

Hafling Update March 2, 2020

Dear Parents,

For homework this week, students will continue with reading log and spelling. I spoke to most students today about AR book choice. They need to be reading an AR book and take a test each week unless they are reading a longer chapter book. I would like most students to be reading short chapter books sooner than later. I will be finishing up conferences Tuesday and Thursday.

Curriculum:

Reading- Today, we read a folktale, "Half-Chicken ." It's a fable about how the weather vane came about. We will talk about tales and fables along with cause and effect. We will also read leveled readers to review both. Grammar is working with irregular action verbs.

Spelling- re-, un- and pre- words (understanding how the prefix changes the meaning)

Writing- We will continue to practice letter writing and informational writing.

Math- We are moving through Module 4. Students are learning the "traditional" way to subtract. They should be able to solve a 3 digit minus a 2 digit with trading or borrowing tens and hundreds if needed. We are continuing to practice word problems with the subtraction skill.

Social Studies- Picking up different skills in our Scholastic- This week we will talk about Harriet Tubman.

Science-Wrapping up Matter and will start Earth changes

Treasure items are always welcome. If you see any St. Patrick or Spring fun items to add to our box, please send in. Students get excited for new items.

Important Dates:

Field trip March 12th- Slips are due tomorrow I still have room for 1 more parent if you are able to attend.

