

## Mr. Brantley's 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade News

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Third Grade: News / Curriculum	<b>Date:</b> 05-10-2013
Reading: Review	Math:
Focus Skills: Review	Topic #10 Solid shapes
Spelling Unit: #31	Topic #11
Vocabulary #33 (Special guitar Vocab)	Topic #12
headstock, tuners, capstan, nut, frets, body, pickup, neck, single	
coil, humbucker	
Science / Social Studies:	Upcoming Events:
Time Life for Kids: Monday HW Quiz	<ul> <li>May 21<sup>st</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Bowling trip</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Science Studies Weekly: study guide in class/HW</li> </ul>	May 22 <sup>nd</sup> Awards Day
FINISH ELECTRIC GUITAR!!!	<ul> <li>May 23<sup>rd</sup> – School year concludes</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Robotics/Minetest/Problem solving</li> </ul>	

## Dear Parents,

ISTEP is done!!! With no more errors and apparent smooth sailing we concluded ISTEP and everyone was thrilled to put that business to rest.

We are in the final two week stretch and not quite done. We are finishing the class guitar. The goal is to finish by the end of the year, but we will wait until fall to auction and kick off the school year. I promise to share and keep everyone from this class involved in the success of the silent auction. This year has been a whirlwind experience and the class has poured a lot of heart and soul into their work. I sincerely look forward to the completion of the guitar.

We are working on bringing this school year to a positive and successful close. With the latest projects not done we have time for robotics, 3D design and some outdoor endeavors. One endeavor that will no doubt continue to the end is this class' passion for reading. The daily reading and responses continue to show the interest and enthusiasm for reading.

I have plans for lots of robotics, Minetest and more fun for the next couple weeks. Fun...without the underlying project/problem solving slid in under the student's radar ©. We will try to squeeze in at least one more TFK and at least one more SSW before wrapping those up for the year. TFK will be homework and we will work through and cover the study guide for SSW in class.

Have a great weekend!!

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Spelling List # 31	
Spelling List	PRETEST on Monday Friday Teststudy study study!!!
1. himself	10. everybody
2. afternoon	11. backyard
3. everything	12. popcorn
4. grandmother	13. everyone
5. homework	14. anyone
6. outside	15. reindeer
7. bedroom	16. lamppost
8. butterfly	17. nowhere
9. grandfather	18. nickname