

Mrs. Fonnotto's Class

The week of January 15, 2018

We made a very successful transition back into the swing of things after the holiday break. Everyone has really worked hard, and we are learning so much. This week we reviewed the math concepts that we completed at the beginning of the year. The students have shown me that they have them mastered, and they are ready to move on! It is so hard to believe that we are already half way through the school year. I am so proud of the students' hard work and dedication.

This week in Spelling we will begin Unit 14. A spelling list will go home on Tuesday. The assessment is scheduled for Friday, January 19th.

In Vocabulary, we will begin Unit 10. The assessment is scheduled for Friday, January 19<sup>th</sup>. Please note that we have a short week, and students will need to study a bit extra each night.

In Reading, we will be reading "The Journal of Wong Ming-Chung." The assessment is scheduled for Thursday, January 18<sup>th</sup>.

In Math, we will be using letters to identify geometric figures, subtracting fractions, and exploring decimals.

Please remember that reading logs are due at the start of each week. They will be sent home in the homework folder at the end of each week. Logs are due at the start of the week. Please encourage your child to complete these logs nightly.

Mark your calendars! It is hard to believe, but our 5<sup>th</sup> graders will soon be headed to middle school. In order to help them prepare for this transition, we will be spending a day at GPS to see what middle school is all about. On Friday, January 26<sup>th</sup>, our students will be invading Genesis Preparatory School. All students will need to be dropped off at GPS no later than 8:00 AM. We will meet in the gym. They will be paired with a current 6<sup>th</sup> Grade student and shadow them for the day. Lunch will be provided for the students. Students will be done prior to our normal dismissal time, and I will need help getting them back to the East Campus. Please let me know if you are available to drive. There will be a parent meeting the same morning for all parents interested in learning more information about Genesis Preparatory School. I hope that you will attend. If you are unable to attend, please contact Dr. Missy to set up a personal tour. This is a great experience for our students. They always come back to school excited about the opportunities that come along with being in

middle school. Please let me know if you have any questions.

**Upcoming Dates:**

January 12<sup>th</sup>

January 15<sup>th</sup>

January 26<sup>th</sup>

Report Cards Issued

No School!

GPS Invasion