

Miss Gaughan's Newsletter

Week of September 16th- 20th

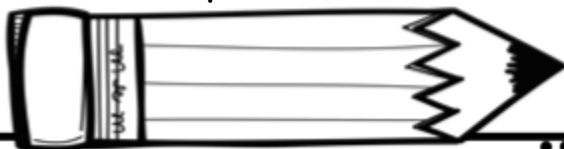


Reading & Language Arts

- We will continue Lesson 1 of Unit 1 in Journeys this week. The story associated with this lesson is Because of Winn Dixie. The skills we will be working on with this lesson are story structure, point of view, flashback, and summarizing. **We will have a practice comprehension quiz on Monday, September 16th. On Tuesday, September, 17th, we will complete Lesson 1 Test together.** This will count as a class work grade,
- In writing, we will be focusing on narratives first this year.
- In spelling we will be focusing on words with the short /a/ and long /a/ sounds. In grammar, we will focus on parts of a sentence: simple subjects & predicates, complete subjects & predicates, and compound subjects and predicates. **Our quizzes will be Monday, September 16th.**

Math

- We are continuing Chapter 1. Chapter one focuses on Place value, addition & subtractions to one million. **We will have our mid chapter checkpoint quiz on Tuesday, September 17th. Chapter 1 test will be Wednesday, September 25th.**
- Last week we began practicing x2 multiplication facts. We will continue to practice x2 multiplication facts this week. **Our quiz for this will be Friday, September 20th.**



Reminders

- Back to school night is Thursday, September 26th! I look forward to meeting you! ☺
- Scholastic book orders due by Friday, September 20th.

Science/Social Studies

We are starting off with Social Studies this year! Chapter 1 in Social Studies focuses on New Jersey's features. We will learn about important people, places, and things in New Jersey. **We will have a vocabulary quiz on Friday, September 20th. We will have chapter 1 test on Friday, September 27th.**