

Miss Backe's Newsletter

Monday, October 27 (NO SCHOOL)

- ❑ **Math:** None
- ❑ **Reading:** Read for 10 min and sign Reading Log
- ❑ **Word Works:** None

Tuesday, October 28

- ❑ **Math:** Home Link 3-5 (Number Lines and Counting Patterns)
- ❑ **Reading:** Read for 10 min and sign Reading Log
- ❑ **Word Works:** Packet sent home/do one page

Wednesday, October 29

- ❑ **Math:** Home Link 3-6 (More Number Line Hops)
- ❑ **Reading:** Read for 10 min and sign Reading Log
- ❑ **Word Works:** Work on one page on packet

Thursday, October 30

- ❑ **Math:** Home Link 3-7 (Half-Hour)
- ❑ **Reading:** Read for 10 min and sign Reading Log
- ❑ **Word Works:** Work on one page on packet

Friday, October 31

- ❑ **Math:** None
- ❑ **Reading:** Read at home for 10 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.

animal, how, make, of, some, why

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: October 27 – October 31

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| 1. in | 7. hill |
| 2. will | 8. fix |
| 3. did | 9. all |
| 4. sit | 10. be |
| 5. six | 11. have |
| 6. big | 12. by |



Important Reminders

- ❖ The end of the 1st Quarter was last Thursday. Report cards will be sent home Monday, November 3rd.
- ❖ We will be having our Halloween party on Friday, October 31st from 1:45-2:45. Please send an appropriate costume **in the morning** in a bag/backpack. Your child will not be allowed to wear their costume if it is not appropriate for school. Please practice how to put on the costume with your child before the party. It should preferably be able to slip over their clothes, but if not they may change in the restroom.
- ❖ **As part of the 2nd quarter, students are now required to read for 15 minutes a night.**
- ❖ If you are having your child participate in the Pizza Hut Book It program, the October forms will be due Monday, November 3rd. They need to be entirely filled in and signed. November forms will come home this Friday.
- ❖ If you are interested in the November Scholastic Book Order, order forms and a check are due by Wednesday, November 5th.

Weekly Learning Goals

Reading:

- I can read one-syllable short i words with beginning consonant r-blends ("dr, cr, tr, gr") such as "drip" and "crib".
- I can recognize and read the Reading Focus Words.
- I can ask and answer questions about a text.
- I can read nonfiction text and understand its features.
- I can identify the main idea and key details in a story.
- I can use commas in dates and to separate a series of words.

Math:

- I can make patterns with numbers and shapes.
- I can identify odd and even numbers.
- I can skip count by using a number grid.
- I can tell time to the hour and half hour.

Writing:

- I can use good fancy words in my stories.
- I can write a story with a beginning, middle, and end.
- I can add punctuation and capital letters to my stories.