

Dear Parents,

Things are moving right along here in the fifth grade.

We are discussing the ways we worship God in Religion class. There will be a quiz on Thursday over the material the children highlighted in their Religion workbook.

In Math the children are reviewing multiplication, division, and simple fractions. If your child is having trouble with their facts, please work with them on this. It makes it so difficult to divide or to find the least common multiple if a child is struggling with the basic facts.

We have begun our first story in our reader. The children have all had an opportunity to read orally and to listen to the vocabulary reader on the CD. The children have been reading three of the “little books” and have been assigned several questions per book. This is to be completed in the reading notebook and it is due on Friday. We have been working on the types of sentences, short vowel sounds, and base words in our English. The children will have a Spelling test on Friday over the first Spelling list and the months of the year.

There will be a retest tomorrow in Social Studies for the children who had difficulty naming the five regions of the U.S. and identifying two states in each of the regions. They will also need to know two renewable and two non-renewable resources and the definition of ecosystem, environment, climate, and region.

Please read the items found in today’s folder. You will find information about sweatshirt ordering, Open House, the Fall Festival, and the scrip program.

If you have any questions or concerns, please give me a call at 325-2913 or email me at mjmgillespie@hotmail.com.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Gillespie