

# 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, 2022

### **Grade-Level Events**

- Please continue to practice multiplication and division math facts at home.
- Continue reading 20 minutes a day. Our first reading log with be sent out January 7.
- 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	Rounded to the
	the nearest 100	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.

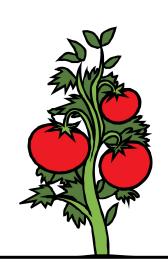
#### **Science**

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



#### **Family Connection/Additional Information**

- January 14- Last Day of Quarter 2
- January 17- Martin Luther King Jr. Day- No School
- January 18- Grades Transmittal Day- No School