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**Ms. May’s News**



**Read Well** –Repeated reading is so important! When you child brings home homework, please have them read through it at least three times to practice reading fluently. The more we practice, the more fluently we will read.

**Reading (Daily5) –** This week in reading we will be learning how to retell a story using sequence of events. We will practice using transition words in our vocabulary as we retell the story. We will refer to the pictures that are connected to the story.

**Phonics (Fundations)-** When we add –s to words, we are telling our reading there is more than one of something. We will practice finding the base word and circling the suffix.

**Social Studies-** We will be learning about Veterans and Veteran’s Day. We will also begin our study on Native Americans.

**Math-** We will be adding another addition strategy to our mathematical thinking! We are learning how to add three addends together. We will review all that we have learned and prepare for Chapter 3 Test!

**Writing-** This next week our focus will be on organizing and starting our writing with a bold beginning. We will work on staying on one topic and adding many details to explain it.

**Thursday, Nov 12th: P Day**- Art and Library

**Wednesday, Nov 11th**: **W Day-** Music and P.E. Red, White and Blue Day! Please wear red, white or blue!

**Tuesday, Nov 10th**: **A Day**-

Technology and P.E.

**Just a Note:**

Wall of Honor

In honor of Veteran’s Day, we are asking for you to send in a photograph of any family member you may have that has served or is currently serving in the military. We ask that you include the follow information that can be shared with the class. We would like to honor them on Wednesday during our Veteran’s Day discussion.

* What branch did/do they serve in
* When and Where they served
* Any honors or medals they might have received

**Friday, Nov 13th: A Day**-

Technology and P.E.

\*Spelling Test and Math Test

**Monday, Nov 9th**: **P Day**- Art and Library

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