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Third Grade News / Curriculum		05/12/23 - Newsletter	
Stories: Review…maybe a Readworks Review…maybe a read aloud…	Review	REVIEW …maybe a little fun math on Monday…no math on Tuesday	
 Science / Social Studies: Forces and Motion One-off social studies, science and crafts Scholastic News 		Upcoming Events: MAY 2023 T - 23 3rd grade Bowling Trip to Arrowhead bowling. Please email your child's shoe size! T 23 School Year Concludes 4th 9-Week Grading Period Ends 4th 9-Week Grading Period Ends	

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Hello Parents!!

And then there were just two days left...oh my!

Today was a fun Friday. We enjoyed our field day...well before any of the rain showed up. We actually had a very sunny time outside...which was good since most students were soaked in the two water play areas. I think everyone had fun. Then we sat on the deck and dried off, let socks and shoes dry out and enjoyed popsicles until it was about time to go to lunch. Oh, did I forget to mention that Ms. Kolbe joined us for Field Day? She laughed and had so much fun with the class. They were very excited she was here. She will join us again for the bowling trip on Tuesday.

After lunch we set about cleaning up and starting the process of taking home various items. Your child should be headed home with a pretty heavy backpack. Please help them empty it before Monday...there's more to come home!!! It's that time of year when we are closing things down and wrapping up the year. It's a little sad as we say farewell to some students. Every year someone leaves a day or two early and it shakes up the class...this year was no different. We bid farewell...but hopeful returns to one. Everyone was a little sad.

Next week will be the absolute definition of a whirlwind. We have two days of school...2. This means that Monday will have a somewhat "normal" feel with specials and some fun 'work' in class, but still, it won't be a normal day. I am planning to have enough to keep everyone just distracted enough that we don't start to focus on the final day. Tuesday will be upon us fast enough, and that is a busy fun day. We will start out early going to our bowling adventure. This will be a fun time for teachers and students to have fun, laugh and maybe even show off some bowling prowess (maybe not...). The bumpers will be up for all lanes...this keeps even the bad bowlers from looking completely terrible. Then we will return with just a little time before lunch. The 3rd grade farewell tunnel has been moved to 2:45 to allow for some of the parents that also have 6th graders to attend both celebrations and get all their tears out.

I'm hoping for nice weather and possible Buddy to join us on the final hour or two of Monday and Tuesday. I can't quite wrap my head around the fact that we are almost done with this year. This class has been such a unique and amazing experience. Everyone has truly brought something different and interesting to the class. I will miss them.

Have a wonderful weekend and we will buckle up and hold tight as we finish up this year next week!!

BOOK PROJECTS: 5 due or Reading Logs completed by May 19. <u>http://mrbrantley.weebly.com/book-projects.html</u>			
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