

Mrs. Marshall & Mrs. Bruner October 21, 2019

Math

We will continue to work on multiplying one-digit by three-digit numbers this week. You may be most familiar with the Shortcut method for multiplying. It seems to be the quickest form, but students can choose any method that makes sense and is working for them.

***Please practice multiplication facts with your child! It is very important that students know the facts in order to move into multiplying bigger numbers.

Language Arts

Our third unit in LA is called Observing Nature. This week we will read two realistic fiction pieces and discuss how different writers respond to nature. We will also be working on a narrative writing piece.

This week we will start reading a class novel called <u>Island of the Blue Dolphins</u>. It's a story of a native girl who gets stranded on one of our local islands hundreds of years ago. We will study each chapter of this book for the next few months.

<u>Science</u>

We are continuing our wrap up of the Birth of Rocks! It's been fun learning about the Earth.

Social Studies

Last week we learned about the different regions of California and this week we will learn about the different industries in those regions.

<u>PE</u>

Tennis is amazing! If you want to come out and hit balls with us on Tuesdays and Thursdays the next few weeks, we are playing from 12:15-12:45.

Other Stuff

- *This is DUDE BE NICE! Week!
- *Friday is CRAZY HAIR DAY and ORANGE you glad you're an Upstander Day!
- *The week of Oct. 28 is Fall Break.