

Miss Backe's Newsletter

Monday, November 17

- ❑ **Math:** Practice Test
- ❑ **Reading:** Read for 15 min and sign Reading Log
- ❑ **Word Works:** Packet sent home/do one page

Tuesday, November 18

- ❑ **Math:** None – Test today
- ❑ **Reading:** Read for 15 min and sign Reading Log
- ❑ **Word Works:** Work on one page on packet

Wednesday, November 19

- ❑ **Math** Home Link 4-1 (Reading Thermometers)
Both sides
- ❑ **Reading:** Read for 15 min and sign Reading Log
- ❑ **Word Works:** Work on one page on packet

Thursday, November 20

- ❑ **Math:** Home Link 4-2 (Measuring w/Hand Spans)
- ❑ **Reading:** Read for 15 min and sign Reading Log
- ❑ **Word Works:** Work on one page on packet

Friday, November 21

- ❑ **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.

eat, give, one, put, small, take

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.

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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Word Wall Words: November 17 – November 21

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| 1. us | 7. bun |
| 2. sun | 8. hut |
| 3. but | 9. what |
| 4. fun | 10. when |
| 5. bus | 11. were |
| 6. run | 12. you |



Important Reminders

- There will be a "Save My Turkey" homework sheet coming home this week. Please read the directions and complete the assignment by Wednesday, November 26th.
- The Simple Pon fundraiser ends November 21st.

Weekly Learning Goals

Reading:

- I can read one-syllable short vowel words with ending consonant blends such as "lump, pump, bent".
- I can recognize and read the Reading Focus Words.
- I can describe characters, setting, and major events.
- I can read a fantasy story and poetry.
- I can tell the difference between a nonfiction and fiction story.
- I can use articles (a, an, the).

Math:

- I can identify patterns in numbers and continue the pattern using Frames and Arrows.
- I can count pennies, nickels, and dimes.
- I can tell time to the hour and half hour.
- I can read a thermometer.
- I can measure using nonstandard objects.

Writing:

- I can write a letter.
- I can write a persuasive letter.
- I can write about my opinion.
- I can use correct capitalization and punctuation.