Third Grade News

May 13-17, 2024
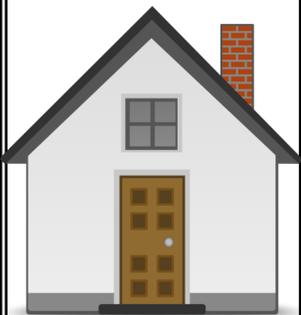
The Classical Academy East Elementary

Calendar

May 14
Reading Party-no parent help needed

May 17
Cow Eye Dissection

May 23
Last Day of School
(12:15 dismissal)

"A good laugh overcomes more difficulties and dissipates more dark clouds than any other one thing."

-Laura Ingalls Wilder

Cow Eyeball Dissection

Cow Eyeball Dissections are coming up on **May 17th** from **8:30-9:45** in the gym following the assembly. If you are volunteering for this event, you child's teacher will be emailing you with instructions to help you prepare to lead your small group of students in this dissection.

Math Facts

Please be continuing to practice math facts over the summer as well! All multiplication and division facts must be mastered before entering 4th grade.

Summer Reading

As you prepare for summer, don't forget about the importance of reading! Below you will find your child's summer reading list to prepare them for 4th grade. It is **required** to read a **minimum of two books** from this list.

The Reluctant Dragon
by Kenneth Grahame
(Best as family read aloud)

Guns for General Washington
by Seymour Reit

Can't You Make Them Behave, King George?
by Jean Fritz

Wonderful Flight to the Mushroom Planet
by Eleanor Cameron

The Horse and His Boy
by C. S. Lewis
Poppy
By Avi

The Penderwicks
By Jeanne Birdsall

In Our Curriculum

Spelling -
Test on Thursday lists 61 & 62 , rule 2
Rule 2— the letter c before e, i, or y says "s", but followed by any other letter says "k"

Grammar -
The students will identify correct pronouns, practice contractions and continue working with helping verbs + main verbs.

Writing - Biography Presentations and Independent Paragraphs.

Literature - *The Seven Wonders of Sassafras Springs*

Recitation None

Science - Human Senses and Movement

History - 13 Colonies

Math - **Chapter 14 Test 5/14**
Chapter 15: Money
Students will use mental math strategies to convert between cents and dollars and make change for amounts within $100.

May Character Trait
Humor