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Third Grade News / Curriculum		12/15/23 - Newsletter
Reading and ELA: myBook • Frozen Alive <i>GENRE:</i> Informational Text • This Is Your Life Cycle <i>GENRE:</i> Narrative Fiction Comprehension • Text and Graphic Features • Retell/Summarize • Author's Purpose • Author's Craft Response to Text • Write a Book Review	Phonological Awareness Minimal Pairs* Decoding Words with ar, or, ore Spelling Vowel + /r/ Sounds Basic Words: horse, mark, storm, market, acorn, large, March, north, barking, stork, thorn, forest, chore, restore • Review Words: doesn't, weren't, couldn't, they'd • Challenge Words: horsepower, before, artist, carve Fluency Expression High-Frequency Words beautiful, soft, tail	Math: Multiplication and Division Topic 5: Fluently Multiply and Divide Within 100 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • patterns, multiply and divide using table, strategies, problem solving, math stories Spiral Concepts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patterns • Fractions • Measurement
Science / Social Studies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TinkerCAD: fidget spinner designs • MinecraftEDU: remodel • Winter crafts and gifts 	Upcoming Events: DECEMBER F 22 1st Semester Ends M 25 Winter Break begins	

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Hello Parents!!

Another week is done and now there is only one week left!! It's hard to believe that the semester is finishing and we will be apart for winter break. I guess time really flies when you are having fun and staying busy.

This week has been another busy one. Several good curricular items were completed, and some amazing project work is going well!!

Next week I already know about a few students leaving early. Thank you for the notification early!! We will try to have as much fun throughout the week as possible. Some will be focussed early, to make sure those leaving get to participate, but we will definitely continue all week!!

As we wrap up the semester please remember the book projects that are due by December 22nd. I will try to help push students to get those in, in class...but sometimes there just isn't time!!

I hope that everyone has a great weekend and returns rested and ready for a busy and fun week ahead! We will be working with pancakebot, continuing remodels with MinecraftEDU and much much more!!

Have a great weekend!!

BOOK PROJECTS: 5 due or Reading Logs completed by Dec. 22 . <http://mrbrantley.weebly.com/book-projects.html>

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This Week's Focus:

- Spell singular and plural forms of words

1. leaf

2. leaves

3. wolf

4. wolves

5. potato

6. potatoes

7. roof

8. roofs

9. family

10. families

11. library

12. libraries

13. journey

14. journeys

15. hero

16. heroes

17. ditch

18. ditches