



Third Grade Times



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Nelson Prairie School

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Reading

This week, our reading story is *The Year of Miss Agnes*. We will also examine literal/nonliteral meanings, central message, characters, and illustrations.

Grammar

Our grammar skills are working with adverbs and using commas in dialogue.

Phonics

Our phonics skill this week is 2 and 3-letter consonant blend sounds and patterns.

Spelling

We will begin to review and practice the Unit 2A: Lesson 6 - 10 words this week. **Please see the "Spelling and Vocabulary Words" tab on my web page for the Lesson 1-5 spelling and vocabulary word lists.**

Writing

The students will work on narrative writing as they focus on introducing narrators and characters, sequence of events using temporal words/phrases, and writing dialogue

Math

We will complete Unit 3 and will review all skills on Wednesday. The Unit 3 Progress Check will be this Thursday. The Unit 4 math skill for the week includes measuring to the nearest half inch and to the nearest whole centimeter. Please check your child's folder for the Unit 4 Family Letter on Friday.

Science

We will be finishing Chapter 2 of our plant and animal Life Cycles science lessons. The animals we will focus on this week are the life cycles of amphibians and birds.

Specials Schedule

Monday– Music

Tuesday– Gym

Wednesday– Music

Thursday– Gym and Library

Friday– Music

Important Dates & Reminders

~ Wear **purple** for citizenship on Wednesday.

~ Please sign and return your child's report card envelope if you did not do so at conferences.

~ December 6th– The 3rd Grade Art Showcase is from 6:00–6:30 and the Musical is from 6:30–7:10.

FYI

Please encourage your child to read at home and to record their minutes on the Book–It calendar. Also, remember to have your child practice their multiplication facts three times a week for 10 minutes per session, as discussed at conferences. The testing order for the facts is as follows:
0, 1, 2, 5, 10, 11, 9, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 12.

I hope you had an amazing Thanksgiving with family and friends!