

Ms. Kast's
3rd Grade
Newsletter

December 5, 2019



IMPORTANT DATES

December 6th

Book Orders Due

December 6th

SPARK Field Trip

December 20th

VSCO Celebration

December 21st-January 5th

Winter Break

What's Happening in 3K?

Reading-The Year of Miss Agnes

Writing-Informational Animal Articles

Math-Bar Graphs, Pictographs, Line Plots

Language Arts-prefixes dis, mis, ab, ad

Read Aloud-Matilda-Roald Dahl

Art-Art with Mrs. Thompson

Social Studies: Types of Communities-
rural, suburban, urban

Multiplication Flashcards

Next week we will begin our multiplication unit! Thanks to PTA we were able to purchase flash cards for each student to check out and bring home. We will send flash cards home with a multiplication log with the intent that students should practice 10-15 minutes each night. Fluency with these multiplication facts will help tremendously as we dive deeper into multiplication concepts throughout this year and beyond.

Deer Incident

Thank you for concerns regarding the Rattlesnake student who was hit by the buck this week. The information we have right now is that he is in Spokane and recovering. We do not know the extent of injuries yet, but students have been very respectful of his privacy and have even made sweet notes and cards to share upon his return.

SPARK Field Trip

Tomorrow morning is our SPARK field trip to the UM Dance Theater. Our bus will leave Rattlesnake at 9:00am and return before lunch.

Join our classroom Facebook group at
www.facebook.com/groups/3rdgradethoughts2019

VSCO Day

Students have earned a celebration for earning more than 150 minutes of "saved off task" time during our Good Behavior Game during the month of November. They voted and chose a VSCO party. In case you had to look this up like me, this means fashion choices might include oversized t-shirts, scrunchies, Birkenstocks, Crocs, Vans, Hydroflasks, "environmentally t-shirts", somewhat 80's style. Students may optionally choose to dress up on December 20th.