

Homework & Parent Announcements: Mrs. Renz & Mrs. Zistel

Jan. 6-13 Homework is due Friday, Jan. 13

Student _____ # _____

Writing Contest – Keep working on the children’s book illustrations. January 13th the book is checked for illustrations. The entire book with illustrations is due Thursday, January 19th. Book Author Celebration 2:40 pm. Parents, come see the amazing writing of our students!

CALENDAR DATES

- Jan. 9-13 Mrs. Zistel’s class: State OAKS Reading and Math test. Be sure your child has breakfast and is well rested.
- Jan. 11 Wed. Discovery Quest speeches for students # 1-10.
- Jan. 13 Fri. Students show their writing book to Mrs. Zistel to check progress towards completing illustrations.
- Jan. 13 Fri. State Project Slide Show – slides 6 & 7 due (this is completed at school but notes may be taken at home)
- Jan. 17-20 Mrs. Renz’ class: State OAKS Reading and Math test. Be sure your child has breakfast and is well rested.
- Jan. 18 Wed. Discovery Quest speeches for students # 11-20.
- Jan. 19 Thurs. Entire book needs to be completed including illustrations.
- Jan. 19 Thurs. Book Author Celebration 2:40 pm. Parents, come see the amazing writing of our students!
- Jan. 25 Wed. Discovery Quest speeches for students # 21-32.

NOTES	<i>Mrs. Zistel’s class is taking the OAKS test all this week and Mrs. Renz’ class is testing next week. Get lots of rest, eat a good breakfast each day and be ready to do your best thinking.</i>			
Writing	Illustrate your book’s final copy p. 15-16	Illustrate your book’s final copy p.17-18	Illustrate your book’s final copy p.19-20	Finish all illustrations in your book. <i>Bring your book to school tomorrow.</i>
Discovery Quest Speech	This Wednesday, students # 1-10 will give their January speech. The topic I chose to talk about is # _____			
Math Challenge	Math Problems of the Week #414. This is an extra credit challenge. Students may choose do as many problems as they can solve. Note that this is not required.			

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DISCOVERY QUEST SPEECH - JANUARY TOPICS
→ Circle the topic you will talk about. ←
<i>1. Discover a way to make the new year your best ever - in school or at home. Share your resolution(s) and the reason you chose it/them.</i>
<i>2. Discover the planet, Mars. Learn all about Mars and tell what scientists have learned in recent years.</i>
<i>3. Discover the Civil Rights Movement or one of the famous people involved in it, such as Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Rosa Parks, or Rev. Abernathy.</i>
<i>4. Discover where the months of the year got their names. Do they have special meanings that fit the seasons?</i>

Speech Notes and Ideas: _____

