



MRS. HENNEBAUL'S HOWLER



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Weekly Update

Specials for next week

- Monday—Art
- Tuesday—P.E.
- Wednesday—Music
- Thursday—Math
- Friday—Science

**Remember to dress
your child in
sneakers/tennis
shoes on P.E. days.**



Library check-out is Wednesdays.



Writing: We decorated our writer's notebooks and are still adding sections to it.

Reading: We're reading and responding to comprehension questions about *Gooney Bird Greene*. It is a class read aloud and we will take a quiz on the first two chapters this week.

Grammar: - We're focusing on proper nouns and what needs to be capitalized.

Math: We played Salute and looked for the missing addend. They created their own "challenge" game where they played with three addends. We are opening our unit on place value and reviewing fact families from first grade.

Social Studies: We wrote and illustrated vocabulary cards about the regions of Georgia. We'll go more in-depth about what we find in each region this week.



Things to do at home:

Homework:

Spelling—Tic-Tac-Toe spelling Week 2 (Due Friday)

Grammar—Photo Sentences sheet. Command sheet.

Poetry Notebooks—Come home Thursday and due Friday.

Agendas Needed

If you haven't ordered your child's agenda, please go to mypaymentsplus.com to do so. It is \$7.00 and an important tool for teaching your child responsibility for their assignments. If you need financial assistance to purchase one we may be able to offer some options for you. Headphones are also included in mypaymentsplus.com.

Daily Language and Math

Each student has a booklet with practice pages we complete and correct as a class each morning. I'm sending their practice pages from last week and a quiz they took on those pages. I did not record the grades so they could have a chance to see what the quiz will be. Please look over your child's quiz and compare to their practice pages to see if they were following along and making corrections. The quiz questions are the identical items from the booklet.

Media Center Volunteers

Mrs. Roark is looking for volunteers in the media center. If you are interested in helping out a few hours for regular library duties or for the Scholastic Book Fair please contact her at: Amy_Roark@gwinnett.k12.ga.us

Mark your calendar:

August 26th—Visitors allowed for lunch

August 30—September 5th—Scholastic Book Fair

Accelerated Reader

Your child took a placement test and received their Accelerated Reader (AR) level this week. You received a letter telling how to follow your child's AR activity online. I'm sending a note on Monday with their AR level for you to pursue when you're checking out books from the public library. Any AR test out there is available in our library (thanks to our PTA)! You can also visit www.arbookfind.com to check any books you may have at home. Our first nine week goal is 50 class points which means everyone will contribute to a class reward. The next nine week goals will be personalized and will earn individual rewards.

Classroom Volunteers

I have several opportunities for classroom help this year. Please look at the list and email me with anything you might be interested to doing. We can arrange a routine schedule for you or put you in when you have a free morning here or there.

General Clerical—cutting, stapling, making booklets, laminating, copying, etc.

Hallway Display—Do you have an eye for decorating?

Classroom help—Math (9:15am—10:00am) or Literacy (10:00am—11:45am)

