

ACCIS THIRD GRADE

March 29, 2010

Spelling list: syllable patterns

window	winter	sandy
collar	bottom	glider
summer	crazy	except
stopped	bigger	motor
propeller	spinning	signal



Important dates:
April 2-5 Easter break
April 21 Spring Music Program
Grades 2-4 6:30
April 27 fieldtrip to Topeka

Dear Parents,

We were pleased with the effort the students put forth when taking the state math assessments last week. We want to thank you for all the work you did at home when reviewing the weekly quizzes and practice tests.

We will be reading Will and Orv this week, which is a book about the Wright brothers. We will also read about other famous inventors and continue working on our short reports about inventions. The stories about Benjamin Franklin last week started us thinking about the many things that have been invented since his time. Our reports range from the invention of the tractor to the potato chip.

The math skills we are working on now were not required for assessments, but will be needed for success in fourth grade. We are multiplying larger numbers and will move onto reading graphs. Please continue working with the flashcards and read with your child at night asking questions like, "Where was the main character at the beginning of the story?" and "What was the main character like?"

Our fieldtrip will be Wednesday, April 27. We will visit the Kansas History Museum and the State Capitol. More information will follow later.

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