

 October 2018

Class Announcements:

 Fall is in the air!  Please have your student read and record ***at least*** 2 steps (30 minutes)/day and 20 times/month.  This is part of their reading grade.  Continue to check your student’s log on Thursdays to see their reading grade for the steps they have completed for that week.

 Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or concerns. Our school emails are powersl@gcsnc.com, greenwk@gcsnc.com, and simonss@gcsnc.com. We check it several times per day. You may also call the school office and leave a message on our voice mail; however, ***if you ever need to give us information regarding a change in the way your child is normally dismissed, please provide that information to the office***, and they will be sure to send the message to us prior to dismissal.

 In third grade, students are eligible to run for Sternberger Student Council as a third grade class representative. Teachers gave third graders who were interested an application to complete in order to run for representative. Each class voted for one boy and one girl to represent each third grade class. The students representing third grade are
Simons: Porter Zeigler and Ella Rendleman
Greenwell: Abby Guran and Cade Draves
Powers: Will Searls and Salem Stone
Congratulations to all who participated. We are very proud of you all!

 A field trip is coming!! A permission slip will go home mid-October. We will be going to Millis Regional Education Health Center in High Point on Tuesday, Nov. 6. We are so excited to learn more about our skin, muscles and bones.


Literacy: We are currently finishing up ARC Unit 1 – Magic Tree House Books in a Series. ARC Unit 2 titled, ***Informational Research Lab*** allows students opportunities to read numerous texts about *Bugs in Their Ecosystems*. Students will complete research and write about a bug of their choice.
Math: In this module, students will explore measurement using kilograms, grams, liters, milliliters, and intervals of time in minutes. Students will begin learning to tell and write time to the nearest minute using analog and digital clocks.  They will explore with measurement and estimation using different units and tools.  Students will further develop their skills by learning to round using place value understanding and the number line as tools.
 Science: Currently, we are in the middle of our unit on Land and Water Features. We have compared Earth’s saltwater and freshwater features, including oceans, seas, rivers, lakes, ponds, streams, and glaciers. Next, students will compare Earth’s land features including volcanoes, mountains, valleys, canyons, caverns, and islands by using models, pictures, diagrams, and maps.

What we are learning this month:

Upcoming Events Events

\* 10/2-10/4- Cognitive Abilities Test

\* 10/4- Parent Academy- Eureka Math 6:00

\* 10/10- Picture Day

\* 10/11- Walk to School Day\* (revised day)

\* 10/13- Skate Night

\* 10/16- Leadership Meeting

\* 10/16- Breakfast After Dark Biscuitville 5-7pm

\* 10/18- 8:00- Student Council Speeches

\* 10/19- OOTR Fun Run/ Carnival

\* 10/23-11/1- Interim Testing Window (TBD)

\* 10/23- Growth Mindset Guest Speaker

\* 10/24- Mrs. Williams’ Birthday

\* 10/31- Grading Period Ends

\* 10/31- PBIS Celebration

\* 11/1- Regular School Day\*

\* 11/2- Workday (Conference Day)

\* 11/6- Millis Center Field Trip

\* 11/10- Skate Night

\* 11/12- Veteran’s Day- No School

\* 11/13- Report Cards go home

\* 11/15- Chick Fil A Night

Third Grade Wish List Events

October Birthdays Events

10/12 – Reagan

10/29 – Connor E. Greenwell – Dry Erase Markers

10/29 – Ella R.

10/30 – Adam T.