



# Room 32 News

3<sup>rd</sup> Grade

## On the Road of Learning

### **Reading:** Theme: Friendship

Currently we are focused on reading realistic fiction, making connections to what we read, short vowel sounds, parts of speech, and subjects and predicates. Students have learned to select "just right books" from the class library, and they are reading independently every day.

### **Writing:** Paragraphs/Narratives

Over the next several weeks we will learn how to write paragraphs. We will start writing letters to our pen-pals at George Hall Elementary in San Mateo. Our focus this semester will be on narrative writing.

### **Math:** Unit 1

We have just finished Unit 1 about place value concepts to 10,000. We learned how to compare and order 4-digit numbers within 10,000. We also learned to round numbers. We are also practicing the basic multiplication facts daily.

### **Social Studies:** Physical Geography

Our current emphasis is on map skills, landforms, and the California regions.

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## Brake For These Events!

- Sept. 18 Picture Day
- Sept. 21 Pancake Breakfast  
8:30 - 10:30 AM
- Oct. 4 & 7 No School for Students



## Best of the Information Highway

### Basic Math Fast Facts

A great website for basic math fast facts printables - check it out!

<http://www.math-drills.com>



## Notes from the Teacher:

We are off to a great start. I look forward to meeting with each of you during conference week in November. For safety reasons please be sure to notify the school office of any changes in attendance, including late arrival, early pick-ups, and absences as soon as possible. Also, for any changes in your child's official dismissal plan please send me note. If it is late in the day please call the office. I have posted some great field trips I would like to take the students to on Apple-For-the-Teacher. Thanks for your support!



## Schedule Highlights



**Monday** - Computer Lab 9:05-9:40  
P.E. 2:50-3:25

**Tuesday** - P.E. 9:45-10:15

**Wednesday** - Library Buddies 1:35-2:05

**Thursday** - Library 9:05-9:35  
P.E. 2:15-2:45

**Friday** - Music 9:45-10:15

