



BRANTLEY CLASSROOM NEWS

West Lafayette Elementary School

<https://mrbrantley.weebly.com/>

2020-2021



Third Grade News / Curriculum

01/22/21 - Newsletter

Stories: Let's Build a Park! , Farmer Will Allen and the Growing table
Skills: Make & Confirm Predictions, Author's Purpose, Text Structure, Point of View

Foundational Skills: Compound Words & Abbreviations, Phrasing

Vocabulary: Analogies, Suffix -ion, Spiral Review: Suffix -ly

Math: Chp.10 Fractions!!

Mon. Chp. 10 pg. 569

Tues.Chp. 10 pg. 575

Wed. Chp. 10 pg. 581

Thurs. Chp. 10 pg. 587

Fri. Chp. 10 pg. 593 Check my Progress



Science / Social Studies:

- Studies Weekly - Wk#18
- MLK
- Inauguration?



JANUARY 2021

W 6 Professional Day – Staff Only

Th 7 Onsite and eLearning instruction begins at all schools

M 18 MLK Day – No School

FEBRUARY 2021

W 10 Jr/Sr HS eLearning Day – no students

(WLES and WLIS students will be in school)

M 15 No School - Snow Makeup Day #1

F 26 Professional Staff Day (staff only)

<https://www.wl.k12.in.us/info/school-year-calendar>

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

Hello Parents!!

Wow what a great week!! So many great topics, lessons and events. We began with a full day learning about Martin Luther King Jr. and elements of his life. Then we were cautious, but very lucky with an Inauguration stream designed for younger audiences. This allowed our class to watch the historic events.

Ms. K and I have had so much fun this week with the great work, awesome conversations and an amazing math competition. This made for a full week with loads of excitement. I'm not sure next week will compete...but we have good lessons, topics and activities planned.

We are looking at a few changes next week...all good changes. Ms. K will be leading instruction over language arts. This will include an alternative to daily language worksheets, some great exercises on specific grammar and language work. I look forward to these lessons...I think they are going to help, be fun and it'll be good for the class.

Have an excellent weekend and enjoy the time for rest!!

BOOK PROJECTS: 5 projects due by March 12th. <http://mrbrantley.weebly.com/book-projects.html>

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Spelling: **Module 07 Week 01**

Pretest Monday, Post Test Friday!!!

1. birthday
2. anyone
3. afternoon
4. airplane
5. grandmother
6. faraway
7. daylight
8. Mr.
9. Mrs.
10. Ms.
11. Dr.

12. Rd.
13. St.
14. Ave.
15. chair
16. pair
17. beard
18. fear
19. nighttime
20. granddaughter
21. eyesight
22. underground

Vocabulary: **Module 07 Week 01**

These words will NOT be on spelling, but will be used for meaning and sentence creation

BIG IDEA WORDS

outreach
fellowship
communal
resident

CRITICAL VOCABULARY WORDS

scarce
pollution
factories
vats
crowded
greenhouses
vertical

HIGH-FREQUENCY WORDS

distance
reason
interest

INSTRUCTIONAL VOCABULARY

audience
author's purpose
reason
confirm
prediction
conflict
problem
resolution
text structure
narrator
point of view
analogy
suffix