

Third Grade News

March 26th - 30th

At a Glimpse

Grammar- The students will:

- perform the skits they wrote last week
- learn how to brainstorm ideas and plan a story
- learn how to use a prewriting plan to write a first draft
- learn how to edit a first draft for content
- learn to copyedit and proofread a draft
- learn what to do when they publish a story

Math- The students will:

- learn to estimate the measure of an angle in degrees, they will also create and use an angle measurement tool to estimate angle measures
- identify and create tessellations
- learn how to find the total cost of a purchase including sales tax, and how to calculate the amount of change should be given back after a purchase has been made
- learn to write and fraction with a denominator of 1000 as a decimal, and write a decimal with three digits as a fraction or mixed number
- Test 15A (3/26/12)

Science - The students will:

- describe the parts of weather
- identify ways of measuring and predicting weather
- make Barometers and begin observations
- The student describes ways weather depicts natural patterns of change
- watch a video on tornadoes and hurricanes from United Streaming
- make a tornado in a bottle and observe the vortex and how it forms when the bottles are spun

Religion - The students will:

- review that sacrifices in the Old Testament were burnt offerings of oblation to God
- learn that Jesus was the perfect gift from God and the perfect offering to God
- learn that in the Mass, we can share in Jesus' Sacrifice because His Body and Blood are offered continually in the one perfect Sacrifice of Christ through the Mass
- learn that Jesus's agony in the garden included seeing all of man's sins, knowing the price He must pay for them, and reconciling His will with the Father's
- learn that Jesus was arrested, stood trial, and faced death
- learn the Jews sought the permission of Pontius Pilate to put Jesus to death and Pilate gave in to the public outcry
- learn that Jesus was treated like a criminal and was beaten

Important Dates to Remember

- *March 27th - Report Cards Go Home*
- *April 4th - Half Day (dismissal at 11:40)*
- *April 5th - 9th - Easter Break/NO SCHOOL*
- *April 11th - In Class Science Project Presentation*
- *April 12th - 3rd Grade Science Fair*

Spelling Words- Unit 28

<i>unlucky</i>	<i>review</i>	<i>preschool</i>
<i>unfair</i>	<i>reheat</i>	<i>prepay</i>
<i>untie</i>	<i>recover</i>	<i>preview</i>
<i>unhappy</i>	<i>rewrite</i>	<i>pretest</i>
<i>rebuild</i>	<i>uncover</i>	<i>recheck</i>
<i>unlock</i>	<i>preheat</i>	<i>unsafe</i>
<i>reread</i>	<i>unpack</i>	

