

1st Grade News

February 21st - February 25th

Math Lessons 6.1-6.4

Equivalent Names, Fact Families,
Fact Triangles

6.1 The Addition/Subtraction Facts Table

Students will be exploring patterns in sums of 2 dice:
Students will be introduced to Addition/Subtraction Facts Ta-



6.2 Equivalent Names

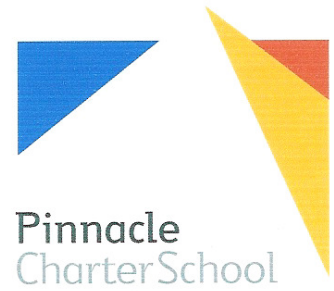
Students will be introduced to name collection boxes
Devices for collecting equivalent names for num-

6.3 Fact Families

Students will be introduced to
Fact Families.

6.4 Fact Triangles

Students will be introduced to Fact Triangles



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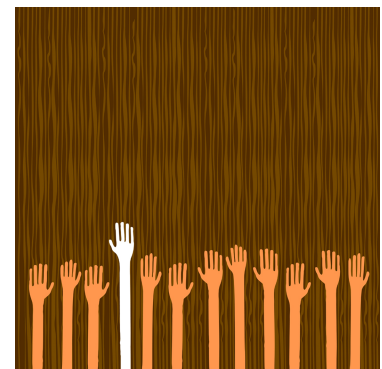
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WEEKLY REMINDERS:



- Friday, February 25th:
Spelling and Reading Assessments
- Feb 22-25 is Cultural Celebration Week
- Thursday, 2/24 is Culture Night.... Please be on the look out for more info!



Science and Social Studies

Social Studies– We will begin our unit on maps and map skills. The children will practice using a compass rose and learning the cardinal directions. Children will complete activities and experiments in class, you can reinforce this at home by: showing and discussing which way your house faces, if your car is equipped with a compass– pointing it out, using street signs that show directions, etc. Thanks for your continued help and support at home.



ELA/Communication

Story “A Bed Full of Cats” by Holly Keller

Students will read a realistic fiction story called “A Bed Full of Cats.” This story is about a boy who’s cat leaves home for a while, but comes back with a surprise. Students will also work with the “long e” using e, ee and ea spelling patterns. The students will continue their work with proper nouns focusing on holidays.

Spelling Words (Test is on Friday 2/25)

1. me
2. mean
3. bean
4. be
5. beet
6. feet
7. low
8. road
9. who
10. door

High Frequency Words

1. also
2. know
3. moved
4. only
5. room
6. should
7. those
8. write

FYI...

Come join us Thursday, February 24, 2011, from 6-8pm for Culture Night at Pinnacle Charter School. There will be many events going on to celebrate!



