

Friday Folder Newsletter – Disney Magnet School – Room 214

Friday April 17th, 2015

Dear Mighty Mind Families,
Here's what's happening in 3rd Grade:

- ✓ **Next Week's Lessons** – Next week, we will be reading *The Ever-Living Tree*. This informational text contains facts about nature and the world around us. We will also read a poetry selection entitled: *Towering Trees*. Students will learn about similes and text structure. In math, we will begin Chapter 11- "Angles". In social studies, we will test on Chapter 11 the second week in the CAC. Following our CAC shows, we will begin Chapter 12: *How People Earn and Use Money*. In Science, we will begin learning about the food chain after returning from downstairs. We will also take the PARCC test again April 27th-29th. More information to follow.
- ✓ **Next Week's Vocabulary**- *continent- a large area of land, dense- having many things close together, civilized- well developed as a society, opportunities- chances to do something, resources- things people use, independent- separate from other things, shallow- not deep, moisture- tiny drops of water, evaporate- dry up, customs- things that people in a society do*
- ✓ **Next Week's Spelling Words** – *poster, secret, whether, author, rocket, bushel, agree, bucket, ticket, declare, chicken, clothing, apron, whiskers, degree, gather, achieve, rather, bracket, machine*
- ✓ **CAC Show**- The dates of our 3rd grade show are **April 20th-May 1st**, 2015. The show will take place on the 1st. Please let me know if you are interested in volunteering! We are so appreciative of any time you can provide. Our gifted show will take place on **May 8th**- so let's prepare for a full 3 weeks downstairs!
- ✓ **Map Testing**- I will let you know as soon as I receive our SPRING MAP dates☺
- ✓ **Star Students** – Next week, we look forward to learning about **Fiyin O!**
- ✓ **Weekly Shout Out!** This week's shout out goes to all the Mighty Minds and their parents for completing the 3rd quarter of 3rd grade! Excellent work☺ Let's make sure we try to achieve our goals for 4th quarter by working hard, being kind, and maintaining focus as the warmer months approach!

As always, thank you for all of your help and support!

Most sincerely,
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