

May 10, 2019

Good Morning Parents,

I am so happy to be back with my awesome students. Thank you again for all your kind words. Thank you so much for the thoughtful teacher appreciation treats, too. :)

As always, the first graders have been hard at work. Students are wrapping up their poetry books this week. They have explored several different styles of poetry through reading and writing. They are really enjoying listening to poems and using clues in the poetry to interpret them. In math, students are working on solving bigger addition problems using their knowledge of tens and ones. In science, we have wrapped up our insect investigation and the students are excited to share what they have learned.

Next week, students will be learning about the diphthongs "oi" like in "coin" and "oy" like in "boy". We will read nonfiction stories about how things are built. We will be entering our final module for the year, which explores shapes and time. In science, students will begin exploring coding on the computer and participating in science challenges.

As we move into our last four weeks of school, there will be several changes in the schedule. Information has been sent home in the students' folders and I will continue to

include information in these emails to keep you up to date. Feel free to check in if you have any questions.

Upcoming Dates/ Important Information

- End of the Year Assessments- Permission slips were sent home this week. Please sign and return.
- Bowling Field Trip- Permission slips will be sent home today. Please sign and return. Please let me know if you are cleared and able to chaperone.

Tuesday, May 14th- Last Day of Mustang Academy

May 14th- May 17th- Scholastic Book Fair in Library

Thursday, May 16th- 1:50pm Dismissal and Open House-

6:30pm

(Book Fair at 6pm)

May 20th- May 24th- 1:50pm Dismissal (Assessment Week)

Friday, May 24th- Field Trip to Manor Bowl

Monday, May 27th- No School (Memorial Day)

Tuesday, May 28th- 1:50pm Dismissal

Thursday, May 30th- 1:50pm Dismissal

Friday, May 31st- 1:50pm Dismissal, Wacky Olympics

Thursday, June 6th- 12:20pm Dismissal, Last Day of School

Have a wonderful weekend and a very Happy Mother's Day.

Warmly,

Mrs. Sarkany