



Mrs. Hamilton's News
December 6, 2013
Reminder our head count is 27 now!

Thank you

for 100% turn-out at conferences. It was a pleasure to meet any of you I hadn't met yet and please contact me if you have any concerns.

Reminders:

- *Passports and gingerbread men were due already.
- *The book order is due Dec. 13th to receive it before vacation.

Stocking Stuffers

- *Our Christmas party will be Thursday afternoon the 19th. Students may bring in their stocking stuffers at any time.
- *Please check the stocking stuffer web page if you forgot what you signed-up for.

Volunteers and Chaperones needed:

- Wednesday 12/18 Christmas craft afternoon at least 4 needed (1:00-3:00)
- Thursday 12/19 assistance with our Christmas Party at (1:30)
- Friday 12/20- chaperones for our trip to the high school (9:20-11:30)-please contact me.

Congratulations to Kaden for reaching the end of the rainbow and to these colored readers

Purple: Kyle

Blue:

Green: Maura, Addison, Jordan, Brooke

Yellow: Bella, Kylar, Rudell

Orange: Aysia



****Students can leave extra sneakers in the closet at school if they have any especially with some mornings requiring boots.**

Long reading test Friday
Reading Unit 3 Week 1:

We will continue to practice retelling a story and identifying the characteristics of the plot.

Grammar: verbs, exclamation marks and commas

HFW: away, school, today, way, why

*Students are bringing home a reading passage page or poem several times a week. Please encourage them to read it to everyone in the house.

Academics after Vacation

Test Thursday
Spelling:

Unit 3 Week 1 (10 words)

Pattern: long "a" (a_e)

Words: make take

came game

gate late

shop with

why school

Math- Chapter 2 Test Friday
Subtracting Numbers

~Subtracting from 10

~Relating addition/Subtraction

~True and False Statements

***Vocab. - compare, difference, minus (-), related facts, subtract, subtraction number sentence**

*Students have begun being tested on math facts. Please practice or let them practice using a website from my web page.

December's Topics:

Science: Animals and their habitats

Social Studies: Christmas Around the World- We've visited England and Germany asking your child what they have learned.