



Week of 10/1

Words of the Week
The test will be NEXT Friday
(10/12)
Cycle, Nectar, Area, Knew,
Covered

Important dates

10/1-10/3 Earthkeepers Trip
(Only the 1st and 2nd off campus)

10/4 Early Release

10/5 NO SCHOOL

10/6 NO SCHOOL

10/10 Picture Retakes

ELA:

This week will be focused around earth keepers, but on Thursday we are going to continue learning about paragraph structure and the different kinds of sentences that build upon one another to make up a paragraph (topic sentence, supporting, example, conclusion, etc.). Ask your student what sentences make up a paragraph and what could be missing if a "sentence" is actually a fragment.

S/SS:

Earthkeepers! Designed to teach four basic ecological concepts - the flow of energy, the cycling of materials, the interrelating of life, and change over time - and to immerse students in the natural world. Then, before diving into our historical unit coming up, we are finishing up our research on different woodland animals for the completion of our class murals.

Reading:

Your students are inference detective pros now! The students were using inferencing skills to solve multiple "top secret cases" by reading passages this week. We are going to begin our unit on greek mythology next!

Math

In math we are beginning Unit 2. Students learned about differences between weight and mass and experienced finding mass using a balance. They also explored differences between customary and metric units. This week we are building a "Great Wall of Base 10" and we will actively use our base 10 visuals to explore division and multiplication further!