

Ms. Cook and Mrs. Williams' Weekly Newsletter

October 19 – 23, 2020

Language Arts:

Text Structure Chronology and Problem/Solution Homework: Monday: Text Structure worksheet, idiom cards, read AR Tuesday: Text Structure worksheet, idiom cards, Read AR Wednesday: Problem/Solution worksheet, Read AR Thursday: Simile/Metaphor worksheet, Read AR

Graded Assignments Friday: Figurative Language Quiz (minor)

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2nd 9 Weeks Incentive Goals

The student must meet 3 out of 4 goals to qualify for the incentive.

- I. Discipline No Bus Discipline or ODRs
- 2. Tardies No more than 2 tardies during the 2nd 9 weeks
- 3. iReady Reading Have an 80% pass rate for iReady ELA lessons
- iReady Math Have an 80% 4. pass rate for iReady Math lessons



Mississippi History

Native Americans

Science In Class: We will be covering Weather and Climate. Homework: Study science notebook each night. The vocab words can be found in the science notebook.

Test: 11/05/2020

Reminders

- o Please check your child's planner each night.
- o Please have your child wear tennis shoes on PE day.
- o Send a water bottle and snack with your child each day.
- o Please see back of newsletter for other important announcements.





Keep Calm and Stay the Course

Math

Multiplying Whole Numbers Homework: Monday: WB pg. 125-126 Tuesday: Work on study guide Wednesday: Study for test & get study guide signed for bonus points. Thursday: None

Graded Assignments:

Thursday: NBT.5 Test (major) Friday: Do Now Quiz (minor)

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Dates to Know

October 22: Mock Election October 23: "Wear Pink" day in honor of Breast Cancer Awareness October 26 – 30: Red Ribbon Week (see back of newsletter) October 29: We are asking for each student to donate \$2 for fall treats. Please have your child turn the money in by this date. October 30[:] Students will en joy fall treats and may wear appropriate costumes (nothing scary or gory) to school this day. November 6: Weather Instrument Project Due

School Meals

We are extremely pleased to share that ALL students enrolled in Pearl Public School District are able to receive FREE school meals. This is made possible due to the USDA extending free meal waivers for all students through December 31, 2020, or until funding is exhausted. Beginning Monday, September 14, 2020, any student enrolled in PPSD may receive both breakfast and lunch at no cost. Parents are still encouraged to complete a meal application to determine their meal status once the extension of the program ends in December. The meal applications can be completed online by going to the District website at <u>www.pearlk12.com</u> and clicking on the fork & knife icon under the slideshow.

Red Ribbon Week

We will have dress up days each day of Red Ribbon Week.

- o Monday (10/26) Wear Red
- o <u>Tuesday (10/27)</u> Tie Dye Tuesday
- o <u>Wednesday (10/28)</u> Wacky Wednesday (backwards, mismatched, silly clothing)
- <u>Thursday (10/29)</u> Team Up Thursday (favorite sport team — I always encourage college teams if possible)
- o Friday (10/30) COSTUMES (nothing scary or gory)¹¹

"Socktober"

The Pearl Upper Student Council is participating in a project called "Socktober". They will collect new socks of all sizes, colors, patterns and varieties to benefit the needy in our area. The project will last the entire month of October. Any student who brings at least 5 pairs of new socks will receive one "turn back to green" pass. Thanks for your help with this!

Fall Treats

Pearl Upper Elementary is asking for each student donate \$2 for fall treats. Please have your child turn the money in by Thursday, OCTOBER 29^{th.}

