Whiteside School District 115



Mrs. Jones' 3rd Grade **Weekly Buzz**



November 1—5, 2010

11/1-11/5

Spelling Test! Reading Test! OH MY!

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	<u>Spelling</u>	Spelling Words		<u>Reading</u>	
	We started Unit 11 in our		<u>Unit 11</u>		
	Spelling books last			The fourth story of our city	
	Monday. These are words	١.	snow	wildlife, unit 2 focus, is titled	
	that contain the long "i"	2.	load	"Urban Roosts." This non—	
	vowel -such as leave and	3.	almost	fictional piece describes the	
		4.	row	various birds that make their	
	street. On Monday, we com-	5. 6.	soak	homes in the heart of the	
	pleted pgs 68-69 in our	0. 7	window foam	city It also helps students	
	spelling books for extra	8.	most	understand and examine how	
	practice. We also wrote our	9.	flow	these birds have adjusted to	
	spelling words 5 times	10.	goat	such a harsh urban	
	each , wrote them in cursive,	11.	throw	environment. We will learn	
	and played SPARKLE	12.	float	all about various birds and	
	BOOM!. On Thursday, Nov.	۱3.	blow	their behaviors during this	
	4, we will have spelling test	14.	below	. •	
	#9 on Unit 11 words. We	15.	soap	interesting article!	
		16.	potato		
	will test on Friday and begin	17.	tomato	<u>VOCABULARY</u>	
	the new Unit 12	18.	toast	1. abandoned	
	Spelling words on Friday.	19.	loaf	2. cavity	
		20.	swallow	3. originally	
				4. suburbs	
				5. clamor	

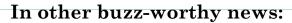
<u>Announcements</u>

- ✓ Reading Test on Friday
- ✓ Spelling Test on Unit 11 Words on Thursday
- No School, Thursday
 Nov. 11 (Veteran's Day)
- End of 2nd Progress Reporting Period— Friday, Nov. 12.



Weekly Specials Rotation for Nov. 1—5, 2010

M(Computer) Tu(PE) W(ART) Th(Music) F(Library)





Cursive Writing:

We will continue to add students to our "cool cursive club." This very special honor begins with a quick cursive writing quiz. Once students pass, their name is displayed in our hallway—and they may do all work in cursive! What a huge honor! Best wishes, third graders!!!

Social Studies

We completed our first two chapters in Social Studies. We are moving on to Science!

Science

We will begin a new chapter in Science, all about animals! This chapter will focus on ani-

mal needs, camouflage, various habitats, as well as classification of animals!

Math:

We are still studying elapsed time— and time to the nearest 5 minutes, 15 minutes.

This is difficult for most students. We will take this slowly!

English/Writing:

We have almost finished chapter 2, but this week we will focus on possessives, both singular and plural! The apostrophes can be VERY confusing! :)