

CLASS NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 2024

We'll Be Learning

Reading/Language Arts

This month, students will be learning about literary elements and how to synthesize a text in order to identify a theme within the text. Students will also be analyzing the MCAP Writing Rubric in order to revise their own writing.

Math

This month, students take what they have learned about multiplication and apply it to division, developing a deep understanding of what division is and how and when to use it. We will cover division of whole numbers of up to 4 digits by 1 digit.

Science/Social Studies

This month in science, students will focus on understanding how energy changes occur when objects collide.

In social studies, students will focus on understanding why people explore as we deepen our understanding of the impact of exploration for natives and new settlers in Maryland.

Ways to Help at Home

Reading

- Continue reading for 20 minutes/ day
- Start looking at informational text (ex: biography book)

Math

- Continue basic fact practice
- Discuss patterns found in everyday numbers

Science

- Encourage research and exploration for student wonderings and curiosity

Important Dates

11/1: 3-hour Early Dismissal

11/5: Election Day (No school)

11/18: 1st Quarter Report Cards Released Online

11/27-11/29: Thanksgiving Break (No School)