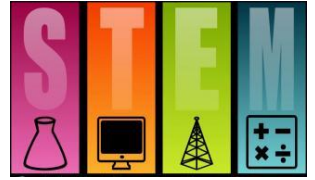


# Brantley3rd Grade Classroom News

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## Third Grade: News / Curriculum

**Date:** 04-05-2013

**Reading:** Charlotte's Web

**Focus Skills:** *Make Inferences*

**Spelling Unit:** #26 – see below

**Vocabulary Lesson #:** *bristly, dreadful, summoning, nuisance, sedentary, oblige, boasting, sway, adamant, inevitable*

**Math:**

Topic #7 Quizzes completed by Tuesday

Topic #8 Division continued...working

Topic #10 Solid shapes

**Science / Social Studies:**

- Time Life for Kids & Science Weekly
- Minetest structure projects
- Robot programming – LEGO NXT robotics

**Upcoming Events:**

**April 2013**

- 10, 11, 12 – Book Fair!!!
- F 19 Snow Makeup Day #2—**YES SCHOOL!!!!**
- April 25<sup>th</sup> Happy Hollow 3<sup>rd</sup> grade visit
- April 26<sup>th</sup> Nano Days field trip

Dear Parents,

We have had a great week. It's been another positive week of reading, reading and more reading! The reading/literacy discussions have been great. Progress through math topic 7 and 8 has been fantastic. Several students are working even further ahead, and math groups/discussion time is exciting.

This week showed great promise in the whole class effort toward science and social studies. The take home quiz appears to have been a good activity. Monday will bring another Time Life take home quiz. Science will again have a study guide and students will have some guidance, but this next week they will have more responsibility for completing their study guides on their own.

The book fair is a much anticipated event. With the increased amount of reading in the classroom, many students are looking forward to new books for home, and hopefully several new titles for the classroom. I hope that many, if not all, of you are able to support your child's reading! The promotion appears to be buy-one/get-one free...

We've certainly had a change in the weather. I hope that soon...very soon we are outside more and doing more hands on experiments and experiences. So much is still in my bag of tricks...but time is running out quickly! There are several opportunities I hope to still share. This will be the final mad dash through the remaining weeks.

This next week we brings new projects, fun science, and ties to math. This will be fun, and some logic and strategy will be used to show each student's work and success.

**Have a great weekend!!**

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# Spelling List # 26

## Spelling List

PRETEST on Monday,  
Friday Test...study study study!!!

1. unhappy

2. unsafe

3. unlucky

4. restart

5. rewrite

6. replay

7. reread

8. untie

9. unfold

10. unwrap

11. unpack

12. repay

13. refill

14. repaint

15. unconscious

16. undefeated

17. remodel

18. rebound

