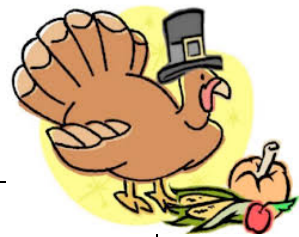


1L's Weekly News - Week of November 17th



Dates to Remember:

- * This Wednesday, November 19th is Math Night at Dwight. I will be there with a fun game ready to go! Hope to see lots of 1L families! ☺
- * The Book Fair is at Dwight this week. We will preview the fair on Tuesday and then shop for books on Thursday, November 20th from 10:00-10:20.
- * On Wednesday, December 3rd, Dwight's first graders are heading to the Bridgeport Cabaret Theater to see Peter Pan. We are leaving Dwight around 10:45 and will return around 2:00. Students will need to bring **lunch from home** this day (no peanut butter or peanuts please). Please pack lunches in disposable bags clearly labeled with your child's name.
- * *Save the Date!* Our Gingerbread House celebration will take place on Friday, December 12th from 9:45-11:00. All parents are invited to attend! A letter with more information will be coming home in your child's folder shortly.

Reader's Workshop:

Our readers have been hard at work reading nonfiction! This week we'll talk about how to solve tricky words in nonfiction books.

Writer's Workshop:

In Writer's Workshop we will continue our nonfiction unit of study. Ask your writer about his/her favorite part of writing expert books!

Math:

This week in Math we will discuss subtraction and use math racks to help us solve story problems. We'll also learn a fun new math game to help us practice our math facts!

Word Work:

* Our new Word Wall Words are: **back, get, had, he, him.**

Science/Social Studies:

- * Last week we welcomed Ms. Crowley to talk to us about her job as a social worker. She shared how she talks with kids about feelings and read us a fun book about feelings and moods! Thank you for coming in to visit 1L!
- * If you are still interested in coming in between now and our winter break to talk about your role in our community, please let me know!
- * This week in Tech Time in the LMC students will use a program called Neighborhood Map Machine to create their own communities. Ask your first grader which place in his/her community is the most important place!

Odds and Ends:

* Now that the colder weather is upon us, please remember to send your child in with winter weather wear including gloves and hats. Students participate in outdoor recess as often as possible. Thanks!