

A PEEK AT OUR WEEK

Your 5th Grade Newsletter
February 1-5, 2021



Skills/Topics & Tests

	Topics / Skills	Upcoming Tests & Quizzes
Reading	Unit 5: The Renaissance (Lessons 1-3) Skill: Inferences	*ELA Homework QUIZ every Monday.
Grammar	Subject-Verb Agreement in Past Tense	
Writing	*Paraphrasing *Informational/Explanatory Writing	
Spelling	ROOTS: <u>dict</u> : say, declare; <u>scrib/script</u> : write; <u>graph/gram</u> : write, draw, describe, record	*Spelling QUIZ every Thursday.
Math	Students find the VOLUME of rectangular prisms and composite figures by counting cubes and/or applying the two volume formulas.	*Homework QUIZ every Monday. *Dividing Fractions TEST on Tuesday, February 2 nd . Students received a study guide on 1/28.
Science	Unit 3: Matter	
S.S.	Chapter 14: The Civil Rights Movement and Presidency of John F. Kennedy	

Announcements/Reminders

***QUARANTINE:** If you ever have any questions about when you should/should not quarantine, there is a document on our webpage that explains the process in detail.

***VALENTINE'S DAY:** You may send in cards and/or individually wrapped, store-bought treats. Envelopes are NOT allowed. We have 21 students in our class. To ensure proper safety precautions, all Valentine's treats/cards are due on February 4th. Late treats/cards will not be accepted. Deliveries will NOT be allowed this year. Thank you for your cooperation.

***SPRING PICTURES:** Pics will be taken on 2/2. Distance Learners' pics will be taken from 8:00-8:30. There are no make-ups for these pictures.



Spelling Words

dictate: to speak or read something to a person who writes it down; to decree

contradict: to say the opposite of something that someone else has said; to deny the truth

edict: an official order given by a person with power or by a government

autobiography: a person's life story written by that person

telegram: a message sent by telegraph and then delivered in written or printed form; sometimes referred to as a wire or cable

calligraphy: the art of making beautiful handwriting

graphic: shown or described in a very clear way, used especially to refer to things that are unpleasant or shocking

inscription: words that are written on or cut into a surface

transcript: a written, printed, or typed copy of words that have been spoken

prescription: a written message from a doctor that officially tells a patient what medicine to take

Wish List

Quart-Size Ziplocs with Zippers, Solo Cups,
Warheads, Ring Pops, Blow Pops

IC&S Vision for Literacy

- ★ Tipton County students will become critical readers, writers, and thinkers who are self-directed in their learning.
 - ★ Tipton County teachers will facilitate student-directed learning and develop strong readers by effectively implementing a high-quality literacy curriculum that aligns to the science of reading.
1. Explicit instruction of phonics and foundational skills in K-2.
 2. High-quality texts that systematically build background knowledge.
 3. A deep focus of textual evidence and the comprehension of texts' key ideas and details.

February Birthdays

Emma-Lynn W. 2/8
Presley H. 2/16
Bryson H. 2/18
LaKendriya L. 2/21
Jordan S. 2/21
Annabelle S. 2/23
Mrs. Brittany Smith 2/23
Hanna R. 2/24



Resources

atokadreamteam.weebly.com
Family Learning Center - 475-5967

The mission of Atoka Elementary School is to create a challenging learning environment that provides students for college and career readiness through academic, behavioral, and social achievement.