

# Mrs. Young

## 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Grade

Week of December 2nd



### Poem for the month of December:

Santa's Watching

*Author Unknown*

Christmas time is coming,  
It's time we must be good,  
For Santa's watching everyday,  
And we forgot we should.

Clean our room and wash the car,  
Help mom with every chore,  
For presents we are after,  
And a good one we must score.

No time to chat, no time to play,  
There's dishes to be done.  
There will be time later,  
For us to have some fun!

### Poem is due December 19th

**Calendar** for the month of December: Dec. 7<sup>th</sup> Sunnyslope band in Prescott for the parade, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> Family movie night at the school 6:30, Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> Light parade in Sunnyslope, Dec. Christmas program 1:00 and 6:00, Dec. 20<sup>th</sup> half day and Christmas party, No school December 23-January 3.

**Spelling.** Students have 30 spelling words, with a pretest on Thursdays and a final test on Fridays.

**Words for this week:** everywhere, exclaimed, exclamation, experimental, experiment, expression, factors, fatigue, foreigners, foreign, frequency, frequent, gradually, gradual, isthmus, level, library, model, moment, mosquito, muscular, muscle, narrow, naturalist, naturally, natural, nature, nonsense, observation, observatory

**Phonograms.** Oral and written phonogram practice occurs daily. Students will take a practice test on Thursday, and a final assessment on Friday. Thirty focus phonograms will be chosen each week and listed on the newsletter.

**Phonograms for this week:** a, e, i, o, u, y, wh, ed, ti, er, si, or, ei, gn, qu, th, ar, ow, ie, ey, ci, sh, igh, aigh, in, x, s, c, g, j

**Writing.** 6 traits of writing, Journal entries and writing in our Native American packets.

**Math.** Instruction will be focused on the Arizona Academic Standards.

#### 5<sup>th</sup> grade

Circumference and Pi, subtracting mixed numbers with regrouping, and dividing by decimal numbers.

#### 6<sup>th</sup> grade

Powers of 10, fraction-decimal-percent equivalents, Adding and subtracting mixed numbers.

**Social Studies** "The First Americans"

#### **Reading Homework:**

Monday- "CP" read pgs. 412-413 then answer questions 1&2 on page 412

Tuesday- "Stretching Ourselves" read pgs. 416-432 then answer questions 1&2 on p. 432

Wednesday- "Stretching Ourselves" read pgs. 416-432 then answer questions 3&4 on p. 432

Thursday- "Helpful Tools" read pgs. 434-435 then answer reading across texts on p. 435

Hope everyone has a wonderful and safe Thanksgiving!!!

*"It isn't what you have in your pocket that makes you thankful, but what you have in your heart." Unknown*