

# Emerald Room

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## Homework:

The student's annotations in the planners should reflect the following pattern.

**Reading** : 30 minutes/day

Summaries should reflect your child's grasp for events, feelings, and cause and effect situations in the book. This indicates understanding and comprehension of the story they are reading.

## Vocabulary Homework

Wordly Wise 3000:

Monday 10/3 - Complete lessons 4 "A" and make flash cards.

Tuesday 10/4 - Complete lessons 4 "B" & make a list of synonyms and antonyms.

Wednesday 10/5 - Complete lessons 4 "C" and "D"

Thursday 10/6 - Complete lesson 4 "E"

Monday 10/10 - Review lesson 5 "A" and flash cards. Write sentences using first five words on the list.

Tuesday 10/11 - Review list of synonyms and antonyms, as well as lesson 4 "B". Write sentences using words 6-10 on the list.

Wednesday 10/11 - Review lesson 4 "C" and "D." Write sentences using words 11-15 on the list.

Thursday 10/12 - Review lesson 4"E"

**Math** - Develop proficiency in recalling and stating One Minute Math Facts to advance to the next level.

**Walk-a-Thon** - We appreciate your support making the big event a success



## Students Are Working On:

Character development trait - Responsibility

**Math** -We have a diverse group and are covering topical areas from place value to the millions all the way to fractions and decimal numbers. In geometry, we are covering perimeter, area as well as measuring angles. We have also been covering reading scales, data collection and organization.

**Language** - The All About Me papers gave us a good start for writing paragraphs. We were able to discuss presentations as they made them. There was a wide variation of projects which gave the students a chance to consider different ideas of how to make a presentation work out well. We will continue covering parts of speech with the study of the noun.

## Cultural:

We have begun our rotation. The 5<sup>th</sup> graders are studying the solar system and space. The 4<sup>th</sup> graders are in different groups; one studying Rocks and Minerals and the other is studying California Geography

## Upcoming Dates:

9/30/11 Walk-a-Thon

10/7/11 Rocknasium Field Trip

10/12-14/11 Parent Conferences

10/17/11 Red Ribbon Week

10/19/11 School Picture Day

Sign-up for Parent/Teacher conferences is outside the classroom.

*Mr. Ken, & Ms. Michelle*