



Grade 4B News

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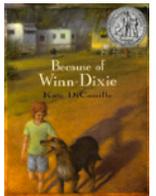
Monday Sept. 21 Day 1	Tuesday Sept. 22 Day 2	Wednesday Sept. 23 Day 3	Thursday Sept. 24 Day 4	Friday Sept. 25 Day 5
Science Quiz Igneous Rocks 	- Library check-out 		Science Quiz Sedimentary Rocks 	• Bible memory - Spelling Test 
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Greetings Families!

We have finished our first full week of school and boy did we have fun! We have been blessed with nice weather, which allows us to get outside for our gym classes and to really enjoy recess breaks.

Here's a little bit of what we are doing in class:

Language Arts: We have read the first 4 chapters of *Because of Winn Dixie* and have had the opportunity to learn about the 6 different "jobs" that we will be using for our Literature Circle meetings that will begin next week.



Science: This week, we began looking at the different way rocks are formed. Students were introduced the first way that rocks are made by learning about **igneous rocks**. We learned about how they are formed and learned the name of some examples of different igneous rocks. **There will be a short quiz on Monday, Sept. 21st.** Duo tangs will come home over the weekend so that students can prepare for for the *short* quiz. Next, we will be learning about **Sedimentary rocks** and how they are formed. The **quiz for Sedimentary rocks will be on Thursday, Sept. 24th.** Duotangs will come home Wednesday night for students to prepare for that *short* quiz.

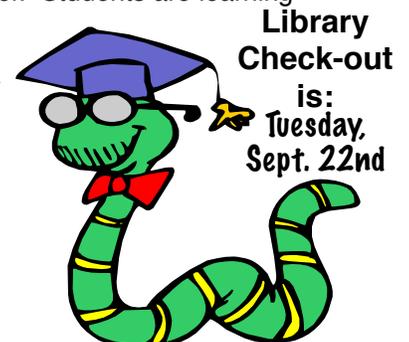


Math: This week we looked at the three ways to write a number (**standard form** - 214 and **written form** - two hundred fourteen and **expanded form** - 2000 + 10 + 4). Next week we will be looking at comparing numbers and the value of each digit.

Bible Memory: You can find the next Bible memory on the back of the newsletter. Students are learning the books of the Old Testament. As they did this week, they should be able to say the section and books (ex. "Books of History. Joshua, Judges, Ruth, etc.) Similar to this week, students can say their memory verse prior to Friday, if they would like.

Blessings,
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Library
Check-out
is:
Tuesday,
Sept. 22nd

Spelling Words

Lesson 2 - 'th', 'ch', 'tch', and 'wh' words, er and ir sounds.

1. attach
2. where
3. sandwich
4. change
5. watch
6. singer
7. slippery
8. spring
9. gather
10. these
11. thread
12. athlete
13. worth
14. thirsty
15. whisper
16. whistle
17. awhile
18. nowhere

Teacher Words

19. after
20. they

Challenge Words

21. igneous
22. sedimentary
23. computer
24. library
25. author

Bible Memory - due on or before Friday, Sept. 25th

Books of History:

- Joshua
- Judges
- Ruth
- 1 Samuel
- 2 Samuel
- 1 Kings
- 2 Kings
- 1 Chronicles
- 2 Chronicles
- Ezra
- Nehemiah
- Esther



For your information

-**SeeSaw:** Seesaw is up and running for the year. Please let me know if you are having trouble accessing it at all. I can re-send QR-codes to any families who need to reconnect with their child's journal. We will be uploading pictures, videos and work we're doing in 4B so that you can stay connected with what is happening in class. I will also be using SeeSaw to send home examples/ reminders for homework and notes.



-**Typing.com** - We began our 21-days of typing in grade 4!! In order for our students to learn how to type (properly) we will be heading to the computer lab for a period a day, for 21 days. If you would like your child to continue this work at home, please feel free! Encourage them to use proper finger positioning while working. Their username and password can be found on the inside front cover of their agenda book.

-**Science Quizzes** - This weekend duotangs are coming home for students to review what they have learned about Igneous rocks. We have done review in class and I let students know the quiz will focus on 3 things: 1.) What are igneous rocks made from (magma or lava). 2.) What happens to create the rocks (the magma/lava cools and hardens). 3.) Can students explain (in their own words) how igneous rocks are formed? 4.) Can students share examples of igneous rocks (granite/basalt/obsidian/pumice). 5.) Do they know the difference between INTRUSIVE and EXTRUSIVE rocks? The quiz will be really short, but this will help them prepare.

- On Thursday, we will be doing a similar quiz — but with Sedimentary rocks.