Hello!

*This week in math the students reviewed Module 2 and took the End of Module 2 Assessment. The students started Module 3 and reviewed perimeter (add all the sides) and area (length X width or count the squares), found an unknown side or both sides with a given area or perimeter. Next week we will solve multiplicative comparison word problems (twice as wide, four times as long, etc.), perimeter and area multi-step word problems, learn patterns for multiplying by 10, 100, 1,000, and multiply by two-digit multiples of 10.

-Every student should complete <u>xtramath.org</u> at least 4 times every week. It is very important that the students learn their basic facts.

*What a fun week in ELA. We are finishing The Tiger Rising. The students have loved it, as have I. You should have received a paper yesterday explaining our celebration for the book- Whittling with Ivory soap. Please make sure you have your child complete the steps explained on the paper and bring in the soap by Friday the 9th. If for some reason you cannot please let me know as soon as possible. Almost everyone turned in grammar yesterday which is impressive. Thank you! Keep them coming. Same with the reading log. You may have noticed that in Infinite Campus there are more reading grades. We are using read works to work on our nonfiction skills. There are questions that each child needs to answer. These are graded and recorded.

*This week in Science the students have been learning about earthquakes. We have watched a couple of videos, completed some earthquake papers. Next week we will continue to learn about fast changes to our Earth's surface.

*In Social Studies we are finishing up Early Americans. I will send home the project assignment next week.

*Thank you to all of the parents that planned, helped, and/or donated items. The students enjoyed their Halloween parties!

*Thank you to all of the parents that came Tuesday night. If you have not been in for conferences you have another opportunity Thursday, Nov. 8. Please come between 4:00-5:40 or between 6:25-8:00.

*Many students are asking to borrow pencils and pens. Please ask your child if they need any supplies at school. THANK YOU!!

*PLEASE make sure your child has a working pair of headphones at school every day. We use our Chrome books every day and they need to hear the sound without disrupting their classmates.

Upcoming events-

Nov. 6 - No School - Election Day

Nov. 8 - Conferences 4-8pm

Nov. 9 - Picture Retake Day

Next week-Monday- Day 3 Tuesday- NO SCHOOL Wednesday- Day 4 Thursday- Day 5 Friday- Day 6

Don't hesitate to get in touch with us with any questions or concerns. Have a great weekend!

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