

NEWS FROM ROOM 15

Let us remember: One book, one pen, one child, and one teacher can change the world. – Malala Yousafzai

Dates to Remember

Spirit Week

-Monday, September 28 – Friday, October 2

PPC Parent Palooza

-Tuesday, September 29

Picture Day

-Tuesday, September 29

Spelling/Vocab Test

-Friday, October 2

Homecoming

-Friday, October 2

Vision Screening

-Tuesday, October 20

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End of the day Recapping

Spirit Week

Next week we the excitement of Homecoming Week is upon us. There are lots of fun activities planned. Here are the Special Days we are having next week:

Monday: Pajama Day

Tuesday: Tie-Dye Day

Wednesday: America Day (Wear red, white and blue)

Thursday: Throwback Thursday (Wear “old school” clothing)

Friday: Jenison Pride Day

Should be a great week!





Sharing our Stories

Reading

We continued in our Storytown books this week working on the comprehension skill of describing characters and their traits and using evidence in the text to explain how we got our answers. The students are doing a great job backing up their answers with proof from the text. We are also sharing the books we finish with our classmates and making sure we are reading just right books. Thank you for making sure the reading logs return to school!

Writing

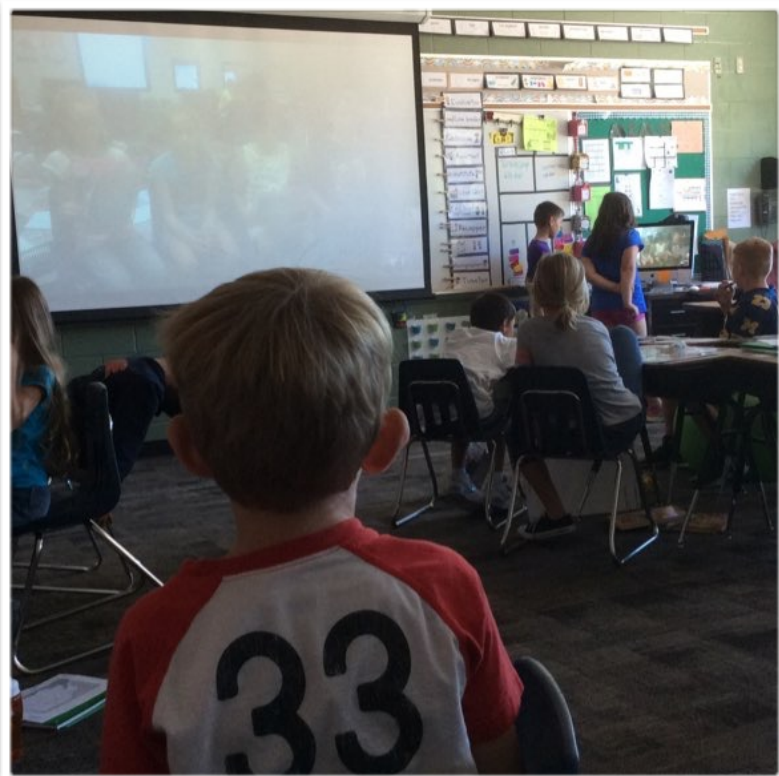
We are having so much fun writing! Students are asking to stay in at recess and keep working on their stories. We are working on adding descriptive details and trying to paint a picture in the mind of our readers. We are writing lots of stories so we can choose one to revise and publish.

Math

We continued our work on rounding this week by making sure we have a firm understanding of how to round to the 10's and 100's in two and three digit numbers. We will finish our work on rounding next week by rounding into the thousands and incorporating rounding and adding and subtracting. Also next week math homework begins. **Our math homework will be working on Reflex Math at home for 20 minutes, at least 5 nights a week.**

Social Studies

We jumped into learning about the Midwest Region of the United States this week. We started by studying the land and water found in the Midwest. We mapped out the Central Plains and the Great Plains and the mighty Mississippi. We also had some more Mystery Skypes with Arizona, Colorado, and Indiana!



Mystery Skype with a Third Grade Class from Arizona