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Third Grade News / Curriculum	05/17/24 - Newsletter
Reading and ELA: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We are watching "Wonder" on Monday and Tuesday. It's almost two hours, so we will break it into about two one hour segments...trying to pause at a good and logical spot. • 	Fun Math!!! <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We will continue to have fun with math challenges and math mysteries • Some elements will be online with Prodigy, maybe Kahoot and more • ThatQuiz •
Upcoming Projects, Science, and Social Studies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bridge testing...this class set a NEW CLASS RECORD!! • Some final Robotics and fun stuff... • Some surprising science activities!!! 	Upcoming Events: MAY F 17 WLES Field Day W 22 WLES 3rd Grade Bowling Trip & Parade W 22 School Year concludes

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Hello!

I really thought last week was full and busy...and then this week hit and WOW!!! We stayed busy testing bridges up through Thursday. Then we were all blown away by a new class record!!! Team #7 knocked us all out with a bridge that held 159.90 lbs. This crushes the last record of 132 lbs. I am impressed and a little blown away.

Wednesday we enjoy some fun science with a visit from Dr. French and learning about the properties of liquid nitrogen. The best aspect was how liquid nitrogen boils at room temperature...so creating rapid expansion is very easy and can create some exciting results!! I shared videos earlier on ClassDojo.

We ended the week with Field day, celebration with kinder partners and a dog visit. This seemed like the best way to end the week.

Next week we have just three days...but they will be busy. Monday we will go out to cheer on the classes in the kickball tournament...and enjoy some Gibson Shaved Ice. Tuesday might be the least busy day...so we will make sure to clean up desks and bins and get things home. Wednesday is the last day of school...and the busiest for 3rd grade. We have our field trip first thing to go bowling, we return just before lunch...then end the day with the 3rd grade farewell walk.

It's wild that time has just moved faster and faster the closer we get to the end...but I suppose this is the normal course of events. We try to pack in all the fun and exciting activities as we conclude the school year. That makes this end of the year a little crazy and also emotional. This afternoon we celebrated with our kinder partners and I witnessed several 3rd graders feeling very emotional...even tears at the prospect of leaving this building next year. Please talk with your student and keep talking as we wrap up the year. It's a time to celebrate the good and the good that is to come.

Have a great weekend and get some good rest for the last three days!!!

BOOK PROJECTS: 5 due or Reading Logs completed by May 17th . <http://mrbrantley.weebly.com/book-projects.html>

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