

OUR SPOW this week
is D'Marion

Room 119 Newsletter

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Don't forget.
Spelling test this
Friday.

What's new in social studies?

Students will be learning the difference between rules and laws. They will be exploring the ripple effect of a rule and how others are affected.

Next week our SPOW will be Rylee Hardley. Rylee will bring in 3 special items and present them to the class during Morning Meeting next Tuesday. D'Marion will share her three special items this Thursday. Next week's newsletter will highlight both these special students!! ☺

What's new in math?

Students are working to understand the concept of how to subtract and add by using the 100's chart, a number line, and/or drawing and labeling tens and ones.

What's new in reading?

We've left informational reading for a moment and moved into becoming researchers to figure out the different kinds of literature like fantasy, legend, myth, realistic fiction, fable and folktales. Students are also exploring the characteristics of a character like feelings, traits and motivations. Next week we will begin to research the difference between character traits and feelings.

Language Skills are a huge component with Common Core

This week students are working to understand the difference between common and proper nouns. We are also beginning to explore the concept of a subject in a sentence so that we can begin to explore what it means to have subject verb agreement.

Since we've had so many compliments for our hallway behavior we will be having lunch in the classroom to celebrate!

Now that the weather is getting colder please have your child wear a warmer coat. Plus the air is also on in the room.

Please check out our class website!!! Your child's heart maps will soon be posted. They are absolutely wonderful. <http://msreedsclass.weebly.com/>