

March News



Writing

Room 12 is exploring poetry through various writing stations. Students listen to music, read poems, compare objects, and match the beat to familiar songs to write their own poems. The students have really enjoyed these recent stations. I can't wait to share their poems with you this month!

Reading Workshop

The boys and girls have been hard at work learning more strategies to decode difficult words. The students learned to be the boss of their reading by:

- 1. Stopping at the first sign of the problem
- Trying a strategy
- 3. Try something else to get the job done
- Triple checking their words by asking themselves if the word sounds right, looks right, and make sense.

The class has done an excellent job and continue to work closely with their reading partners to practice retelling parts of a story. This month, we'll make predictions about March weather, discuss St. Patrick's Day, and make plans for our April Hawk's Nest Assembly.

Conferences

Please remember to sign up for a conference slot using

http://signup.com/go/jVvBwcO

I will be piloting a new report card this month along with our current report card. Conferences will be 20 minutes long. In order to accommodate longer time slots, my conferences are going to spread out across three days (the 14th, 15th, and 16th) instead of two. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.



Dates to remember:

March 2nd- Grace Leonard's Birthday

March 15th – 16th - Early Dismissal for Conferences

March 15th – Isabella Marchitto's Birthday

March 30th - No School