

The Daily DECKINGA

for the week of August 26th

READING:

~Texts: Location, Location, Location, The Case of the Gasping Garbage

~Skills- characters, parts of a story, asking/answering questions to improve comprehension

~Practice vocabulary words for Module 1A, lessons 1-5 (Can review on Quizlet. See "Weekly Newsletter" main page. The link for Quizlet is near the top.)

PHONICS: vowel-consonant/consonant-vowel patterns; **Spelling TEST 1A, lessons 1-5 on Friday, 8/30 (word list went home on Monday 8/26 on the "Refrigerator Copy.")**

GRAMMAR: subjects/nouns, plural nouns, verbs, past tense verbs

MATH: finding the difference, tools for math, rounding

Summer birthdays:

June:

1. Ava E. - 6/6
2. Ryan S. - 6/8
3. Emily W. - 6/11
4. Brooke P. - 6/27

July:

1. Aubree B. - 7/12
2. Caleb T. - 7/29

August:

1. Patrick W. - 8/3

Mon., Aug. 26	PE -wear gym shoes; Brown (white) bag is due
Tues., Aug. 27	Art; Expectation Night 6:00pm
Wed., Aug. 28	PE-wear gym shoes
Thurs., Aug. 29	Art
Fri., Aug. 30	PE: LRC; Spelling test today - module 1A, lesson 1-5
Mon., Sept. 2	NO SCHOOL

OTHER NEWS

1. 8/23-9/11: Charleston Wrap Fundraiser. Forms and payment are due 9/11.
2. 8/23-9/13: Nelson Prairie Spiritwear sale (www.palosshirts.com/nelson_prairie_spirit)
3. 8/30: We will celebrate Nelson Prairie's 20th birthday during the school day! Ice cream permission slips are due by 8/28.
4. 9/3: Summer Reading Certificates are due
5. 9/18: Nelson Prairie Picture Day (Retakes are 10/16.)
6. The children are doing a great job with arrival/dismissal and classroom routines.
7. Each week I will post our classroom newsletter on my web page which will include upcoming events, P.E. days, and skills that we will be working on.

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8. Please check your child's take-home folder for the spelling words and vocabulary words. These can be found on the Refrigerator Copy. We will practice the words at school during the week. Students will have a spelling test on Friday, Aug. 30th, so please spend some time practicing at home. Weekly spelling and vocabulary words are also available on my web page.
9. See the Site Hub on my website for links to Reflex (practice daily), RAZKids (practice 2-3 times a week), IXL (practice 2-3 times a week), and Powerschool Student (access to ReadyGen books). NOTE***Some links are not available yet. It will be noted on the Site Hub page whether or not that particular link is available yet.
10. Students can read the ReadyGEN stories from home. Once students log in to PowerSchool (using student log in information), they can click on the book icon with the "P" next to Pearson's Courses on the left side of the page. That will bring them to Pearson EasyBridge. When they get to this page, click on the words ReadyGen 2016 on the left side of the page. This will bring them to the ReadyGen website. When they get to that screen, they can click on the green bubble labeled programs or the picture of the ReadyGen book underneath it. From there, they can select the Unit 1, Module A, and the story.

Please check and sign your child's assignment notebook each night.

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