

October 3, 2011

Dear Parents,

There has been some confusion with the work being sent home in the Monday Folders. Please empty the folders and return only signed tests. Also, when returning notes, homework, or items for the office, it is important that you do not send them back in the Monday Folder. There are times when I do not check the folders until the next day. Just send other things in separately.

I know some of you are confused about some work in the organizers. There are some assignments that I do not collect daily. It should stay in the students' organizers. Each morning, I write on the board what is to be turned in. Please do not empty any contents, except for the home section, of your child's organizer.

Last week, passwords were sent home for Mathletics. I would like the students to log on to mathletics.com for a total of 10 minutes each week. Once logged in, students should click "play live." Each game is one minute. There is no need to keep track of your child's time. I get a print out each day of when and how long students have played.

In math, we are finishing adding larger numbers. While most students know the steps to solve problems, I am seeing errors with basic addition. Please study addition facts nightly. It will build a great foundation for all math concepts.

Please do not come in the hallway during school hours to drop items at the classroom. There is a table in front of the office for lunches, books, and clothes.

Also, if your child is leaving early, please send a note in the morning. This will give me an opportunity to have your child ready with his/her belongings for the early dismissal.

Important Dates

Tuesday, October 4- Math Test- Topic 3

Inside the Monday Folder

Listed Below is the work that should be in the Monday Folder From **Mrs. Langridge, Miss Costa, and any specialized teacher**. Any work that is not in the folder is missing and will lose 10% each day (up to five days) it is not turned in.

- Spelling- pretest corrections, p. 13-14, 15-16 test
- Reading- story sequence, plot worksheet, test-**Please sign and return**
- Social Studies- test-**Please sign and return**
- Math- test-**Please sign and return**
- Handwriting- p. 37-38
- English- clownfish paragraph, zebra paragraph, predicate wksh., p. 124
- Computer-
- Religion- test-**Please sign and return**



Thank you for all your cooperation,
Mrs. Langridge