



## Ms. B.'s Newsletter August 29-September 2, 2016

### News and Notes:

- We have made it through another week with flying colors! Congratulations to ALL of us! :^)
- On that same note, we get a REST on Labor Day, which will be a school holiday! This is Monday, September 5th.
- SAVE THE DATE: October 21st, all day! This is a field trip to Lanark Nature Center in Millbrook. This is a super trip and a great one for dads to enjoy if they're available. All parents are welcome and encourage to come.  
<https://www.alabamawildlife.org/lanark/>
- Please try to make time to check the green "Daily Work" folder each day for work done at school. This is work you can review with your child and also check for accuracy. These are good study tools for tests.
- Remember to sign the graded work in the "return to school" side of the Tuesday folder, as well. This tells me you've seen it. Be sure to remove all work in the "keep" side and save the important study notes, etc. It's a great practice to have a folder or special place to keep these all together.
- Tonight is a home football game! Come out and support the team with the ACA family! We went to part of the pep rally and the kids are very excited about it. There was an athletic pass for your child attached to the folder you received at the beginning of the year. We always remind our children to remove their hats and be still and quiet during the pledge, prayer, and song.
- The home game on September 30th will be Elementary Night.
- If you pass the bird food at Walmart or someplace cheap, we can always use wild bird food! The birds eat it quickly in our window, and my class, (as well as all other elementary classes), really enjoy watching them eat! :^) Don't get parrot or "exotic" food. Just the cheap wild bird food works best. Thanks! And thanks so much to all who have sent snacks! That is a huge help!

Subject Content for the week:

Reading:

Story- "Henry and Mudge" **Test Friday, September 2**

Vocabulary: children, different, ears, finally, hundred, short, eighty

Spelling: **Test Friday, September 2**

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| 1. same  | 11. mistake   |
| 2. kite  | 12. bedtime   |
| 3. home  | 13. homemade  |
| 4. plate | 14. classmate |
| 5. ride  | 15. notepad   |
| 6. rope  |               |
| 7. race  |               |
| 8. rule  |               |
| 9. broke |               |
| 10. tune |               |

Robust Words: **Test Friday, September 2**

1. Soaked-completely wet
2. Blockades-prevents or keeps you from getting in someplace
3. Misplaced-in the wrong place
4. Principles-what you believe about wrong and right
5. Deny-don't give someone what they have asked for
6. Consider-think carefully
7. Opinionated-strong ideas about something

Math: **Test Tuesday, September 2** covering lessons 1 through 12. (Watch Daily Work folder each day for most of these lessons to come home. This will help you prepare your child for the test).

Science: Complete Animal unit; **Test Tuesday, September 2**

Social Studies: Begin Unit Two, The World Around Us. Notes will come home in an upcoming Tuesday folder.

Bible: The Bible test is Wednesday, August 31st.

### **Bible Basics Notes**

1. The Bible is God's book.
2. The Bible has 2 parts
3. The first part is the Old Testament.
4. The second part is the New Testament.
5. The Bible has 66 books.
6. The Old Testament has 39 books.
7. The New Testament has 27 books.
8. The first book of the Bible is Genesis.
9. The last book of the Bible is Revelation.
10. The first book of the New Testament is Matthew.

### **Memory Verse for August (Recite Wednesday, August 31st)**

"If you believe, you will receive whatever you ask for in prayer." Matthew 21:22

For your consideration:

"The more you read, the more you know. The more you know, the more you grow."

Jim Trelease, The Read-Aloud Handbook

**HAVE A BLESSED AND PEACEFUL WEEKEND!**