

News From 3R

August 31st-September 4th

Religion: Circle of Grace will be our focus this week. We will talk about what circle of grace is, the boundaries and limits of our circle of grace, and an action plan. On Thursday, we will take part in Adoration. Mass will be on Friday from 9:00 to 10:00. I will start to listen to the students say the following prayers this week: The Sign of the Cross, Glory Be, Hail Mary, Our Father, Angel of God, Prayer before Meals, Prayer after Meals, and Act of Contrition. Please practice with them.

Spelling: Students will be tested over Lesson 3 on Friday. They will complete pages 14-17 in the Spelling book.

Reading: *Dear Juno* will be our next story we read. We will work on the strategy of story structure. This includes knowing the characters, setting, and plot of the story. Students will also complete a character map over the story. Students will write down vocabulary words from the story that they will be tested over on Thursday.

English: We will be finishing Unit 1 this week and take a test over it on Tuesday (September 7th). Students will learn how to correct run-on sentences and combine compound sentences.

Vowac: We will be learning vowel-consonant-silent 'e' syllables this week.

Math: On Wednesday, we will be having our Chapter 3 test over addition properties and strategies. Our next chapter will focus on place value and money. Please work on the following skills with your child: addition facts (up to 4 digits), rounding numbers, place value, counting money, and counting by 2s, 3s, 4s, 5s, and 10s.

Social Studies: (Mrs. Rokusek) We will finish discussing maps this week. On Thursday, we will have a test over the locations of the 7 continents and 4 oceans. Please encourage your child to study daily- Thank you! We will then move into Chapter 1: What is a community? Students will define vocabulary words, read out of the book, and complete worksheets.

Science: (Mrs. Yahne) Chapter 1, lesson 3: The Life Cycle of a Plant. There will be more vocabulary words that the children will be doing. We will have filled out both sheets. Expect the vocabulary sheets to be coming home on a daily basis this week as we are nearing a science test. I have been keeping all worksheets the kids have completed in their Science folder.

Handwriting: We will learn the cursive u and w this week.

Notes:

1. Please check and sign your child's assignment notebook daily. Thank you!
2. School pictures are on September 2nd
3. Magazine Drive Kick Off will be on September 4th
4. No School on September 7th, Labor Day
5. Book orders due on September 9th.
6. I have visited with the students about taking their time on daily work and tests and checking it over before handing it in. Please visit with them about it as well. Thank you!

Have a wonderful week,
Mrs. Megan Rokusek