



Mrs.O's

Classroom News

January 11th, 2020

Spanish

- * I've included the link to Mrs. Roman's Spanish page for current Spanish happenings and optional quizzes for practice. [Spanish Words and Updates](#).
- * Interrogative Quiz 1/16/2020

NWEA Map Tests

We will take our winter Map tests on Tues., Jan. 14th and Fri., Jan. 17th. Please make sure your student is well rested. You may send in mints/hard candies with your student for the tests.

Future Dates

- * Mon. 1/13 Erin's Law
- * Tues. 1/14 NWEA Math Test
- * Wed. 1/15 Early Release 1pm
- * Fri. 1/17 NWEA Reading Test
- * Fri. 1/17 Class Spelling Bee
- * Mon. 1/20 No School MLK Jr. Day

Our Learning

Reading/Writing

Students are working on reading comprehension, compare and contrast skills, and written reflections in class. We will begin a unit that incorporates character development on Friday. I am thrilled to announce that our guest Author will be returning this year and partnering with the 3/4 grade band throughout this unit.

Spelling

Students will participate in the preliminary spelling bee round on Friday, January 17th. Students should study the words sent in a previous email.

In class, we have added a story element to our weekly spelling tasks. Students have two spelling sessions in class to create a short story using at least 10 of their words. Students have really enjoyed this and often share their stories with the class.

Science/SS

We are currently studying magnets. Students participate in a variety of hands on activities, as well as, learn key terms pertaining to magnetism. We will continue this unit throughout next week.

Math

We are currently studying different units of measurement. Students used different units of measurement to solve story problems. In addition to this, we are solving mixed math problems containing division, multiplication, fractions and decimal to review key skills.