacto knife. So as a class we are hoping that the sky will be shining bright in USJ soon!!!!

Soda

Box of Hershey Bars

Parrot Food

Baby Bearded Dragon

Flats of flowers - we have places for shade and sun flowers.

