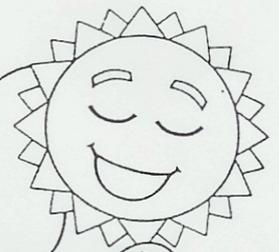


# Class Update



## Science

We will start a new science unit this week; The Earth. We will be discussing features of the earth, rocks, soil, and volcanoes.

## Saxon Math 3

Math lessons this week will consist of place value, expanded form, line segments, and triangles, and missing digits in addition. Homework will be coming home nightly Monday-Thursday. Parents need to check homework, and it needs to be brought back to school the next day. There may be math worksheets that come home on Friday, but these are not homework. Please use them as extra practice.

**MATH NOTE:** Some students are bringing math homework Guided Practice Side B with a lot of errors or incomplete. Parents, please check your child's homework carefully and have THEM correct it. Please ensure that the homework is in their folder and backpack after it has been completed.

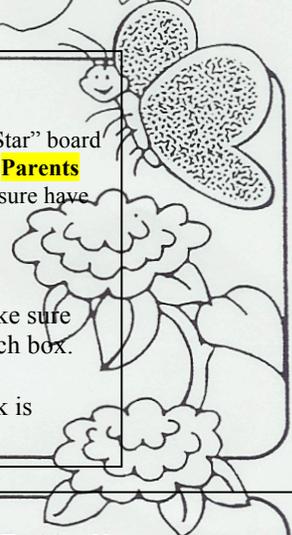
## Star of the Week

**Tatum**

"Star of the week" may bring in up to 12 pictures to **staple** to the "Star" board and 3-4 items that they would like to share that are special to them. **Parents are invited to attend the presentation this Friday at 2:50.** Make sure have a funny story ready to tell about your child.

## Healthy Snack

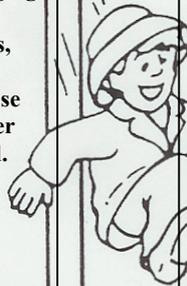
At 10:35 every day we have a health snack break. Please make sure your child has something healthy to choose from in their lunch box. We say this is "brain food" to get us through math☺! We even have snack time on pizza Fridays so a healthy snack is needed.



## Level 2

Nov. 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>

If you would like to contact me through email, my address is [timberlake\\_melissa@asdk12.org](mailto:timberlake_melissa@asdk12.org). I hope everyone has a wonderful week!!



## Exciting News

We are continuing with timed Facts tests. **ALL students have passed addition!!! 25 students have passed subtraction; 8 students are on mixed multiplication, 2 students on mixed division, and 2 students are completely finished with all fact! WOW!! This class is amazing!** Keep studying fact cards to build the automaticity. Fact homework will come home most nights. Please time your child and then have them complete the rest of the paper. It is a friendly competition. When a student passes a test, the whole class cheers for them. Very Exciting!!

## Language Arts

We will discuss the text structure and author's purpose. Our focus will be on the last two comprehension mental actions: reformatting and mentally summarizing. Quality Literature lessons will include precise lang., emotional appeal, insight, universality, and content. We will be finishing an informative narrative postcard from Japan.

**Reading homework** is the "book in the baggy." Follow the instructions on the blue reading log. It is due by Thursday or Friday for all levels.

Students are being assessed on the Sp/Vocab. List Words. If you see these lists come home, please have your child read these words aloud without hesitation.

Make sure to follow the spelling homework directions on the top of the paper. It is to be done and turned in every day. I will be looking at their handwriting on their spelling. Please have high handwriting expectations at home. The spelling test is on Friday.

The November Poem will come home this week: The First Thanksgiving. It is due to be recited by Nov. 21<sup>st</sup>

## Important Dates

Nov. 11<sup>th</sup>—No School-Veteran's Day

Nov. 8<sup>th</sup> Spirit Day-Blast from the Past  
**Picture Retakes**-if your child is having retakes, they must bring a uniform shirt.

Nov. 21<sup>st</sup>-November Poem due

Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>—No School-Happy Thanksgiving

## Uniform Tips

Uniform pants must be flat front or pleated. Skirts and jumpers MUST be no shorter than two finger widths from the top of the knee cap.

