3rd Grade Home School Connection
Libby Elementary

This Week:

Jan. 6 - Classes Resume
- Beginning of the 4th Six Weeks

Jan. 6-15 - DRA, Middle-of-Year STAR Reading & Math Assessments

Jan. 8 - Report Cards Go Home!

Reading:

3.9(D) recognize characteristics and structures of informational text, including: (iii) organizational patterns such as cause and effect and problem and solution.
3.6(C) make, correct, or confirm predictions using text features, characteristics of genre and structures

Spelling Word List

1. certainty
2. earn
3. return
4. search
5. swerve
6. termite
7. third
8. thirsty
9. thirteen
10. thirty
11. surprise
12. pilgrim
13. subtract
14. control
15. sample
16. inspect
17. contrast
18. employ
19. exclaim
20. athlete

Test Date:_____

Target Vocabulary

1. **community** - a group of people living in the same area
2. **donate** - to give as a way to help others
3. **convince** - to persuade or cause someone to believe
4. **generous** - giving or showing kindness toward others
5. **transformed** - changed or made very different
6. **slavery** - a system in which people are owned by others
7. **abolitionist** - a person or group that believes slavery should be stopped
8. **violence** - acts that cause great harm, such as damage or injury
9. **equality** - the right for all people to be treated the same
10. **influe**ntial - having a great effect on someone or something
11. **point of view** - who is telling the story
12. **idiom** - an expression that has a different meaning from the actual words
13. **evidence** - clues that prove something to be true
14. **multi-meaning** - words that have more than one meaning
15. **topic** - the subject of a text

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Grammar/Writing/Spelling:

3.11(D) edit drafts using standard English conventions, including: (vii) pronouns, including subjective, objective, and possessive cases
3.12(C) compose argumentative texts, including opinion essays, using genre characteristics and craft
3.2(B) demonstrate and apply spelling knowledge by: (v) spelling words using knowledge of syllable division patterns such as VCCV, VCV, and VCCCV

MATH:

3.3A- Represent fractions greater than zero and less than or equal to one with denominators of 2, 3, 4, 6, and 8 using concrete objects and pictorial models, including strip diagrams and number lines.

3.3B- Determine the corresponding fraction greater than zero and less than or equal to one with denominators of 2, 3, 4, 6, and 8 given a specified point on a number line.

3.3C – Explain that the unit fraction 1/b represents the quantity formed by one part of a whole that has been partitioned into b equal parts where b is a non-zero whole number.

3.3D – Compose and decompose a fraction a/b with a number greater than zero and less than or equal to b as sum of parts 1/b.

3.3E- Solve problems involving partitioning an object or a set of objects among two or more recipients using pictorial representations of fractions with denominators of 2, 3, 4, 6, and 8.

3.4G- Use strategies and algorithms, including the standard algorithm, to multiply a two-digit number by a one-digit number. Strategies may include mental math, partial products, and the commutative, associative, and distributive properties.
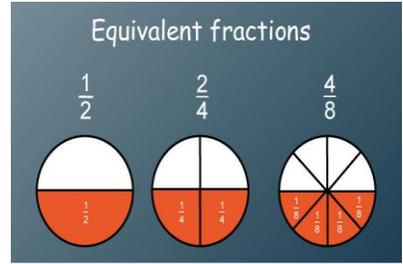
3.4K- Solve one-step and two-step problems involving multiplication and division within 100 using strategies based on objects; pictorial models, including arrays, area models, and equal groups; properties of operations or recall of facts.

3.5B- Represent and solve one- and two- step multiplication and division problems within 100 using arrays, strip diagrams, and equations.

3.5C- Describe a multiplication expression as a comparison such as 3x24 presents 3 times as much as 24.

3.7A – Represent fractions of halves, fourths, and eighths as distances from zero on a number line.

3x24 is the same as 3 times as many as 24. Ex. 24 + 24 + 24

Equivalent fractions

$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{8}$

Alligator. Alligator are you ready for lunch?

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Look for the biggest number and crunch, crunch, crunch!

Continue to study all of the multiplication facts. It is a pre-requisite for 4th grade!

Math Vocabulary

Number Sentence	**Distributive Property**	**Array**
Partial Product	**Place Value**	**Total**
Multiply	**Factor**	**Product**
Regroup	**Ones**	**Tens**
Models	**Sketch**	**Digits**
Area Model		

GUESS MY **ARRAY**!