

Miss Backe's Newsletter

Monday, December 1

- ❑ **Math:** Home Link 4-5 (Measuring with a Ruler)
- ❑ **Reading:** Read for 15 min and sign Reading Log
- ❑ **Word Works:** Packet sent home today; do one page per night

Tuesday, December 2

- ❑ **Math:** Half hour and hour worksheet
- ❑ **Reading:** Read for 15 min and sign Reading Log
- ❑ **Word Works:** Do one page of packet

Wednesday, December 3

- ❑ **Math** Home Link 4-7 (Domino Dots)
- ❑ **Reading:** Read for 15 min and sign Reading Log
- ❑ **Word Works:** Do one page of packet

Thursday, December 4

- ❑ **Math:** Home Link 4-8 (Telling Time)
- ❑ **Reading:** Read for 15 min and sign Reading Log
- ❑ **Word Works:** Do one page of packet (due tomorrow)

Friday, December 5

- ❑ **Math:** None
- ❑ **Reading:** Read at home for 15 min
- ❑ **Word Works:** Test today

Sunday Night

- ❑ I have read each night this weekend and filled out my Reading Log.
- ❑ My behavior calendar has been signed.

Reading Focus Words

These are the weekly words that go with our Journey's story for the week. Students do not need to know how to spell these words, but they should be able to read them by the end of the week.

blue, cold, far, little, live, their, water, where

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me. You can reach me at (219) 947-7869 ext 8540 or email me at

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Class Website:

1. Log onto www.hobart.k12.in.us
2. Click on Schools, then Joan Martin.
3. Click on Teacher Webs.
4. Find my name and click on it.

Word Wall Words: December 1 – December 5

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| 1. that | 7. math |
| 2. then | 8. thin |
| 3. this | 9. he |
| 4. them | 10. in |
| 5. with | 11. the |
| 6. bath | 12. it |



Important Reminders

- Progress Reports were sent home Monday, December 1st. Please sign and return the slip attached as soon as possible.
- If you are having your student participate in the Pizza Hut Book-It program, November sheets are due on Wednesday, December 3rd.
- If you are interested in the December Scholastic Book Order, please send your check and order form or order online by Wednesday, December 3rd.

Weekly Learning Goals

Reading:

- I can recognize and read the Reading Focus Words.
- I can use spell and read short vowel words.
- I can spell and read using the digraph "th".
- I can identify the author's purpose and find supporting details.
- I can read a story and answer questions about it.
- I can read a nonfiction text.
- I can identify and write proper nouns.

Math:

- I can measure using standard rulers and tape measures.
- I can tell time to the hour and half hour.
- I can tell time to the quarter hour.

Writing:

- I can use correct capitalization and punctuation.
- I can write a narrative story with a beginning, middle, and end.
- I can use a "fancy" word in my writing.
- I can write a story with many details and describing words.