Mrs. Duncan’s

November Newsletter

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

**Math**- We have started a unit on long division. The students need to be able to divide a four-digit number by a one-digit number. It is very helpful if the students have their multiplication facts memorized. Please encourage your child to practice multiplication facts at home for ten minutes each night. Timed multiplication tests will continue to be given twice a week.

This quarter, homework will be sent home to reinforce skills we have learned in class. Please check your child’s assignment book each night.

**Science-** This month we will be learning about landforms, natural disasters, weathering and erosion. We will be doing many hands-on activities with this unit. The students will use toothpicks and marshmallows to create buildings that can withstand an earthquake. They will also be using sand trays to observe how weathering and erosion can change the Earth’s surface.

**Upcoming Events:** Parent Teacher Conferences- Nov. 7 , Nov. 9, and Nov. 14

 Thanksgiving break- Nov. 22-26

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.