



3rd Grade Family Newsletter

Mission: Elk Meadows Falcons are growing to be resilient, lifelong learners.

Golden Gate: I will be in charge of my own happiness.

Date: January 3, 2023

Grade-Level Events

- Please continue to practice multiplication and division math facts at home.
- Continue reading 20 minutes a day. Remember to track it on the reading log.
- All 3rd Graders just finished Acadience Reading Test for the Middle of the Year.
- Math Acadience Test will be given at the end of January.
- Thank you so much for your support at home!

Math

Focus: Our goals this month are to understand place value, rounding, and addition and subtraction of 3 digit numbers.

Example:

| | Rounded to the nearest 100 | Rounded to the nearest 10 |
|-------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 493 | 500 | 490 |
| 129 | 100 | 130 |
| <u>+369</u> | <u>+400</u> | <u>+370</u> |
| 991 | 1,000 | 990 |
| | (Estimate) | (Estimate) |

Language Arts

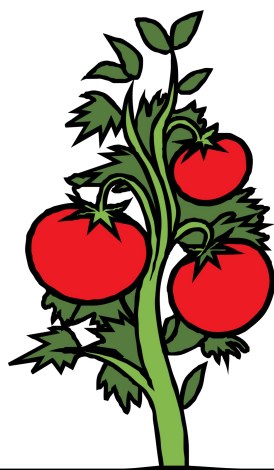
Focus: We are starting to write opinion papers. Students will learn how to introduce the topic, state opinion, give reasons and evidence, and restate opinion.

Focus: We are working on dictionary skills. We are focusing on using guide words to help find words. We have been using alphabetic order to help use guide words.

Science

Focus: We will be rotating again for Science rotations in a couple of weeks. Students will be learning from a different 3rd grade teacher for the next 3 weeks. The following is the topic that they will be studying.

Water and Climate- Mrs. Marsden
Motion and Matter- Mrs. Seehusen
Structures of Life- Mrs. Huish



Social Studies

Focus: We will be rotating again for Science/Social Studies rotations. Students will be learning about geography around Utah and explore on Google Earth.

Social Studies-
Mrs. Wilkinson & Mrs. Vail



Family Connection/Additional Information

- January 13- Last Day of Quarter 2
- January 16- Martin Luther King Jr. Day- No School
- January 17- Grades Transmittal Day- No School