

THIRD GRADE TRACK 3 **WEEKLY NEWS**



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What have we been learning? #beingstrategic

We've had a terrific week twenty-four! Here are some highlights in each subject area:

Reading: This week we continued our focus on the literary classic, Peter Pan. We practiced determining character traits, and discussing point of view. **Ask your child how Wendy was saved from the Mermaid Lagoon.

Writing: This week we practiced using information from Peter Pan to take detailed **notes** about each chapter. **Ask your child to share how each chapter has built upon the previous one.

Math: This week we continued to explore area and perimeter of rectilinear shapes. We even practiced finding a missing side length. **Ask your child to share what the term rectilinear means.

Science & Social Studies: This week we built upon our **economics unit** by exploring entrepreneurs and how location impacts supply and demand. *Ask your child to share what kind of business they

are planning to create, and specific resources they need to get started.

Positivity Project: This week we focused on the character strength social intelligence (being aware of other people's thoughts and feelings).

Reminders

& Notes

#aligning



Upcoming Events: #fittingtogether

- © Friday, 3/2: Early Release & Third Quarter Interims home
- © Tuesday, 3/6: Track 3 Student Led Conferences
- © Thursday, 3/29: Early Release & report cards home
- © Friday, 3/30: Holiday—no school
- © Saturday, 3/24: Snow makeup day for 1/4
- taking our multiplication timed © Friday, 4/6: Super Crocs Day (tracks 1 & 3)
 - © Saturday, 4/7: Snow makeup day for 1/5
 - © Thursday, 4/12: IMAX field trip (more info. coming)
 - © Saturday, 4/14: Snow makeup day for 1/17
 - Wednesday, 4/18: Track out day and multiplication sundaes celebration

THANK YOU!

<u>Multiplication</u>

sundaes

We've had so much fun

tests this week to earn our

multiplication 'sundaes!' Be

sure to continue to practice

facts at home to increase

fluency.

THANK YOU SO MUCH for all the special treats this week for Teacher Appreciation! You sure know how to make me feel special!

Specials Next Week:

Group A: Music, Art, PE, Guidance, Enrichment

Group B: Enrichment, Engineering, Media, Music, Art

Important Information from Sycamore Creek

*Student Led Conferences: We are so proud of our Sycamore Creek students who have focused on applying the curriculum standards, and have taken more responsibility for their learning this school year. We are pleased to announce that SCES will be hosting "Student-Led Conferences" in order for you to can learn more about your child's accomplishments. Student-Led Conferences will be from 3:45-6:45 PM on Tuesday, March 6th for track 3. We are excited about the opportunity to provide you with a comprehensive view of your child's achievement and look forward to 100% participation. Please visit the website to sign up: http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0a4eaea62da46-student3 We have been busy preparing this week, and are excited to share!

*BackPack Buddies Sign Up: If you can help, please visit:

www.SignUpGenius.com/go/508084CAEA822A2F94-march

- *Read Across America Week: We had SO much fun celebrating Dr. Seuss' birthday this week with theme davs!
- ***Spring Field Trip:** We'll be visiting IMAX and doing a Mastermind program on Thursday, 4/12. We'll be leaving school at 9 AM, and returning at 1 PM. The trip is \$11, and your child will need a bagged lunch. I'll be sending home information next week about payment (some already paid at the beginning of the year), and lunches, so please be on the lookout! If you are interested in chaperoning, please email me and let me know. We can have two parents come with us (if there are more interested, I'll randomly select.