

Brantley Classroom News

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Third Grade News / Curriculum

01-13-17 Newsletter

Reading: "Meet Maycira Costa" by Nora Brook
Focus Skills: words with r-controlled vowels: /âr/ air, ear /îr/, eer; and commonly misspelled words, possessive nouns and possessive adjectives
Spelling Unit: Unit #19 - Pretest Tuesday!!
Wordly Wise: Lesson #10:

- cable, cathedral, convey, device, freight, landmark, method, rod, shaft, structure

Math: Chp. 8: Multiplication and Division

- **Mon.** Chp 8: Pgs. 447-448, HW: MM
- **Tues.** Chp 8: Pgs. 449-452, HW: pgs. 453-454, MM
- **Wed.** Chp 8: Pgs. 455-458, HW: pgs. 459-460, MM
- **Thurs.** Chp. 8: Pgs. 461-464, HW: pgs. 465-466, MM
- **Fri.** Catch up and Math Games

Science / Social Studies:

- **Google Classroom: Assignments!!**
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Social Studies/History:

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Upcoming Events:

- **January**
 - Jan. 16th - MLK - No School
 - Jan. 18th - 1st Semester Report Cards

<http://mrbrantley.weebly.com/news-blog>

Hello Parents,
Another 4 day week faces us...which means cram 5 days into 4...(just kidding). We will have a good week. Spelling might be a little rushed. We will still run the normal spelling routine...except pretest is Tuesday.

Minecraft is going well. I suspect that next week some will be moving onto the next challenge...Square Footage. They will then be one step away from the big home project. This is a fun project with amazing creative possibilities. I always look forward to seeing the final homes.

This past week we enjoyed some interesting knot tying. A few students really enjoyed the challenges and had some fun. Others were challenged, but did complete the minimum required knots. If you haven't seen the Google Classroom assignment, the site: <http://www.animatedknots.com/indexbasics.php#ScrollPoint> is really a pretty neat reference for quite a variety of knots.

I have had fun making fun Google Classrooms. I will continue to try and create a good reading Google Classroom assignment along with a fun Google Classroom Assignment each week. Hopefully this balance will keep everyone a little happier.

PLEASE look at the assignments page!! I am trying to keep this updated each Sunday to include math work, homework and project start and due dates. This is important for your child to learn that due dates mean impact on their grades. Your support is NECESSARY!

Assignments page: <http://mrbrantley.weebly.com/assignments.html>

BOOK PROJECTS:

There are 5 projects due each grading period. That means 5 due by March 10.

<http://mrbrantley.weebly.com/book-projects.html>

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Spelling

- Unit # 19 - Pretest Tuesday, Test Friday
- Pretest Tuesday. Test on Friday

1. happen

2. pretty

3. letter

4. little

5. rabbit

6. off

7. hurry

8. million

9. balloon

10. ladder

11. puddle

12. middle

13. hammer

14. lesson

15. intelligent

16. marshmallow

17. pepperoni

18. supposed

19. hard

20. began

21. above