



NEWS FROM MRS. VANDERWALL'S 3RD GRADE

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<p>Reading: We are starting a new unit! This one focuses on characters. Students are reading in small groups and gathering character information so they can answer this question: How do you make characters in your books come alive?</p>	<p>Writing: We started learning about Persuasive Essays (opinion). Next week we will brainstorm and choose topics.</p> <p>On-Demands are completed! I will share these with you at conferences.</p>
<p>Science: will begin in the spring</p>	<p>Social Studies: We finished unit 1. On Monday we will be reviewing. A study guide will be sent home. The test is scheduled for Thursday. Please encourage your child to study.</p>
<p>Word Study: Next week our word study will be the e sound: cvc, cvce, and cvvc patterns.</p>	<p>Math: We finished and tested chapter one. Chapter two continues with multiplication. Yesterday we learned 3 strategies for multiplying by 6. Keep practicing the facts!!</p>
<p>Specials Schedule:</p> <p>Monday: Music</p> <p>Tuesday: Gym</p> <p>Wednesday: STEAM</p> <p>Thursday: Art</p> <p>Friday: 1/2 day schedule - STEAM</p>	<p>Other Need to Knows!</p> <p>Next early release is November 2.</p> <p>Please remember to sign up for a conference time. Conferences are November 7 and 8. Report cards will come home earlier that week.</p> <p>Class blog: mvanderw.edublogs.org</p>