



Carr & Crosby's Classroom Corkboard

November 3, 2017

Edition 5

Our first whole school incentive went swimmingly! We had a walking field trip to The Oxbow, and completed station rotations that consisted of leaf art by the river, capture the flag, and even a dance party!



Literacy

Reading: 5 Star Book Recommendations
Students have been crafting the art of book recommendations to entice others to read their favorite books!

Writing: Poetry Workshop
Twice a month, students peruse a number of poetry books to find a poem that speaks to them on a personal level. They record the poem, its author and then illustrate the page in their Poetry Journal. When all are completed, students partake in a museum style poetry walk!

Word Work: High Frequency Word Importance!
In class, we have talked about common, reoccurring words that show up in our writing, called high frequency words. Knowing these words can help students to become better readers and writers!

WE ♥ MATH

Mathematicians at Work

- ❖ Mathematicians have been consulting for "Brad's Baseball Company," designing three-dimensional boxes (a.k.a. rectangular prisms), to assist Brad in his package decision-making.
- ❖ Each month, students receive a Number Corner practice packet, used for follow-up practice when introducing concepts. Pages may be incomplete - do not be concerned! These are on hand if/when they fit into the daily lesson, but are not required work.

What you can do: *Reading is Thinking* It would be helpful if students continued their reading practices at home. If your child gets stuck or confused during a portion of their reading, they can use these strategies:

- Readers reread the sentence, paragraph or page
- Readers ask themselves, 'Who, What & Where'
- Readers read further to gain more understanding
- Readers stop & think about they already know

Save the Date

Friday,
November 10 -
No School

Wed-Fri Nov
22-24
Thanksgiving
Recess

Festival of
Lights Parade
- 5/6 Band
Saturday,
December 2 -
4:00pm
Morrisville

ECO

ECO Thanksgiving

On Thursday, November 16, ECO families are invited to join us for a celebration of thanks, including songs, games and campfire cuisine. Be prepared to walk two miles round trip, and be sure to dress for the weather! Driving directions and start time will be coming in next week's Friday Folder.



Online Corkboards

Take a peek at our online websites!

Katie Crosby
[http://crosbyscorkboard.
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Erin Carr -
[Carrhpesmathscience.
weebly.com](http://Carrhpesmathscience.weebly.com)



Global Studies

5th graders have been traveling all around North America investigating biomes. They created google slides and presented to the whole class about their virtual trips. Talk with your child about their country or province & why people live there!

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Tis' the Season for Sickness- Please review the following procedures at home with your child: hand washing, nose blowing and coughing into your elbow.
Sincerely, Our Immune Systems

Fabulous Weeks In Fifth Grade

Unity Day! Ask your kiddo why they wore orange...



Fall Fest: 5th graders had the privilege to walk with 1st grade buddies to the Oxbow on Friday!



Solving Mystery Buildings in Number Corner



Ghost Walk



Global Studies: North America Presentations

