



MS. EDISON'S NEWSLETTER

WEEK OF JANUARY 9, 2012

Language Arts

Reading

Students will identify and review the elements of narrative text - focusing mainly on theme, tone, and style - by reading *The Sound of Flutes* in our Open Court readers.

Writing

This week students will learn what makes a good Expository article. They will understand that the following methods are used to present the information: cause & effect, comparison & contrast, expert/eyewitness account, facts & statistics, examples or explanation.

Grammar

Students will continue with our unit on pronouns.

Spelling

6th level: List Y 52- 70

7th level: HFW 81-100

Upcoming Events

1/9 ~ 2nd Quarter
Report Cards sent
home

1/10 ~ Noon Duty
Appreciation Day

1/12~ Receipt of
Report Card due back

1/13 ~ Early Release
Day, 12 noon

1/16 ~ MLK holiday, NO
SCHOOL!

Math

6th LEVEL

Lesson 64: Classifying Quadrilaterals

Lesson 65: Prime Factorization

Test 12

Lesson 66: Multiplying Mixed Numbers

Lesson 67: Prime Factorization to Reduce
Numbers

7th LEVEL

Lesson 90: Mixed Number & Negative Coefficients

Inv. 9: Graphing Functions

Test 17

Lesson 91: Signed Numbers without Parentheses

Lesson 92: Percent of Change

Be Respectful!
Be Responsible!
Be an Accountable
Learner!
Be a Peaceful
Problem Solver!
Be Safe

Social Studies & Science

Social Studies with Ms. Edison

We will continue our unit on the French Revolution. This week students will describe the storming of the Bastille, understand the king and queen's reaction to the march on Versailles and the Declaration of the Rights of Man, and understand the impact of the French Revolution on the rest of the world.

Teacher Talk

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Congratulations to all those who earned special recognition at our 2nd Quarter Awards Assembly! Keep up the great work! ☺

Today I will be sending home your child's 2nd quarter report card. Please email me to schedule an appointment if you have any questions or concerns. Thank you!

There is an informational sheet coming home today as well regarding our end-of-the-year field trip. Please go over the information. Thanks!