

CLASSROOM NEWS

Week of November 12, 2019

WEEK AHEAD

Happy Tuesday, families!

Somehow, the weeks have flown and it's been a while since our last newsletter. I apologize for the delay! I hope you all enjoyed a wonderful Veterans' Day weekend. Last week, our class spent time learning about what poppies symbolize thanks to Moina Belle Michael, and we drew our own in honor of Veterans' Day. Our class also wanted to extend its gratitude to those who have served or are currently serving, not only at Veterans' Day but everyday.

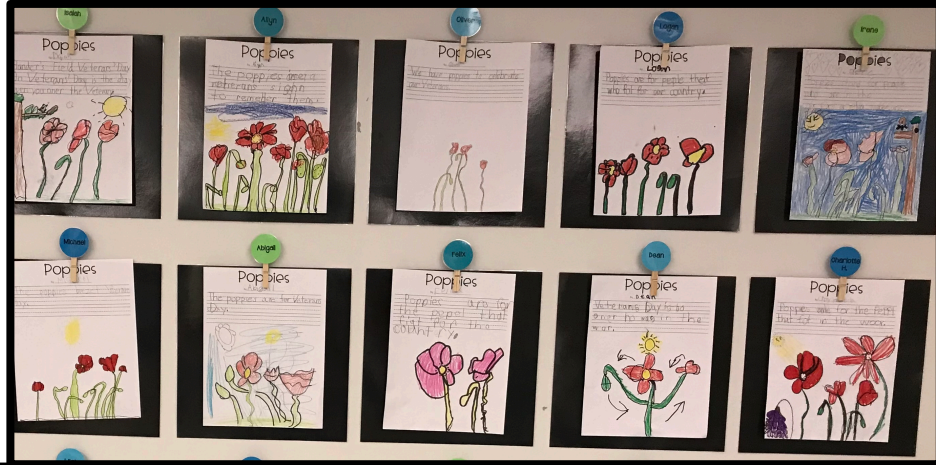
This week, we are working hard to build, model, and identify 3-digit numbers. We will work with standard- and expanded-forms, and students will draw quick pictures to represent these numbers. The class also logged into Epic for the first time, which is a fantastic resource of online books, audiobooks, videos, and more! It can be accessed through our class website by clicking on the student links tab. If using it at home, students must type the code **ddn1214** in order to find their account. In social studies, we are kicking off our study of map skills. We will learn about the compass rose and cardinal directions. Have a great week!

- Mrs. Mare

SPELLING

Last week, we wrapped up our first unit covering digraphs and blends. This week, we will be working on glued sounds and bonus letters. These include words like *stall*, *toss*, *miss*, and *ill*. Students will practice when they need to double letters after short vowels and when they don't.

A few of the beautiful poppies!



IMPORTANT DATES

11/14 Picture retake day
11/15 Candy Bar Bingo @ 6:30pm
11/27 – 11/29 Thanksgiving break!

ODDS & ENDS

- Please sign our take-home calendars each night that a student reads 20+ minutes