

News from Mrs. Vanderwall's 3rd 9rade May 18, 2018



Reading: Our last unit of the year is
Social Issue Book Clubs. These are books
that are focused our social issues that
people deal with. We are looking at the
character's struggles and how we can learn
from the choices he/she makes. I am
reading the book Loser to the students
and keeping my fingers crossed that we
are able to finish it!

Writing: Students are working hard on their informational research writings. Most are writing the last "inside" paragraph. As they write, they are adding description, explanations, definitions, and thoughts. These help develop their writings into well written paragraphs.

Science: Ms VanSlooten is teaching science!

Social Studies: We are studying the Growth of Michigan.

Word Study: Our weekly sort is word endings (-ve, -ze, -ce, and -se).

Math: Unit 4 is Number Sense: so far we have worked on place value and rounding. Next we will dig into 3 digit addition and subtraction.

Remember to do xtramath!!

Specials Schedule

Other Need to Knows!

Monday - Gym

Library is back to Thursdays.

Tuesday - STEAM

Memorial Day Program & Run: May 25

Wednesday - Art

Field Trip: June 2

Thursday - Music

Next Early Release: June 8

Friday - Gym & Memorial Day Program

M-Step Testing: May 15, 16, 22, & 23.

Class blog: <u>mvanderw.edublogs.org</u>