

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

## October 7-13, 2011

→ Homework is due **Thursday, October 13** (no school Friday)

Student \_\_\_\_\_ # \_\_\_\_\_

### PARENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Field Trip Fee** - Please return the \$13 field trip fee by Monday, Oct. 10. Thank you.

**Inventerprise** – Keep working on your project all during the month of October. Project presentations are Monday, Nov. 7.

**Fun Run** - Please return any Fun Run Pledges in the envelope as soon as possible. Thank you for your support of our school and students in our fundraiser. ☺

### CALENDAR DATES

- Oct. 10 Mon. Field trip \$13 due
- Oct. 12 Wed. Discovery Quest Speeches for students 11-20
- Oct. 14 Fri. No School
- Oct. 19 Wed. Discovery Quest Speeches for students 21-31
- Oct. 21 Fri. School Picture Day
- Nov. 1 Tues. FIELD TRIP: Oregon State University
- Nov. 7 Mon. Inventerprise projects due – Presentation Day
- Nov. 15-18 Conferences
- Nov. 17 & 18 No school for students (conferences)



	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
Reading	Read 15 minutes. Summarize & find vocabulary words. Record on the sheet.	Read 15 minutes. Summarize & find vocabulary words. Record on the sheet.	Read 15 minutes. Summarize & find vocabulary words. Record on the sheet.
Math	Do one of these choices: 1) Do 30 problems on the math sheet 2) With parent permission, log on and practice on <a href="http://www.XTRAmath.org">www.XTRAmath.org</a>	Do one of these choices: 1) Do 30 problems on the math sheet 2) With parent permission, log on and practice on <a href="http://www.XTRAmath.org">www.XTRAmath.org</a>	Do one of these choices: 1) Do 40 problems on the math sheet 2) With parent permission, log on and practice on <a href="http://www.XTRAmath.org">www.XTRAmath.org</a>
Science	Re-read the Inventerprise project directions.	Talk with your family about your project idea.	Fill out the Inventerprise homework sheet.
Extra Credit Math Challenge	Math Problems of the Week #405. This is an extra credit challenge. Students may choose do as many problems as they can solve. Note that this is not required.		
Parent Signature	My child read for _____ minutes this week. He/she has completed the homework packet. Parent signature: _____ <i>Required to earn \$</i>		

Stay in touch and have a great week!

Mrs. Zistel and Mrs. Renz

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## DISCOVERY QUEST SPEECH - OCTOBER TOPICS

1. Discover your special "places to love," and tell us why you love being there. You might share something you have that reminds you of that place.
2. Discover a career that interests you that requires science, math, or both. Tell us about it.
3. It is not too early to begin thinking of which college you would like to attend. Tell us about two different colleges or universities and what you could study there, and then tell us why going to school there interests you.
4. Next month we will honor our veterans on Veteran's Day. What is a veteran? Learn about it, and then tell the class about a veteran you know and her or her contributions to our country.
5. Tell about a current event or something

### Reading Strategy: Summarize

**Summary:** Use 2-3 sentences to summarize what you read tonight. Give the main idea of what happened in the story.

**Vocabulary:** Find two interesting words from your book and list them. Tell what they mean.

	↓ Summary – MAIN IDEA ↓	↓ Vocabulary ↓
<b>Monday</b>  <b>Book Title:</b> _____ _____ _____ _____		1.    2.
<b>Tuesday</b>  <b>Book Title:</b> _____ _____ _____ _____		1.    2.
<b>Wednesday</b>  <b>Book Title:</b> _____ _____ _____ _____		1.    2.