



# HOORAY FOR THIRD GRADE!

## NEWS FROM MRS. KEHOE

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**St. Joseph School is a Catholic community that helps all persons grow to the fulness of their potential in faith and knowledge.**

### What We Are Learning:

**Math:** The class will continue to practice addition for test on Thursday. Next, the class will begin to practice subtraction.

**Reading.** Students this week is beginning a new unit, called City Wildlife. The first story the students are reading is, "The Boy Who Didn't Believe in Spring." The class will study the concepts of visualizing, classify and categories, and summarizing. The vocabulary words are: crops, decorated, vacant, mound, and patch. Test on Friday.

**Spelling.** The class will study words with the /ar/ sound. The students also are studying antonyms this week. The words are: bare, dare, fare, share, hair, fair, glare, chair, bear, wear, air, car, dark, apartments, started, crops, decorated, vacant, mound, and patch. If students, receive 100% on Thursday's pretest they will not have to take the test on Friday.

**Social Studies.** The students will continue to learn about the fur trade. Next, the class will learn about Father Marquette and how he began two settlements.

**Science.** The class will continue to study about the different forests. The students will also receive a chapter review this week.

**English.** The students will review for test this week. Next, the class will learn about nouns.

**Religion.** The students will learn about the early church this week.

**Discipline policy:** The students each have two sticks in a pocket on the board. They will receive one warning (homework or behavior) before a stick is removed. If a student loses their two sticks per day, I will contact you about your child's behavior that day.

### Teacher Talk:

10/21 Computer, Pizza Sale Pickup  
10/22 Art, Gym, class T-shirt, End of first quarter, Conference Sign Up goes out,  
10/23 Gym, Adoration, Library, picture retakes  
10/24 Art, Spelling pretest, Math Test  
10/25 Mass, Computer, Spelling, Reading Tests, Halloween Fun Night  
10/31 Free Halloween Lunch, Jeans Day  
11/01 Half Day dismissal at 11:30

### Upcoming Events:

Please practice 15 minutes every night on Math facts with your child.

Please look at your child's planbook, check it, and initial each night. I will check for your initial and any notes.

### Celebrate!

Thank you for teaching your children about gifts to the church. If your students brings money to school, I will put into a children's envelope with their name and amount. Your child will put the envelope in the basket at Mass. Thank you for your donation.