

Mrs. Duncan's February Newsletter

Please take a few minutes to read about the standards we are learning this month.

Math- This month we will be adding and subtracting mixed numbers, multiplying fractions by a whole number, and learning decimals to the hundredths place. We will also continue to review equivalent fractions and strategies to compare fractions.

Some of the students have passed all the multiplication levels through W! Please encourage your child to practice multiplication facts each night for ten minutes. By the end of this month, students should be on level S or higher. Timed multiplication tests are given each Tuesday and Thursday.

Science- This month we are learning about energy. The students will be learning that energy can be transformed from one type of energy to another. As part of this unit, students will be doing many hands-on activities. One activity they will be doing is making insulated containers for penguin ice cubes. They will also be making wind turbines.

At the end of our unit, I will be sending home a brief parent survey. It can be completed in five minutes or less. If all the surveys are returned, we will receive money for our classroom.

Upcoming Events: Thursday, February 8th- Family Bingo Night

February 16th- Valentine Party

February 19th- President's Day- No school

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me.