



1ST GRADE NEWSLETTER

March 3 - March 7, 2008



Dear Parents,

Just a reminder, the last day of 3rd term is on Wednesday, March 12, 2008. Please make sure that you help your child stay caught up on all homework. Also, please check the Tuesday Folders each week for any missing assignments your child may have. If your child does have any missing assignments they need to be completed and returned by the following Friday, otherwise your child will receive a past due grade of zero for that assignment. Thank you for all you do! Please let me know if you have any questions. I can be reached at school by phone or e-mail: (801)785-4979 or krpark@timpacademy.org!

Sincerely,

Miss Park

Learning Concepts:

Review all 70 phonograms *Read the stories: The Big Team Relay Race *Estimating a sum *Measuring using feet and inches * Subtracting 8 facts *Making a table to solve a problem *Looking for a pattern to solve a problem *Finding the area of shapes using pattern blocks *Identifying, describing, and comparing geometric solids (cone, cube, sphere, cylinder, rectangular prism, pyramid) *History: U.S. - Revolutionary War *Science - Habitats: forest, meadow, prairie *Saying and Phrases: "Let the cat out of the bag" & "There's no place like home" *Poems: "I Know all the Sounds that Animals Make," "The Pasture" *Stories: The Pied Piper of Hamelin, The Tale of Peter Rabbit *Music: "Billy Boy" & "There's a Hole in My Bucket" Students will be able to recognize a steady beat; move to a beat; play a steady beat and recognize accents

Monday 3	Read aloud from the Open Court Anthology: <u>The Big Team Relay Race</u> to an adult. Complete math homework page 98B. (2 pages) Practice subtraction flashcards. Practice spelling words. Student Signature _____
Tuesday 4	Complete the questions for Chapter 11 - "Harvest" p. 199-211. Complete math homework page 99B. (2 pages) Practice subtraction flashcards. Practice spelling words. Student Signature _____
Wednesday 5	Read aloud for 15 minutes from a book of your choice to a parent or adult. Complete math homework page 100B. (1 page) Complete worksheet Grammar 2OB. Practice subtraction flashcards. Practice spelling words. Student Signature _____
Thursday 6	Complete the questions for Chapter 12 - "The Wonderful Machine" p. 212-228. Math Test Part 2 today! (no math homework) Practice subtraction flashcards. Return Library Book Today! (1 st Grade Library Day) Student Signature _____
Friday 7	Read aloud for 15 minutes from a book of your choice to a parent or adult. Complete math homework 101B. (2 pages) Practice subtraction flashcards. Spelling Test #20 today! Parent Signature _____

Weekly Parent Tip:

"Help Anger Pass"

When our kids get angry at us it helps to try and separate our own feelings from the children's... Remember... you are OK even if they are being kind of difficult right now... Try shifting your focus for a short time. Look out a window, imagine you are at the beach, remember a moment when you were having a good time with the kids... Anger with no place to go often passes...