

# KEEP THOSE BOX TOPS COMING!



## Grade Newsletter

September 18 - 22, 2017

## Reminders: Reminders:



- Morning work counts as 2% of a student's grade. Please make sure your child comes to school on time.
- Keep those box tops and/or soup labels coming!
- Please make sure that your child is picked up by 3:40 everyday. (We are getting more efficient with our carpool! Thanks for all of your patience!)
- Please check your child's agenda daily
- Please read for at least 30 minutes every day!



### Parent Teacher Conferences/Early Release! Parent-Teacher conferences have been scheduled for Wednesday, September 27<sup>th</sup> and Thursday,

September 28<sup>th</sup>.

Parents, please make sure that you have confirmed your meeting time and date with your child's homeroom teacher!

### WHAT'S GOING ON?

We will be having our first field trip for the semester to GA Aquarium on Thursday, October 19<sup>th</sup>! The permission slip and field trip money will be due on October 6<sup>th</sup>.

Each homeroom will be allowed to only have 1 parent chaperone for this field trip. It will be based on first-come first-reserved basis.

Your child should have brought home the field trip on Friday, September 15<sup>th</sup>. If you did not receive it, please email your homeroom teacher.

#### We'll Be So Busy!

Math - Please go on ConnectED to complete online assignments, and play review games. Students will use different strategies and methods to solve multiplication and division problems. In addition, students will learn how to find factors and multiples of whole numbers.

Social Studies - We will continue our unit on European explorers. Students will learn about Hudson, Balboa, Ponce de Leon, and Cabot, and match the causes and effects of the European explorers' explorations.

Reading/Writing - We will be focusing on expository text and find the multiple meaning words in the text. We will also be reinforcing the rereading strategy and comparing and contrasting information in passages.

Science - We will continue our unit on Force and Motion. Students will investigate gravity and how it affects the motion of a car rolling down a ramp. Students will investigate and identify balanced and unbalanced forces acting on an object. On Friday, students will be taking the Force and Motion test.

## Important Dates:

\* Test dates are tentative and may change \*

September 22 - Force and Motion Test

September 22 - Ch 3 Understand Multiplication & Division Cumulative Test

**September 25 –** Benchmark 1 Math Test (Ch 1-3)

September 27 & 28 - Early Release/Parent Teacher Conferences

October 6 – Early European Explorers Test

October 6 - GA Aquarium Field Trip Slip & Money DUE

October 9 - NO SCHOOL!

October 13 – International Night

October 19 – GA Aquarium Field Trip

#### **Class Wish list**

Baker/Hyon - prizes, stickers, or Skittles for class

Nguyen/Youngblood - prizes or candy for the prize bin

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