

If you misplace this newsletter, please feel free to look on my website or ask for another copy. \odot Each week, we will send home weekly spelling words and vocabulary. Please look for that on Mondays in your child's folder. We will send reminders through Remind 101 throughout the month...if you have not signed up please let me know ASAP. \odot

Importrant Dates

- February 27 March 3 Book Fair
- March 7 Spring Pictures
- March 8 Candy Sale begins
- March 9 Shade Day
- March 10 No school for students
- March 16 80's Hair Day
- March 17 Report Cards and WEAR GREEN!
- March 22 Candy sale ends
- March 24 NO SCHOOL (be looking for information in case this changes due to the day we missed for inclement weather)

Important Reminders

Your child is now responsible for 4 AR books passed each week...2 need to be fiction and 2 need to be nonfiction. It is very important that your child have a balance of fiction and nonfiction in order to be a successful reader. Reading nonfiction books increases vocabulary development as well as learning lots of new, interesting information. I once your child meets the AR goal for the week, he/she is encouraged to continue reading...whether it is on their level or not...it can even be a book that is not AR...they are just required to meet their AR goal first. Your child should be reading EVERY night to you or another adult. Discuss the book with your child and enjoy spending quality time together talking about the story, or what is learned. Also, if your child is reading a Chapter book, and it is worth 1 point, it counts as both fiction books. However, if they choose a chapter book, it is suggested that they begin at the beginning of the week, to ensure they meet the weekly AR goal.



