



Week 11/5

WOW words

Daily, Illinois, reason,
division, ratio

Important Dates:

11/7: Farm to Table

11/9: Drama club family
performance

11/9: Conference sign up
sent out (4pm)

11/12: Veterans Day
Assembly

Writing

This week we are having the author return to help students further their progress on their fractured fairy tales. They are incorporating nature and the environment by making the habitats correspond with their story characters using the three ecosystems we studied during science. We are also talking a lot about what dialogue should look like in a story and beginning complex sentences this week.

Reading

We continue to work on our inferencing, predicting, connecting, and character investigating as we read our "Underworld" novel. The students have been doing a great job with each chapter so far! We are about 2/3 through the book. There will be an end of novel project. Details to come.

SS

The students worked extremely hard on locating different continents and geographical features on their continent maps! This week we are going to continue to learn about early Illinois and expand our work with maps..

MATH

The students have been working very hard on their multiplication strategies such as arrays, quick sketches, halving and doubling, ratio tables, and place value. On Friday we had a review session of our different strategies and they also had a refresher on the lattice and traditional multiplication method. This week we are diving into division. We will be talking about remainders and completing a multitude of division story problems. The unit 2 test will be on Friday. This will be in your students assignment notebook as well and a corrected study guide will be coming home on Thursday evening to help your child study.