

Week of 12/17

Words of the Week

Inherited, hundredth, homophone, contraction

Important Dates:

12/19: Band Concert 7:00 PM

12/21: Winter Sing 8:30 AM

12/21: Holiday Party 11:45AM

12/21: Early Release

Writing:

This week we will continue our work with mechanics and conventions. Your student has been working very hard on their informative writing piece. We plan to finish these this week.

Reading:

Students have been doing a lot of work with identifying and analyzing themes. This week we are focusing on summarizing skills.

Science:

Last week students learned about structural and behavioral adaptations. They also did a bird beak lesson, which simulated differences over time in generations of birds. We continue our work with animal and plant inherited traits this week.

MATH

This week we are completing our unit on fractions and decimals. We will be reviewing a lot in class as we incorporate decimal and fraction review games and story problem practice. Your student will be taking home a multipage study guide and their home connections with feedback as well. Our next unit will be place value, rounding, and addition and subtraction in the thousands.