



Muir Elementary School

Chinese Language Immersion Program

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Chinese Reading Workshop

This week we focused on telling a summary of a story. We have learned to identify main activities done by the main character first and then combine these main events together to come up with the summary of the story. Please use the strategy in the reading log assignment.

Chinese Writing Workshop

This week we have kicked off our writing workshop unit on personal narrative writing. We have identified what a narrative consists of and what a personal narrative means. We will start brainstorming ideas and drafting the first personal narrative/a small moment story next week. What 3rd graders typically need is to zoom in a small moment of their story, instead of writing a laundry list of what they did during a long period of time, for example, a day.

Social Studies

In this Rules and Laws social studies unit, we will learn some basic facts about the U.S. constitution, how the three branches of government work together and how a bill is passed in Congress. Please anticipate difficult and abstract concepts to be discussed and learned. You can support your child at home by watching more news and having dialogues on these topics

Quizlet Account

I have created flash card study set for studying the social studies vocabulary on Quizlet, however, quizlet privacy policy does require a parent email associated with the student's Google classroom account for children under the age of 13. If you don't want to use the Quizlet study set, you can print the flash cards that I posted on Google classroom and create flash card games with them.

Second Oral Presentation Assignment

We have finished our first oral presentation show and tell(self-introduction). What most students need to improve on is the Chinese language structure and their confidence in public speaking. Next presentation is story telling. The story telling assignment has been posted on Google Classroom.

Heads Up

- 10/6 - 10/13 Parent Teacher Conferences, early dismissal at 1:10 (This year is "in-person" conference, 15 minutes per session.)
- 10/14 - Field Trip - Peninsula Youth Theatre: My Father's Dragon
- 10/17 - Non-student Day (Teacher Work Day)
- 10/24 - Clip Art
- 10/27 - Minimum Day - Dismissal @ 11:50