Week of: January 23rd

This Week We Learned...

Literacy: This week we concluded our learning in unit 3 with our Three Little Pigs debate. The students did a great job with this performance task. They demonstrated their knowledge of the topic and book very well! I was very impressed ©

Math: Friday the kiddos took the Unit 5 math test. We will start unit 6 next week by looking at more number stories.

Spelling: This week's spelling pattern was –ow and –ea. Next week the focus is –ou and –ea.

Writing: In writing this week we continued our opinion pieces. We discussed and practiced the structure for a well-written opinion piece by taking it through the whole writing process. We will continue doing this next week as well. The focus is to have a well written piece with a solid opinion, three STRONG reasons, and a conclusion sentence stating our opinion in a new way.

*Healthy Habits calendars are due on Tuesday!

Upcoming Dates

- Variety Show- Friday, January 27th
- Early Dismissal- Wednesday, February Ist
- Valentine's Day Party-Tuesday, February 14th

Notes from Miss Storjohann

- I am starting a new system in the classroom next week. This system uses the "Oops Notice". To help build responsibility with homework, I will be sending an Oops notice home with your child if their homework is incomplete or if I do not receive it. This is not a punishment or a bad mark on their report card, just simply a way to build responsibility and ownership with their homework. As second graders; it is our responsibility to get our work done, not our parents. Please contact me with questions!
- If your child is going to be absent please let me know <u>as well as</u> the front office for recording Keeping! Thanks!

